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1. Re: Grundig YachtBoy 400 vs. Sony ICF-SW7600G

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Hardin <rhhardin@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <36140760.1957@mindspring.com>
Source record: 130422
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

You will be happier with the 7600G in the end, if you're really interested in shortwave listening, or weak broadcast band (MW) signals, because the 7600G is so much better with intefering signals.

I can't use the YB400 to listen to even the very strong Radio Japan or Radio Taiwan though, because selective fading drives them into distortion every few minutes, where the 7600G does fine.

The audio is very much better on the YB400 though, on stations that are in the clear and don't fade.

--
Ron Hardin
rhhardin@mindspring.com

On the internet, nobody knows you're a jerk.

2. FS Heathkit Balun

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Asp <larry.asp@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <36140920.845@sympatico.ca>
Source record: 130423
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,

Heathkit balun model B1. Nice shape, $20.00 plus postage.

3. Re: How to power a mobile radio for a base station??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wayne Faris <wfaris@navix.net>
Message-ID: <36140A64.9D440471@navix.net>
Source record: 130424
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

You definitely don't have to pay $200 for a power supply. You can find a new Astron or Pyramid supply for much less than that. You can also troll around on rec.radio.swap for a used one for even less. I have been in your situation a few times and just used a spare automotive battery and a cheap recharger to get me on the air until I got ahold of a proper power supply. (just don't use both at the same time!)

Wayne, KEï¿½BZ

jeannie@NOSPAM.lansol.com wrote:

> Hi,
>
> Just bought myself a mobile Yaesu FT-5100 from the last swap meet to
> use a base station (per recommendations from this NG). How in the
> world do I get power to the radio?? It comes all the accessories and
> cables for the car. No AC adapter or anything of sorts.
>
> The manual mentions an optional FP-700 power supply/speaker for base
> station operation. I called the local Ham shop and they want $200.00
> for it. Ouch!! I can't afford that. The manual also says that it
> requires 13.6VDC and at least 12A. The DC transformers they sell at
> Radio Shack only rated at 0.5A.
>
> Please help... 73, Jeannie
>
> ** remove NOSPAM if reply by e-mail **

4. Glue For Bakelite?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: bren.doreck@ac.COM
Message-ID: <86256690.006FE659.00@amrhm1102.ac.com>
Source record: 130425

I second Roy's suggestion about Loctite. IMHO it is better than super glue. I have seen Loctite sold at Wal-Mart in the hardware section.

73 Bren KC5GWA

>Another note. According to Loctite information, their "Black Max 380
>Rubber Toughened Cyanoacrylate" produced from 1-6 times the bond
>strength (depending on the formulation of phenolic) as their
>general-purpose cyanoacrylate adhesive. If standard super-glue doesn't
>do the job, you might try to locate some of this stuff. You might be
>able to get it from an industrial supplier.

>Make sure that the surfaces are clean; Loctite recommends alcohol for
>cleaning phenolic.

>Roy Lewallen, W7EL

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5. Re: How to power a mobile radio for a base station??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeannie@nospam.lansol.com
Message-ID: <36150fe3.24160500@news.flashcom.com>
Source record: 130426
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Will these power supplies (Pyramid) have the proper connectors for my
FT-5100 or do I need to buy some additional adapter for it?

On Thu, 01 Oct 1998 18:04:05 -0500, Wayne Faris <wfaris@navix.net>
wrote:

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>jeannie@NOSPAM.lansol.com wrote:
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>> Radio Shack only rated at 0.5A.
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>> Please help... 73, Jeannie
>>
>> ** remove NOSPAM if reply by e-mail **
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>

6. Re: Vanity Ham Plates

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tony Giroux <agiroux@mail.cvn.net>
Message-ID: <3614087D.A6BF65FE@mail.cvn.net>
Source record: 130427

There you go -- can't give a thief an honest break ;)

Tony -- KF3BX

WILLIAM W MUNSIL wrote:

> Actually, I had the HT with me in my taxi cab.
>
> Bil
>
> In a previous article, agiroux@mail.cvn.net (Tony Giroux) says:
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> >WILLIAM W MUNSIL wrote:
> >
> >> I had my call sign rear plate stolen! -right off the old Scout.
> >>
> >> Bil
> >> N7AOU
> >> --
> >>
> >> Lernu La Internacian Lingvon, Esperanto. 1-800-ESPERANTO,
> >> soc.culture.esperanto, www.esperanto-usa.org, Esperanto SIG.
> >
> >Took the plate & left the radio??? No one says that crooks are
> >intelligent!
> >
> >Tony -- KF3BX
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> Lernu La Internacian Lingvon, Esperanto. 1-800-ESPERANTO,
> soc.culture.esperanto, www.esperanto-usa.org, Esperanto SIG.

7. Need op manual for signal generator

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Randy Fish <fish@microlink.net>
Message-ID: <01bded96$5166a280$67daa0d1@randyfis>
Source record: 130428

Does anyone have a source for a manual for a
TS-510A/U signal generator ?? It looks like a
Hewlett Packard 608E in the face, but has a few
extra knobs. Is it military made by Hewlett? This
thing is heavy (60-70 lbs), seems to work ok, but
need the op manual so I can use it to it's fullest
extent. Any help would be great. Thanks.
Randy

8. Re: FS: Alinco DR1200T 2m Radio -> Radio Has Been SOLD!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan <n7wpd@inconnect.com>
Message-ID: <6v11ua$8de$1@news.inconnect.com>
Source record: 130429
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.packet

For your info, I bought one 5 years ago, and it's the only radio among the Maxtracs, Mitreks, and GE radios strong enough to have withstood 2 lightning strikes. Fantastic packet radio.
If you like packet they're great for that. If you bought one for voice, well you know.
Opinions are like your backside, everyone has one, and they all stink. Better to keep them to yourself.

TO: Jeff Herman, don't bother. Ain't a sole listening to you.

covert628103@my-dejanews.com wrote in message <6v102t$v1c$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>x-no-reference:yes
>
>In article <3614ce43.29977380@client.sw.news.psi.net>,
> gvs@netprose.com wrote:
>> Radio has been sold!!!
>
>Just out of curiosity, who was stupid enough to buy that piece of crap?
>
>------------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

9. Problem with Cushcrft beam

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Pendergast <pender@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6v197kmti1@news-1.news.gte.net>
Source record: 130430
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I am using a Cushcraft 3-element tribander and have suddenly developed a problem with garbbled transmissions. I get good signal reports with my vertical antenna and I get good signal strength reports on the beam but the voice can not be understood. The problem just started one week ago. Does anyone have any suggestions on what the problem is and what migth be done to cure the problem. The only change I have made in my shack is that I have moved my computer closer to my rig and feed lines. Could this be the problem?
I would appreciate any help on this. Thanks a lot
Mike KT4AN

10. Re: Isotron Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: PAW <73457.650@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <ebzsgFa79GA.271@ntdwwaaw.compuserve.com>
Source record: 130431

A ham stick does as well and it a whole lot less money.

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PAW
(W9JMN@Compuserve.com) Check our site for mikes, ham, video, etc
http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/w9jmn

11. Re: Kenwood TS-570S Memory Backup Lithium Battery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: PAW <73457.650@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <#3NC8Ga79GA.333@ntdwwaaw.compuserve.com>
Source record: 130432

Battery replacement is not a big deal. Its located in the front
panel which is accessable easily by removing the top and bottom
panels and losening the front panel hindge screws which allow it
to tilt forward. Slip a new battery in and do a reset. Don't
forget to write down your memory channels first.

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PAW
(W9JMN@Compuserve.com) Check our site for mikes, ham, video, etc
http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/w9jmn

12. F/S HP 400 Mhz Pentium II

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: HRE <hamradio@wizzards.net>
Message-ID: <36142D5B.4283@wizzards.net>
Source record: 130433

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* * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * *
* FOR SALE / Hewlett Packard Pavilion - 8290 /// Like Brand NEW !!!
* 400 Mhz. Pentium II Processor W/ MMX Technology
* 100 MB. Front Side Bus Speed
* 64 MB. SDRAM Memory
* 12 GB. Hard Drive / lots of Software
* Digital DVD MPEG-2 CD ROM
* 4 MB. SGRAM Vidio Memory
* ATI Rage-Pro AGP High Color 3D Display Graphics
* 32-Bit 3D Dolby Strero Sound-around digital sound
* 56K flex DSVD Modem / Download up to 56K / 33.6 - 14.4 Fax
* 2 Speakers / never used in box.
* all Manuals and Paper work / most never opened
* All Software, Cables Back in Box / AS NEW
* When I sell it I will Recover the Hard Drive BACK to Factory NEW
* I Will Sell this Top Line Computer For Just * * * $1695.00 * * *
* I Paid $2600.00 for it New May +/- 1998
* Has Had Very Little Use. "LIKE NEW" NONSMOKER !
Joe Reaves / N6fra
Grants Pass, Oregon
(541) 479-1212
http://www.wizzards.net/hamradio
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13. KENWOOD EQUIP.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: HRE <hamradio@wizzards.net>
Message-ID: <36142EC9.41D@wizzards.net>
Source record: 130434
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

KENWOOD
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TS-690-SAT * Deluxe General Coverage HF + 6 Meters All-Mode Xcvr.
100 Watts + W/ Auto antenna Tuner, Manual, DC Cable, Hand Mic.
LIKE BRAND NEW !!! / NONSMOKER / Just $939.00
>
SP-23 * Matching speaker for the TS-450 & 690 / Very Nice $59.00
>
MC-60a * Deluxe Kenwood Desk mic / New $149.00
>
TS-450-SAT * Deluxe HF Mobile General Coverage All-Mode Xcvr.
100 Watts + W/ Auto Antenna Tuner, Manual, DC Cable, Hand Mic.
Super Clean $769.00
>
TM-255A * Deluxe 50 watt 2 Meter All-Mode Xcvr. W/ Manual
DC Cable, DTMF Hand Mic./ Very Clean / works Great $499.00
Looks like the Kenwood TS-50-S...
>
TM-241A * 2 meter 50 watt FM mobile Xcvr. W/ Manual, Mobile Bracket
DC Cable and DTMF Hand Mic. / Like New Just $159.00
>
TR-7950 * Deluxe 50 Watt 2 Meter Mobile Xcvr. in Factory Box.
SUPER Nice Condition / Manual, DC Cable, Hand Mic.
With TU-9 Tone Encoder / PL Board $149.00
>
KENWOOD

Extras for TS-120 and 130-S Xcvrs...
DFC-230 Deluxe Digital Memory VFO & Freq. Controller
WORKS WITH TS-120-S/TS-130-S/TS-530-S/TS-830-S Xcvrs.
Gives you memories, Scan, Dual Vfo's and More... RARE ITEM !
W/ Manual & Cables / Works Great ! JUST $125.00 / no mic.
Price With a NEW MC-43S 8-pin UP-DOWN Scan hand mic. $175.00
>
MB-100 / Mobile Mounting Bracked - TS-120-S & TS-130-S
in factory box... Like New $40.00 / Rare Item !
>
YK88C-1 * 500hz. CW Filter $95.00 Plug-in.
YG-455C-1 * 500hz. CW Filter 2nd. IF. $125.00 Plug-in.
International Filter Corp. YG-455C - $110.00 Works in
Kenwood TS-450/690/850 Easy Solder-in.
>
HS-5 * Deluxe Ham Radio Head-Phones / Show Case Demo / Sale $49.00
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>
W & W Associates PB-33 Long life Battery pack
for the Kenwood TH-22at H/T $45.00 NEW / SHIPPED !
only one at this price...
>
PG-2W * DC Power Cable for Kenwood H/T'S / NEW = $16.00
ME-1 * Memory Expansion Unit * for the Th-78a H/T NEW = $25.00
>
MB-430 / Mobile Mounting Bracket - TS-430/440/450/570/Radios
USED $29.00 / "New in Box = $45.00"

Joe Reaves / N6fra (541) 479-1212
http://www.wizzards.net/hamradio

14. FS HP8640B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: KB6LUE <kb6lue@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <361402B5.7556@pacbell.net>
Source record: 130435

Hi
I have a for sale HP 8640B.
1.HP8640B OPT323 Good working condition. $150
2.HP8640B OPT3 Good working condition. $525
3.HP8640B OPT 1 2 3 Good working condition. $925
All plus UPS 714 441 1002
Jin KB6LUE

15. Re: emergency communications for canoeists

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: See sig for reply <ndema@astrax.nospam>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.3.95.981001223726.8250B-100000@astrax.snafu.de>
Source record: 130436

On Tue, 29 Sep 1998, Paul Lantz wrote:

> A couple of friends of mine are fairly serious canoeists - they go on trips
> that last for several weeks at a time in remote areas. They know a bit about
> amateur radio and probably would get involved if they thought it could help
> them communicate while they are on trips.
>
> I am interesting in hearing suggestions and especially comments from people
> who use amateur radio when they go out canoeing or camping.

There is a group of hams who own Landrovers with rigs. Maybe they have
some suggestions. Anyone of them listening?

...

> Another thought is to have some kind of HF gear but it would need to be
> fairly light.

The most interesting rig I've seen for this application is the SGC
SG-2020.

Just my ideas,

Detlef, DH3DM.

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no archive: yes

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Detlef Marxsen at 53 27 N 09 57 E.
Due to bad spam experience, my header is faked. To send email to me
remove the ".no" from dema@astrax.snafu.de.no
Sorry for the inconvenience.
May the bugs and computer-viruses eat the spammers alive!

16. Re: Finding Out Bought-Out Companys' New Owners?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ken <tylereng@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <36144BE8.F747D47D@pacbell.net>
Source record: 130437
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

M. L. James wrote:

> Does anyone know of a way on the internet to find out who buys out a
> company and who the new company is? For example, I need to find out if
> International Test Instruments, last located in Irvine, CA, was bought out
> or simply went out of business.
>
> Any help would be appreciated.
>
> -- Mark

A call to the California Business Administration Divisionmight yeild the info
you seek. If they were in business then
they had to have a business licence. If the company was
sold then it would be a matter of public record.

Ken

17. Re: Fry's Electronics a "RIP OFF"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: cpz@maguro.epr.com
Message-ID: <6v1qkq$h32@maguro.epr.com>
Source record: 130438
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,ba.music,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Let's all remember, Fry's is a *grocery* store! It just happens that they sell computer parts and dishwashers (but very little "food"). I don't expect the Lucky store employee to help me select a cheese that is compatible with my (purchased elseware) frozen key-lime pie. Same for Fry's. If you know what you want, you accept the price, *and* you agree to the policies, then by all means shop there. If you want someone that can tell you that this vintage is perfect for a spinach pie but not for a cherry pie, go to a store that has real salespeople and pay their price.

Also, for some reason the 'droid at the exit door never stops me. Of course, I never stop, or even acknowlege them. They can only stop people that WILL stop for them. They have no recourse against you if you don't. The reason that Price Club and similar places have leverage is that you've agreed to their policies when you join. They can also revoke your membership. The only way that Fry's can keep you from shopping there is to get a court order prohibiting your presence on their property. (Or by pissing you off.) Both of which, of course, are bad business...

z!

--
Carl Zwanzig - Network manager & Systems janitor
InterTrust Technologies Corp
cpz"@"intertrust.com 408.222.6125

"Haven't they learned yet that adding more beer to a full glass just makes the table wetter, it doesn't get you more beer?"
Ron Jarrell

18. Re: Kenwood TS-570S Memory Backup Lithium Battery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wink <wink@rpa.net>
Message-ID: <36136DD3.B585A3EC@rpa.net>
Source record: 130472

I had that same problem after about six months. I called my dealer and he told me that Kenwood had a "fix" for this problem that was dealer installed. I sent him the radio, he fixed it under warranty and I haven't had a problem since.

Gary N2UM

Jon Williams wrote:

> Has anyone replaced the backup battery in a Kenwood TS-570? My radio is not
> holding memory information any longer and apparently the battery needs
> replacing. I don't want to send it in to Kenwood if I can do the replacing
> myself, but I don't want to try for the golden screwdriver award either with
> no instructions to keep me out of trouble.
>
> Any knowledgeable advise would be appreciated.
>
> Thanks!
>
> Jon

19. HELP IC-820H off freq

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Dodson WB5APD EM84ak <wb5apd@stc.net>
Message-ID: <36137B15.70E4@stc.net>
Source record: 130473

I have an Icom IC-820H that is a little off freq. I am operating in SSB mode and the main band (not sub band) freq readout is a little low. Have to set the radio for 144.198 for the guys that are on 144.200.
Just would like to find out what to tweek to correct his. Anyone out there with a service manual. Sure would appreciate any help. Please reply by e-mail. Not on news group every day.
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73's
Bob Dodson
Dahlonega Ga. WB5APD/EM84AK
"ex-WA4WQC, ex-WV6SKV"
mailto:wb5apd@stc.net

20. Re: Fry's Electronics a "RIP OFF"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: clintbrad4d@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <6v04vc$j9r$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 130474
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In article <361119F0.DF67F7D@ix.netcom.com>,
Duane Park <dspark@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
> Another lesson learned,
> Save all of the packaging!!
> At the Manhattan Beach store, the manager wanted to deduct 20%
> from my refund because I threw away the box that my cordless phone
> came in.

WHAT A PRICK!!! How DARE he want to do that! Imagine that - you return an item that worked perfectly, but he can never sell again at regular price because YOU don't have the original box...and he takes that type of attitude!!!

A world-wide boycott is in order.

Yeah, right.

- Clint Bradford

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

21. ROCK HILL, SC HAMFEST SATURDAY OCT 3, 1998 KNIGHTS STADIUM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Bacharach <bobbach@cetlink.net>
Message-ID: <cFLQ1.1046$O7.1393566@news.cetlink.net>
Source record: 130475
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

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WELCOME ALL TO YCARS HAMFEST OCTOBER 3, 1998

Knights Stadium, Fort Mill, South Carolina
Take I-77 to Exit 88, the Baseball Exit

Doors open at 6:00 a.m. Tickets $6.00 at the door.

Flea Market, Equipment Vendors, VE Testing, Food & Fun!

VE TESTING REGISTRATION BEGINS AT 9:30 A.M.

Talk-in on 147.03 (down 600)

Email: Pete Krenn for further info: pete@cetlink.net

See you there! Bob Bacharach WA2EMF

22. Re: ARES Info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <36138765.5C80@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 130476

Nick Meacher wrote:
>
> Does anyone know of any good web sites with info on amateur radio use
> in disasters?
>
> Preferably looking for procedure guidelines.
>
> Also open to suggestions for a good VHF HT (we don't have any 400 band
> repeaters here so I don't see the use for a dual band)
>
> Also looking for suggestions on a good "base" radio, all bands
>
> Thanks for your input.
>
> N3WWE

Hi Nick -- several links to emergency communications at URL:
http://www.ac6v.com/pageav.html

73
Rod in San Diego
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AC6V INDEX TO DX AND HAM RADIO
FEATURING 86 PAGES AND 2500 LINKS
http://www.ac6v.com/pageas.html -- Alphabetical Index
http://www.ac6v.com/ -- Home Page

23. Wanted: Heath DX-60A power transformer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5dh@rtis.ray.com
Message-ID: <6v015j$svu@sf18.dseg.ti.com>
Source record: 130477
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Looking for a power transformer for a Heath DX-60A.

Dean, K5DH

24. Isotron Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Will Sheffield <Will.Sheffield@tek.com>
Message-ID: <361388C3.1DC4@tek.com>
Source record: 130478

Is there anybody out there in the RF ether that has had an occasion to use any of ISOTRON's antennas? I would like your personal opinon, not the GREAT REVIEWS as published in a couple or three Amateur Radio magazines.

Will Sheffield
N7THL
E-mail N7THL@juno.com

25. Re: BEWARE of Roland S. Geter, Sr. - Do your homework Harold!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: c_gmt`@see.my.sig.if.used.com
Message-ID: <MPG.107d39b1291722049898c0@news.cport.com>
Source record: 130479
Cross-posted to: rec.outdoors.rv-travel,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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In article <36114728.D082F10F@worldlynx.net>, n3fvg@worldlynx.net says...
> mickey00@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> >
> > In article <3606CCCD.4EA9AE3E@worldlynx.net>,
> > Piero Sassu <n3fvg@worldlynx.net> wrote:
> > > Harold,
> > > While you are conducting your investigation, why don't you do a
> > > search of the Dejanews files, in the search field enter Roland Geter and
> > > you will get plenty of hits about your buddy Roland Geter and his
> > > business dealings, bad checks, items never paid for, etc., etc. Just
> > > today (9/21/98) another posting from a guy who got a bad check from
> > > Roland Geter in Arizona and filed a complaint with the Glendale Arizona
> > > District Attorney's Office. It took five years for the victim to get his
> > > money...isn't that great! You can contact the D.A.'s office for Glendale
> > > Arizona, bad check division to verify it.
> > >
> > > Do your homework before you start defending someone....
> > > Piero
> > >
> > Piero,
> >
> > I seriously doubt that anyone will have much doubt about Geters credibility
> > from now on,maybe its time that other went after him also.
>
> You are right, unfortunately he has Harold Lines buffaloed with his lies
> and deceptions. I will continue to warn others about Roland Geter until
> I am reimbursed for the monies I lost as a direct result of his scam. It
> is ashame Roland Geter doesn't come into my jurisdiction, this problem
> could be legally remedied immediately. I also hope others file
> complaints with the Maricopa County Sheriff's Office so legal action
> could be taken in Arizona...although some legal action already has been
> taken.
>
> Piero
>

I'll bet ya Harold Lines has never sent that guy ONE THING so he has
nothing to base his support on,some people just bury their head I guess.
BTW,have you even recieved a reply from the Maricopa County Sheriff's
Office?
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26. FS KAM ALL MODE $150.00 VER 8.0 N1HHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gabriel G melo <n1hhf@110.net>
Message-ID: <6v05f3lnu1@stalker.oem.net>
Source record: 130480

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27. opinions wanted on: comet gp-15 triband base antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: WebMonkey <address@below.com>
Message-ID: <36139EB1.6030@below.com>
Source record: 130481

anybody using the comet gp-15 antenna?
would like to know what you think, good bad ugly?
thanks
--
A.C. Curtis
KBï¿½WLF

mailto:demoman@rollanet.org
http://www.rollanet.org/~demoman

28. Help installing tone board in Kenwood TR-9130

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: davidj@salsgiver.com
Message-ID: <MPG.107d68ce85da650f989682@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 130482

Hello:

I recently purchased a Kenwood TR-9130 all mode 2 meter
transceiver with a separate Communications Specialists, INC SS-
32P Programmable CTCSS tone encorder not installed from a local hamfest.
I did not get any manuals for either the Kenwood or for the tone encoder.
I need to install the tone encoder in the TR-9130 so I can access the
local repeater which is PL'd. If anyone out there has installed this in a
TR-9130, please email me so I can proceed to install it myself. (I need
to know where the red, black and white wires go inside the radio). The
radio works just fine, just no PL yet. All emails will be answered.

Thanks,

Dave

29. FS: Yaesu FT-1000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: DUKE <na1a@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6v065n$g81@dfw-ixnews10.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 130483
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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For sale a nice and clean FT-1000, latest firmware version, original box,
manual, mic. Works perfect, full 200 watts output, esthetic condition
9.95/10. $2100. No trade.
If interested, E-mail to the same address or call (310) 649-2226.
73,
Duke - NA1A
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30. Re: Isotron Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5dh@rtis.ray.com
Message-ID: <6v08uq$466@sf18.dseg.ti.com>
Source record: 130484

In article <361388C3.1DC4@tek.com>, Will.Sheffield@tek.com says...
>
>Is there anybody out there in the RF ether that has had an occasion to
>use any of ISOTRON's antennas? I would like your personal opinon, not
>the GREAT REVIEWS as published in a couple or three Amateur Radio
>magazines.

Hi Will,

I used an Isotron 40 from my first-floor apartment back in 1980-81,
and I was surprised at how well it worked. Obviously, it did not
perform like a full-size dipole at 60 feet, but I had no problems
making contacts. I worked all continents with it. I even managed
to work Iceland on 40m CW! I didn't have an amplifier, just an ol'
Heathkit SB-401 transmitter running 90 Watts output. A local ham
had an Isotron 20 mounted on a short mast just above the roof of a
mobile home, and he had good results also (until the manager of the
trailer park made him take it down!).

Isotrons have been around for nearly 20 years. They would probably
not have been around that long if they didn't work.

73,
Dean - K5DH

31. Re: Priced to sell.... 990 & 530HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Louis Bybee <louisb@datacomm.com>
Message-ID: <3613AE7B.79AEFA74@datacomm.com>
Source record: 130485

Would you sell the 530 display mike alone?

Louis

Scott C wrote:
>
> Thanks for the info. Yes, I think with the display mike, extra battery
> packs, antenna's, 12 volt jacks for the car, it's worth that to me, if it
> does not sell, it doesn't sell. But I do appreciate this information.
>
> Scott
>
> Fredric J. Einstein wrote in message
> <36123d77.44202866@news.earthlink.net>...
> >On Wed, 30 Sep 1998 05:20:53 -0700, "Scott C" <Scott@scottcovey.com>
> >wrote:
> >
> >>
> >>Yaesu FT-530 HT with MH-29 mic and extras. In brand new condition with NEW
> >>7.2v NiMH battery. Again, very little time on this unit. $375 firm.
> >>
> >
> >Your FT-530 is not "priced-to-sell". Try about $275.00 for this
> >package and you'd be more in range. When they went off the market,
> >They were selling for about that new. Your display speaker mike makes
> >yours worth that used. HT's don't hold their value too well.

32. Kenwood TM-631A 144/220MHz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: rjb@interactive.net
Message-ID: <3613b1fa.68271574@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 130486

Kenwood 631A on Ebay
Go to:http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=32454305

33. Re: Vanity Ham Plates

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: wmunsil@aztec.asu.edu
Message-ID: <6v0d49$am1$1@news.asu.edu>
Source record: 130487

Actually, I had the HT with me in my taxi cab.

Bil

In a previous article, agiroux@mail.cvn.net (Tony Giroux) says:

>
>
>WILLIAM W MUNSIL wrote:
>
>> I had my call sign rear plate stolen! -right off the old Scout.
>>
>> Bil
>> N7AOU
>> --
>>
>> Lernu La Internacian Lingvon, Esperanto. 1-800-ESPERANTO,
>> soc.culture.esperanto, www.esperanto-usa.org, Esperanto SIG.
>
>Took the plate & left the radio??? No one says that crooks are
>intelligent!
>
>Tony -- KF3BX
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>
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Lernu La Internacian Lingvon, Esperanto. 1-800-ESPERANTO,
soc.culture.esperanto, www.esperanto-usa.org, Esperanto SIG.

34. System Disk for International Test Instruments DTA 8850 Time Interval Analyzer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: mjames@idt.net
Message-ID: <mjames-0110981022370001@ppp-39.ts-3.lax.idt.net>
Source record: 130488

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Looking for a system disk for the International Test Instruments DTA 8850
Time Interval Analyzer. Any help would be appreciated.

-- Mark
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35. FS: ICOM IC820H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al <K6DJP@postoffice.pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <3613BAF5.399383C9@postoffice.pacbell.net>
Source record: 130489
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have for sale a Icom dual band (2mtr & 440) all mode rig.Radio is in
like new condition.
$750
Al

36. Icom 2700H DualBand Mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: rjb@interactive.net
Message-ID: <3614bcd3.71049198@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 130490

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Icom 2700H DualBand Mobile
With the remote cable
Going reasonable on ebay.
Go to:http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=32552272
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37. Finding Out Bought-Out Companys' New Owners?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: mjames@idt.net
Message-ID: <mjames-0110981052380001@ppp-34.ts-1.lax.idt.net>
Source record: 130491
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Does anyone know of a way on the internet to find out who buys out a company and who the new company is? For example, I need to find out if International Test Instruments, last located in Irvine, CA, was bought out or simply went out of business.

Any help would be appreciated.

-- Mark

38. Re: Glue For Bakelite?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Richard M. Hair" <kd6uma@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <3613C844.1146C165@qsl.net>
Source record: 130492
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Roy Lewallen wrote:

> Bakelite is a phenolic, thermo-setting plastic. Have you tried
> cyanoacrylate "super glue"?
>
> Roy Lewallen, W7EL
>
> DavidC wrote:
> >
> > Received this from a friend, helpful hints? Tnx! 73, DavidC A1FA
> > > Will have to find FT-200 parts - front broken piece is not plastic at all
> > > but bakelite (batalite) and I've never found an adhesive that would bond
> > > that materiel. Rez-bond won't, epoxy won't, MEK won't, Elmers won't.

I second the motion for "super glue". I have a Pavoni with Bakelite handle. Handle broke
and was repaired using the stuff. Handle receives lots of torque so I know it is good.

If the piece didn't break cleanly, I'd expect that "JB Weld" (comes in two tubes with
black white red coloring on package) would work well to fill in the joint areas. I use
it instead of epoxy 90% of the time.

Richard Hair
KD6UMA

39. Re: Glue For Bakelite?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: tomb@lsid.hp.com
Message-ID: <6v0gs1$g1h@hpcvsnz.cv.hp.com>
Source record: 130493
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Roy Lewallen (w7el@teleport.com) wrote:
: Another note. According to Loctite information, their "Black Max 380
: Rubber Toughened Cyanoacrylate" produced from 1-6 times the bond
: strength (depending on the formulation of phenolic) as their
: general-purpose cyanoacrylate adhesive. If standard super-glue doesn't
: do the job, you might try to locate some of this stuff. You might be
: able to get it from an industrial supplier.

: Make sure that the surfaces are clean; Loctite recommends alcohol for
: cleaning phenolic.

I'll second Roy's suggestions...and mention that in the local Eagle Hardware I found some Loctite "plastic repair super glue"....it's a kit of gel superglue and an activator/cleaner you put on the surfaces before gluing. This stuff works well...I've fixed plastic eyeglass frames with it successfully, and they typically are not at all easy to get to hold together. Phenolic IS a plastic...it's thermosetting, not thermoplastic.

Another note: if the break is in a place that can be reinforced, try that, too. That is, if it's a flat surface, try putting some fiberglass (either raw glass fiber mat or a small piece of fiberglass-epoxy circuit board substrate) across the break, and glue it down with superglue. I've also fixed broken cylindrical things (like caps for bottles that were important to me) by wrapping tightly with thread or thin steel wire, and burying the wrapping in superglue. If you can find superglue accelerator, that can make life much easier, since with it the glue sets up in seconds, even in fairly thick areas. Otherwise, just be very patient, and don't test areas with your finger! ;-)

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Cheers,
Tom
tom_bruhns@hp.com

40. Re: dual band HT's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: rminnich@sarnoff.com
Message-ID: <6v0io6$6d21@news.sarnoff.com>
Source record: 130494

John Rollins (rexstout@uswest.net) wrote:
: The Yaesu FT-50 is small, lots of features... But when I was looking at
: it, it just seemed too complicated... Too many menus, too many
: multi-function buttons... Or maybe just too much labeling on the keypad?

What you have to do with the FT-50 is spend some time going through
the manual and fooling with it. It is somewhat weird to use, but once
you get the hang of it it is pretty easy. My son has one and we really
like it ... i'd like to get one too, if my old RS HT ever dies.

ron
--
Ron Minnich |"Using Windows NT, which is known to have some
rminnich@sarnoff.com | failure modes, on a warship is similar to hoping
(609)-734-3120 | that luck will be in our favor"- A. Digiorgio
ftp://ftp.sarnoff.com/pub/mnfs/www/docs/cluster.html

41. Swan power supply WTB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Abell <dabell@aloha.net>
Message-ID: <01bded6e$6fc4dd00$6d080ccf@default>
Source record: 130495

I neeed a Swan 117 power supply in working order. Please email with price and details.

Dave Abell, WH6OL
dabell@aloha.net

42. Re: Glue For Bakelite?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: aruder@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <3613cc77.67515950@news.pipeline.com>
Source record: 130496
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Someone said ;

>>Make sure that the surfaces are clean; Loctite recommends alcohol for
>>cleaning phenolic.
>
Someone replied:

> Is the alcohol to clean the affected item or is it for the
>owner/repairer as a "pick-me-up" after the stress & worry over whether
>it'll actually
>make a good durable repair ?? :-)
>>
HO, HO, HO.

I do think if yo are gonna use alky on the phenolic you shold try to use
anhydrous alky or at least 91% alky. The usual drug-store 70%
rubbing alky is likely to work poorly.

My experience.

To get anhyd alky, we had to buy a doz bottles, but they had 91% on
the shelves.

"The learned Fool writes his nonsense in better language,
but 'tis still nonsense."
B.Franklin 'Poor Richard Improved' (1754)

Lou H.
Prolific inventor,
Lousy Salesman,
Incompetent businessman.
(Typical of the Breed)
Looking for both around
Tulsa OK, USA

43. Re: ICOM T8 HT Opinions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Lyons <boblyons@umich.edu>
Message-ID: <3613D5B9.355E34C0@umich.edu>
Source record: 130497

A Jury wrote:
>
> Any one have this rig? What do you think of it. I need to reccomend a
> rig for a emergency comm group, any comments very welcome. Thanks,
> Art. KF7GD

I bought one two weeks ago, and am pleased with it. There are
some things I would like to see changed, but all in all, it's
a fine HT. Specific comments:

- it seems to use batteries rather fast. I need more time
to assess this. (yes, I've fully conditioned the NiMH
batteries).
- if operated from a 12V source via power jack, the battery
charges as well. That's fine if the battery needs charging.
If it is fully charged, the manual seems to say the battery
will become *overcharged*. This I do *not* like. I operate
from the car often, and will have to snap on the alkaline
batery pack to prevent damage to the rechargables.
- great wideband receive. With a simple keyboard "mod" (it's
hard to call a simple keyboard operation a mod!), it
receives basically everything between 50 and 999 MHz
(cellular blocked, of course).
- there are wideband transmit mods available on the net.
I have no need for out-of-band transmit, so I've not tried.
- I can't comment on 6M band performance. I've not used it yet.
- ergonomically wonderful: small, fits either hand well. All
functions (*except* squelch) can be operated with one hand.
Belt clip feels solid to me.
- no cross-band split. I've worked AO-27 by quickly switching
between memories set for 2M transmit and 440 receive.
- The antenna works OK, but it's *very* large for the HT.
- My previous HT (HTX-202) had a priority channel. I could
be listening to another channel and know I'd hear a call
on my usual simplex freq. The T8A doesn't do this. I miss it.
- typical multi-band rig in its intermod problems. When I'm
plugged into the car antenna, it would be cool to have a
set of switchable narrowband filters for various bands. :)
- the battery is a bit loose. Not a big problem, but a little
disconcerting. I've heard that it occasionally breaks right
off if the unit is dropped. MilSpec? I dunno. Otherwise
it's a very solid feeling radio.
- I've not hooked it up to my Yagi yet, so I don't know if it
will hear the distant stations. Check out the review in QST
last month or the month before for sensitivity specs.

All in all, this rig fits my needs almost perfectly. Light and powerful, small and versatile. I'll take it skiing, canoeing, hiking, driving, etc etc.

Bob, KI8AB

44. Re: Isotron Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: aruder@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <3614cda9.67821542@news.pipeline.com>
Source record: 130498

Do they make the ISOPOLE?
I have used that, and it is a champ.

Will Sheffield <Will.Sheffield@tek.com> wrote:

>Is there anybody out there in the RF ether that has had an occasion to
>use any of ISOTRON's antennas? I would like your personal opinon, not
>the GREAT REVIEWS as published in a couple or three Amateur Radio
>magazines.
>
>Will Sheffield
>N7THL
>E-mail N7THL@juno.com

"The learned Fool writes his nonsense in better language,
but 'tis still nonsense."
B.Franklin 'Poor Richard Improved' (1754)

Lou H.
Prolific inventor,
Lousy Salesman,
Incompetent businessman.
(Typical of the Breed)
Looking for both around
Tulsa OK, USA

45. FS: ICOM AT-180 Tuner for 706/$350.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: jhulet@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981001154057.27504.00001909@ng126.aol.com>
Source record: 130499

Hello,

I have an AT-180 Tuner for sale. Very Good condition and works as it should...

Would like to ship COD...

Thanks!

Jason S. Hulet
Maple City, MI
616-947-5049

46. FS: Mirage 2 meter 100w amp/$150.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: jhulet@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981001154253.27504.00001911@ng126.aol.com>
Source record: 130500

Hello,

I have a Mirage 2 meter 100w amp for sale. Very good condtion and works as great. SSB, CW or FM.

Would like to send COD

$150.00

Thanks!

Jason S. Hulet
Maple City, MI
616-947-5049

47. FS: UHF SABER 3

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al <K6DJP@postoffice.pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <3613DB4F.39C1DC85@postoffice.pacbell.net>
Source record: 130501

I have a Saber 3 on the 440 to 470 mhz split with a 5D core for
sale.Radio is in good condition and includes radio,antenna and battery.
$375
Al

48. ICOM IC-R70 RX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: TERRY TANKARD <t.tankard@dial.pipex.com>
Message-ID: <6v0nc6hsi1@plug.news.pipex.net>
Source record: 130502

wanted ,help please.
circuit/schematic diagram for icom ic-r70 general coverage receiver
your help welcome
terry

49. Grundig YachtBoy 400 vs. Sony ICF-SW7600G

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Adam Mitchell <adamm@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <3613E1D2.F91B45D9@mindspring.com>
Source record: 130503
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

I'm about to buy my first shortwave radio. I'm looking at the Grundig YachtBoy 400 and the Sony ICF-SW7600G, but I don't know enough to decide which one is better. My price limit is US$200.

The Sony has SSB. Is that very important?

Any advice would be greaty appreciated.

Thanks,
AM

50. Re: Glue For Bakelite?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ken Wright <kswright@roanoke.infi.net>
Message-ID: <3613C786.5C65@roanoke.infi.net>
Source record: 130504
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

DavidC wrote:
>
> Received this from a friend, helpful hints? Tnx! 73, DavidC A1FA
> > Will have to find FT-200 parts - front broken piece is not plastic at all
> > but bakelite (batalite) and I've never found an adhesive that would bond
> > that materiel. Rez-bond won't, epoxy won't, MEK won't, Elmers won't.
Crazy glue does great. I back it up with epoxy(scrape surfaces well).

51. Ham-shop in Central New York, where to find?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: fj@sni.dk
Message-ID: <3613e486.14099602@149.212.63.99>
Source record: 130505

I will visit New York next week. Will stay an Manhattan
(Walldorf-Astoria). Anybody please recommend a nice ham-radio shop in
this area. Please send me a e-mail with adress, and you'l make my day,
tnx

Best 73 de OZ2Q - Frits in Copenhagen

52. FS: Heathkit HW-9

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: jdinkel@mum.edu
Message-ID: <6v0rvs$p6n$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 130506

I have an HW-9 station to sell: HW-9 with WARC bands, SP-99 matching speaker, and PSA-9 matching power supply. All for $240 plus ship.

73

John

KM4TI

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

53. FS: Icom 751A HF Transceiver, 250Hz CW, RC-10, Pictures.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Craig <cpu_nut@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <3613EB92.42C0@yahoo.com>
Source record: 130507

FS: Excellent condition Icom 751A Transceiver with RC-10 Keypad, and
FL-53A 455KHz 250Hz wide CW filter.

I am the Original Owner.

Comes with:

Operating Manual.
Service Manual.
RC-10 & FL-53A Manuals.
FL-53A 250Hz CW Filter (455KHz IF).
HM-36 Hand Mic.
RC-10 Keypad Entry Control.
No Hot Internal Power Supply, perfect for 12V Portable Operation!

Operational condition is 100% I will guarantee this condition for 5 days
after receipt. This means that I will give a 100% refund less shipping
if it is not in the condition that I have described if I get it back in
the same condition as it was sent.

Few scratches on right side near back, and on top back not thru paint,
otherwise in NEW condition.

See Pics (I will be happy to provide more with E-mail request)...

http://www.erols.com/craig.brown/751A_pkg.jpg

http://www.erols.com/craig.brown/751A_pan.jpg

Asking $650 + Shipping of your choice, COD MOs.

Thanks Craig (cpu_nut@yahoo.com)

54. FS: Icom Phone Patch/SP-2, Pictures.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Craig <cpu_nut@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <3613EBAA.1040@yahoo.com>
Source record: 130508

FS: Excellent condition Icom Phone Patch. Made by NYE/Viking/ICOM for
use with Icom
tranceivers with 8 pin DIM Mic connector

I am the Original Owner.

Comes with:

Operating Manual.
All Cables.
Also doubles as ICOM SP-2 Desk Speaker.

Operational condition is 100% I will guarantee this condition for 5 days
after receipt. This means that I will give a 100% refund less shipping
if it is not in the condition that I have described if I get it back in
the same condition as it was sent.

Three ï¿½" scratches on top back, otherwise in NEW condition.

See Pic (I will be happy to provide more with E-mail request)...

http://www.erols.com/craig.brown/patch.jpg

Asking $75 + Shipping of your choice, COD MOs.

Thanks, Craig (cpu_nut@yahoo.com)

55. FS: Icom AT-500 Auto/Man 500W Tuner, Pictures....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Craig <cpu_nut@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <3613EBC7.7963@yahoo.com>
Source record: 130509

FS: Excellent condition Icom AT-500. 500W Automatic/Manual Antenna Tuner 160M-10M

I am the Original Owner.

Comes with:

Operating Manual.
All original Cables
D.C. Power Plug

Operational condition is 100% I will guarantee this condition for 5 days after receipt. This means that I will give a 100% refund less shipping if it is not in the condition that I have described if I get it back in the same condition as it was sent.

2 <very light> 1" scratches on top back , not thru paint, otherwise in NEW condition.

See Pic (I will be happy to provide more with E-mail request)...

http://www.erols.com/craig.brown/AT_500.jpg

Asking $375 + Shipping of your choice, COD MOs.

Thanks, Craig (cpu_nut@yahoo.com)

56. FS: Icom TV-R7100, TV/FM Adapter, New, Pictures....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Craig <cpu_nut@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <3613EBDD.60C4@yahoo.com>
Source record: 130510

FS: Mint/New condition Icom TV-R7100. TV / FM Stereo Decoder for R-7000 & R-7100

I am the Original Owner.

Comes with:

Operating Manual.
Original Packing and Box.

Operational condition is 100% I will guarantee this condition for 5 days after receipt. This means that I will give a 100% refund less shipping if it is not in the condition that I have described if I get it back in the same condition as it was sent.

See Pic (I will be happy to provide more with E-mail request)...

http://www.erols.com/craig.brown/tv_r7100.jpg

Asking $175 + Shipping of your choice, COD MOs.

Thanks, Craig (cpu_nut@yahoo.com)

57. Re: Grundig YachtBoy 400 vs. Sony ICF-SW7600G

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Allan Koenigsberg <ae2j@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3613F8F7.615D@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 130511
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

Adam Mitchell wrote:
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> I'm about to buy my first shortwave radio. I'm looking at the Grundig
> YachtBoy 400 and the Sony ICF-SW7600G, but I don't know enough to decide
> which one is better. My price limit is US$200.
>
> The Sony has SSB. Is that very important?
>
> Any advice would be greaty appreciated.
>
> Thanks,
> AM
I recently acquired the YB-400 and am very happy with it. I have been using the Sony ICF-2003, which is an earlier version of the SW7600G, for many years. I especially appreciate the decent audio quality of the Grundig. I use it for all purposes, traveling, bedside clockradio, listening to local stations as well as some SWLing. I think the Sony is probably superior for AM SWL, due to its ability use exalted carrier reception, but the Grundig sounds much better in all around use. Both will receive SSB reasonable well. For further confusion check out the reviews of the radio at the Radio Netherlands website.

58. FS: Icom R-7000, Mint, Pictures.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Craig <cpu_nut@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <3613EC16.3B34@yahoo.com>
Source record: 130512

FS: Mint condition Icom R-7000 that receives 25-2000 including cellular (pre-ban).

I am the Original Owner.

Comes with:

Operating Manual.
Service Manual.
IR Remote Control.
AC Power Cord.
DC Power Cord.
Original Packing and Box.

Operational condition is 100% as verified last night on my service monitor. I will guarantee this condition for 5 days after receipt. This means that I will give a 100% refund less shipping if it is not in the condition that I have described if I get it back in the same condition as it was sent.

See Pics (I will be happy to provide more with E-mail request)...

http://www.erols.com/craig.brown/r7_pkg.jpg

http://www.erols.com/craig.brown/r7_panel.jpg

Asking $975 + Shipping of your choice, COD MOs.

Also have new condition TV-R7100 TV/Stereo adapter for above $175 (will sell separate).

Thanks, Craig (cpu_nut@yahoo.com)

59. Re: Glue For Bakelite?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Weiss <bweiss@carroll.com>
Message-ID: <3613EED7.7CE2E4F4@carroll.com>
Source record: 130513
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

The best glue for bakelite is sold as a waterproof wood glue. It is a 2 part system consisting of a powdered resin and a liquid catalyst. It contains resorcinol and formaldehyde, which are pretty nasty chemicals, so use with care! Bakelite is a polymer formed from phenol and formaldehyde, so this might explain why this stuff seems to work so well! Regular solvent adhesives will not soften bakelite, so they won't bond very well.

Bob Weiss
N2IXK

DavidC wrote:

> Received this from a friend, helpful hints? Tnx! 73, DavidC A1FA
> > Will have to find FT-200 parts - front broken piece is not plastic at all
> > but bakelite (batalite) and I've never found an adhesive that would bond
> > that materiel. Rez-bond won't, epoxy won't, MEK won't, Elmers won't.

60. How to power a mobile radio for a base station??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeannie@NOSPAM.lansol.com
Message-ID: <3613f2bb.16696247@news.flashcom.com>
Source record: 130514
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hi,

Just bought myself a mobile Yaesu FT-5100 from the last swap meet to use a base station (per recommendations from this NG). How in the world do I get power to the radio?? It comes all the accessories and cables for the car. No AC adapter or anything of sorts.

The manual mentions an optional FP-700 power supply/speaker for base station operation. I called the local Ham shop and they want $200.00 for it. Ouch!! I can't afford that. The manual also says that it requires 13.6VDC and at least 12A. The DC transformers they sell at Radio Shack only rated at 0.5A.

Please help... 73, Jeannie

** remove NOSPAM if reply by e-mail **

61. Re: Milliwatt RF Power Meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: frederick.mckenzie-1@kmail.ksc.nasa.gov
Message-ID: <frederick.mckenzie-1-0110981745540001@k4dii.ksc.nasa.gov>
Source record: 130515

In article <6ura0ipjl1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>, bill-mbi.weiss@sympatico.ca wrote:
> Hello, I am building a very low rf output transmitter for short distance use
> (50 meters max). We are sending data from sensors on patients to small
> receiver that logs data such as temp, pulse rate, accelerometer info
> (2-axis). The RF power is in the fraction of a milliwatt (.25-.75
> milliwatts). Can anyone recommend an inexpensive (less than $500) digital rf
> power and frequency meter?

Bill-

The instrument you describe is very similar to a two-way radio "Service Monitor". Unfortunately, they usually cost much more than your budget allows, even used.

What you need is a receiver with a signal strength meter that can be calibrated. If I did my calculation right, .25 milliwatts (-6 dBm) produces 0.1118033989 volts across a 50 Ohm load.

Although you can't rely on its accuracy, the "S-Meter" on a typical short wave receiver would normally be calibrated so that an "S-9" reading would be produced by a received signal of 50 microvolts, which is -73 dBm in 50 Ohms. This is a much weaker signal than your .25 milliwatts, so a 50 Ohm variable attenuator can be used between the transmitter and the calibrated receiver, to bring the level down to 50 microvolts. The attenuation value can be used to determine how many dB difference there is between the transmitter output and the 50 microvolts, which can be used to calculate actual power.

Your system may use quite a different frequency than short wave, but the principle is the same. Find a point in the receiver circuit that corresponds to received signal level, calibrate it at the frequency of interest, and use an attenuator to reduce the transmitter output to the calibrated level.

I think you should have no trouble finding a counter that is sensitive enough to measure .25 milliwatts. Depending on how accurate you need to be, you might be able to use the calibrated receiver's frequency dial to measure it.

73, Fred, K4DII

62. Re: Grundig YachtBoy 400 vs. Sony ICF-SW7600G

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa9vrh <sal48@tek-star.net>
Message-ID: <01bded85$6d58a080$29728dd0@larry>
Source record: 130516
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

HI Adam I just looked in an Amateur Electronics catalog and it shows the YB-400 as having ssb also. There is alot of good listening on ssb. Not only the amateur radio bands which I am partial to but also alot of ships and aircraft on long flights use ssb so I would not buy something without it. I will be interested to see what kind of replies you get because I have almost had a YB-400 follow me home a number of times but I may also have to look at the Sony. Good luck and good listening Larry WA9VRH

Adam Mitchell <adamm@mindspring.com> wrote in article
<3613E1D2.F91B45D9@mindspring.com>...
> I'm about to buy my first shortwave radio. I'm looking at the Grundig
> YachtBoy 400 and the Sony ICF-SW7600G, but I don't know enough to decide
> which one is better. My price limit is US$200.
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> The Sony has SSB. Is that very important?
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> Any advice would be greaty appreciated.
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> Thanks,
> AM
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63. Re: Grundig YachtBoy 400 vs. Sony ICF-SW7600G

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: usc95@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981001175444.14631.00000429@ng64.aol.com>
Source record: 130517

I've never used the 400 but have a 7600. It has worked flawlessly, but some features I wish it had are:

-off/on light switch instead of a 10 second fade
-signal strength meter instead of a "tune" LED
-more memories...10 for HF just doesn't do the trick

I don't know if the 400 has these features, however I am satisfied with the 7600's audio. If you don't like it, there are external speakers which sound a lot better than any speaker you will find in a small radio.

I ended up buying a plastic hand gun carrying case, took out the thick foam cushions, and am able to fit the 7600, power supply, extra batteries, and guides inside.

64. Re: How to power a mobile radio for a base station??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "W. Edwin Lambert, Jr." <ma_locksmith@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <uysERYY79GA.216@upnetnews02.moswest.msn.net>
Source record: 130518
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Unfortunately, this does require the purchase of an external power supply to convert the 110 volt alternating voltage in your wall to the required 13.8 volt direct current for the set. These power supplies can also be found for sale in the news group or on other sources from the Internet. A power supply capable of supplying 12 amperes (constant) should be under $100 new and around $60 used. A very common (and good) manufacturer is Astron. Make sure when you look at a power supply that you look at the rating which is commonly given in two terms, intermittent duty and continuous duty. A power supply that is rated at 7 amperes continuous is often rated at 12 amperes intermittent. Check the info to see which you need.

Ed Lambert
jeannie@NOSPAM.lansol.com wrote in message
<3613f2bb.16696247@news.flashcom.com>...
>Hi,
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>Just bought myself a mobile Yaesu FT-5100 from the last swap meet to
>use a base station (per recommendations from this NG). How in the
>world do I get power to the radio?? It comes all the accessories and
>cables for the car. No AC adapter or anything of sorts.

65. FS: ICOM IC-751A like new, $600 shipped

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3bj@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6v12ls$3sc$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 130519
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale:

ICOM IC-751A, excellent, 9.5 out of 10 condition, purchased from original owner. With original manual, original box, original mike, DC cord, SN39XX.

The 751A is the best value in ham radio, check out the QST reviews; great receiver specs. About 8 times the radio a 735 is, at the same price.

$600 shipped

Alan, N3BJ
Bent Mountain, VA

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66. Re: Grundig YachtBoy 400 vs. Sony ICF-SW7600G

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: rkhalona@adnc.com
Message-ID: <6v13o3$5cf$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 130520
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <3613E1D2.F91B45D9@mindspring.com>,
Adam Mitchell <adamm@mindspring.com> wrote:
> I'm about to buy my first shortwave radio. I'm looking at the Grundig
> YachtBoy 400 and the Sony ICF-SW7600G, but I don't know enough to decide
> which one is better. My price limit is US$200.
>
> The Sony has SSB. Is that very important?
>
> Any advice would be greaty appreciated.

This question has been discussed many times here and, if you have the time, you will find a lot of posts dealing with this by going to www.dejanews.com and searching using the above subject.

Having been confronted with this decision myself a while back, I can tell you that the bottom line for me is that if you want the better-sounding radio, go for the Grundig, but if you want slightly better shortwave performance, go for the Sony (which has a sync. detector). Battery operation with the Sony is more economical since it uses 4 AAs (6V) as opposed to 6 AAs (9V) for the Grundig and operation time with a fresh set of batteries is roughly the same for both. Quality of construction also appears to be better for the Sony.

Regarding SSB, it all depends on how frequently you use this feature. It works pretty well in the Sony, but I don't use it much with this radio since I use it mostly for broadcast listening when I'm on the road , so it's not terribly important for me (I use the Drake SW8 for serious SSB listening at home).

Hope this helps.

Ramon Khalona
Carlsbad, California

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67. Re: Grundig YachtBoy 400 vs. Sony ICF-SW7600G

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: wplanck@netusa1.net
Message-ID: <6v13oc$5ch$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 130521
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

Both of these radios are well respected in their price class. They both have SSB. 75% of my listening is ham SSB. Portables don't do a very good job with ham SSB but some are fairly listenable as these two are reported to be. You can find either of these radios for around $100 or even less used. You can buy a refurbished YB400 for about $120 with a year warantee. You just have to keep your eyes open for a good deal. Be VERY careful about buying from individuals in the NG who are not regulars. Know who you're dealing with. If you buy a brand new $200 radio, as soon as you buy it it will be worth about 50-60% of what you paid. So if you can find a GOOD used radio you'll save a lot of money. There are a lot of good people here to buy from but you still have to be cautious. Happy Hunting!

Bill K9KZ
wplanck@netusa1.net

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> YachtBoy 400 and the Sony ICF-SW7600G, but I don't know enough to decide
> which one is better. My price limit is US$200.
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> Thanks,
> AM
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68. FS: ICOM IC-751A $620 shipped

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3bj@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6uuh65pjb1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 130527
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale:

ICOM IC-751A, excellent condition, purchased from original owner. With original manual, original box, original mike, DC cord, SN39XX.

The 751A is the best value in ham radio, check out the QST reviews when they sold for $1200+

$620 shipped

Alan, N3BJ
Bent Mountain, VA

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http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

69. FS: LOTS of Drake crystals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3bj@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6uuhmc$q7e$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 130528
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchor,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale: Crystals for the Drake T4* and R4* rigs. Subtract 11.1 Mhz for operating freq. Some ham band, some SWL. For sale as a lot only, please no requests for individual xtals

Crystal freq. in Mhz - qty.

12.5 - 1
12.6 - 6 (160M)
13.1 - 2
13.5 - 1
15.4 - 1
17.1 - 1
18.6 - 1
19.1 - 1
19.6 - 1
21.1 - 2 (30M)
21.6 - 1
23.1 - 1
25.0 - 1
25.1 - 1 (20M)
25.6 - 3
26.1 - 2
26.1 - 1
27.1 - 1
28.1 - 1
30.6 - 1
31.1 - 1
31.6 - 2
32.6 - 1
35.6 - 1
38.1 - 6 (CB)
38.6 - 3 (CB)
39.1 - 4 (10CW)
40.6 - 1 (10 high)

$230 shipped

Alan, N3BJ
Bent Mountain, VA

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70. 4sale: Dual band 144/220 HT, 2 batts, desk charger. $200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: traviswise@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6uuiscrhc1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 130529

Standard 228a dual band HT 2m/220 MHz, 2 high capacity battery packs, 5w output, desk ("quick") drop-in charger, great condition. Modified to tx/rx 120-170 MHz.

Make offer at:
http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=33115516‰

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71. Re: Fry's Electronics a "RIP OFF"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: clintbrad4d@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <6uujfm$s3o$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 130530
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,ba.music,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

In article <36127890.52A2@midusa.net>,
kb0yev@midusa.net wrote:

> As a note you are "subjected to an inspection" when you leave a Sam's
> Club.

And CompUSA...and Home Depot...

Some folks just like to vent in these newsgroups. Nothing intelligent to say, just bitch and moan and gripe about anything in particular. I guess it's the anonimity of the keyboard. And part of the price we all have to pay for accessing the Internet.

- Clint Bradford

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72. FS: Kenwood YK-88C, YK-88A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3bj@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6uuipqrgs1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 130531
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale: Kenwood YK-88C and YK-88A filters, good shape

$55 EA or $100 for the pair, shipped

Alan, N3BJ
Bent Mountain, VA

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http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

73. FS: TenTec model 219 CW filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3bj@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6uuiutrht1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 130532
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale: TenTec Model 219 CW filter, 250 HZ, 9 Mhz IF

$55 shipped

Alan, N3BJ
Bent Mountain, VA

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74. Import duties from Canada to US

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: k9sqg@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980930202349.15208.00004249@ng144.aol.com>
Source record: 130533

Any recent experience on how much import duties would be for a $600 rig shipped to the US from Canada?

Please don't suggest calling the Customs Service, Department of Commerce, etc.

73

Evan

75. FS Kenwood R599 Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Asp <larry.asp@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <3612CC38.45AA@sympatico.ca>
Source record: 130534
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,

One half of the Kenwood Twins, R599 Amateur band receiver. Good shape cosmetically, and running. $150.00 plus shipping. Would also consider trade if you have a decent Hallicrafters SX62.

76. FS: KENWD TS-830S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: aldel@ibm.net
Message-ID: <3612fa28.1848555@news3.ibm.net>
Source record: 130535

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Kenwood TS-830s Excellent.
130 Watts out. Mic, Man,etc.
$495.00. Call any Eve.
215/673-0485
aldel@ibm.net
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77. Re: 4sale: Dual band 144/220 HT, 2 batts, desk charger. $200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Hemmis <K3USC@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6uuk2q$hd3@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 130536

don't bother responding to this ad-he will tell you he had so many responses
that JUST TO BE FAIR he put the radio on E-BAY !! trolling for suckers I'd
say... the word is out on him on the swap newsgroup... Caveat Emptor ! Brian
K3USC-Erie,PA
traviswise@my-dejanews.com wrote in message
<6uuiscrhc1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>Standard 228a dual band HT 2m/220 MHz, 2 high capacity battery packs, 5w
>output, desk ("quick") drop-in charger, great condition. Modified to tx/rx
>120-170 MHz.
>
>Make offer at:
>http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=33115516‰
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>-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

78. Re: Vanity Automobile License Plates

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: hmk~~arse#@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <3612d3fc.21324219@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 130537

On 30 Sep 1998 14:38:22 GMT, "Robert G. Schaffrath, N2JTX"
<rschaffrath@acm.org> wrote:

>I have had callsign plates since 1989 with no problems other than trying
>to get New York to manufacture them correctly. I have 6 plates that
>were all done lopsided or split before the state started a new vanity
>program which solved alot of the problems. The only comment I ever
>heard about the plates was from someone who thought they were a New
>Yorkers comment on New Jersey Taxes. Callsign N2JTX.
>
>73,
>RObert, N2JTX
>
>David Ho (AF4BH) wrote:
>>
>> My wife and I are in disagreement over showing off my callsign on our
>> car's license plate.
>>
>> I say it's a vanity thing and is something that should be proud of.
>>
>> She says it's a pride thing that will attract radio/antenna thefts and
>> vandalism.
>>
>> What do you think of it? Thanks.
>>
>> Best 73!
>>
>> de David Ho, AF4BH
>> Covington, KY
>> davidho@one.net
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>+-----------------------------------+-----------------------------------+
>| Robert G. Schaffrath, N2JTX (RGS71) |
>| (516) 759-4314 | mailto:rschaffrath@acm.org |
>| http://tonto.netsurftech.com/rgs |
>+---+

I must agree with all the others who have stated the antenna's being
what would attract thieves. As far as the privacy issue, that is for
each to decide according to his/her beliefs. What is it that I offer
for advice regarding your wife's opinion of the plates? The 6 words
that are key to a successful marriage; "Whatever You Think Is Best
Dear."

73,
Howard KE6MAK
hmkarse at earthlink dot net

79. Glue For Bakelite?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: DavidC <davidc@bit-net.com>
Message-ID: <01bdecd9$ca959160$e48492d0@davidc.bit-net.com>
Source record: 130538
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

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Received this from a friend, helpful hints? Tnx! 73, DavidC A1FA
> Will have to find FT-200 parts - front broken piece is not plastic at all
> but bakelite (batalite) and I've never found an adhesive that would bond
> that materiel. Rez-bond won't, epoxy won't, MEK won't, Elmers won't.
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80. Re: Vanity Automobile License Plates

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Arthur H. Wertz" <artwertz@express-news.net>
Message-ID: <3612DC43.3D1814DC@express-news.net>
Source record: 130539

Getting the name and address for ANY license plate is no big
deal in most states.
Where do you think the AAA gets the mailing list to try to get new
members?
--
Art Wertz N5AEN
artwertz@express-news.net
http://www.qsl.net/~n5aen

81. Re: Vanity Ham Plates

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Robert G. Schaffrath, N2JTX" <rschaffrath@acm.org>
Message-ID: <3612DFB5.5A9E@acm.org>
Source record: 130540

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Tony Giroux wrote:
>
> WILLIAM W MUNSIL wrote:
>
> > I had my call sign rear plate stolen! -right off the old Scout.
> >
> > Bil
> > N7AOU
> > --
> >
> > Lernu La Internacian Lingvon, Esperanto. 1-800-ESPERANTO,
> > soc.culture.esperanto, www.esperanto-usa.org, Esperanto SIG.
>
> Took the plate & left the radio??? No one says that crooks are
> intelligent!
>
> Tony -- KF3BX

Maybe they wanted a durable QSL card?? :-)
--
+-----------------------------------+-----------------------------------+
| Robert G. Schaffrath, N2JTX (RGS71) |
| (516) 759-4314 | mailto:rschaffrath@acm.org |
| http://tonto.netsurftech.com/rgs |
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82. Re: Vanity Automobile License Plates

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: wrt@eskimo.com
Message-ID: <3618e244.4525368@eskinews.eskimo.com>
Source record: 130541

davidho@one.net.REMOVE (David Ho (AF4BH)) wrote:

>
>My wife and I are in disagreement over showing off my callsign on our
>car's license plate.
>
>I say it's a vanity thing and is something that should be proud of.
>
>She says it's a pride thing that will attract radio/antenna thefts and
>vandalism.
>
>What do you think of it? Thanks.
>
>Best 73!
>
>de David Ho, AF4BH
>Covington, KY
>davidho@one.net

I think you ought to fire your wife. Get one who appreciates the
things you do.

73, Bill W7TI

83. Re: Glue For Bakelite?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Roy Lewallen <w7el@teleport.com>
Message-ID: <3612ECCB.83FFE6B4@teleport.com>
Source record: 130542
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Bakelite is a phenolic, thermo-setting plastic. Have you tried
cyanoacrylate "super glue"?

Roy Lewallen, W7EL

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> > that materiel. Rez-bond won't, epoxy won't, MEK won't, Elmers won't.

84. WTB: Kenwood SP-430

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tony Heatwole <heatwole@shell.clark.net>
Message-ID: <6uupg5$m1h$6@callisto.clark.net>
Source record: 130543

Hello. I'm interested in trading for a Kenwood SP-430 external speaker.
All I require is that the speaker works 100%, is at least a 7/10
cosmetically, comes with some type of connector cord, and comes with a
manual. Anything above that is extra. Please let me
know if you have one of these models to trade. Here is what I have to
trade (please let me know for conditions etc):

-RS PRO-43 HT Scanner
-RS 1.75a/12v Power Supply
-RS Powerhorn 5w External Speaker
-RS Stereo Pre-Amp
-RS 4 Channel Mixrophone Mixer
-Panasonic BQ-4C AA/D Battery Charger

Nat Heatwole
heatwole@clark.net
KB3CBW, General

85. WTB: Late Model Kenwood HF Accys

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: japalese@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980930223948.06053.00001493@ngol03.aol.com>
Source record: 130544

WTB: Late Model Kenwood HF Accys

I am looking for the following items:

PC-1A
SM-230
SP-31
Service Manual TS-870S

Must be 100% complete and 100% working. Please state asking price and condition.

73
John
WB9JPH

86. Re: FS: HTX-100 10 meter mobile & Icom 2-AT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: sigintman@aol.com
Message-ID: <19980930224825.23610.00004715@ng96.aol.com>
Source record: 130545

Sounds interesting...I've been wanting to get on 10...how flexible are you on the price???
Ed N3KEX+

87. Re: Glue For Bakelite?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Roy Lewallen <w7el@teleport.com>
Message-ID: <3612F0B0.D45AB138@teleport.com>
Source record: 130546
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Another note. According to Loctite information, their "Black Max 380 Rubber Toughened Cyanoacrylate" produced from 1-6 times the bond strength (depending on the formulation of phenolic) as their general-purpose cyanoacrylate adhesive. If standard super-glue doesn't do the job, you might try to locate some of this stuff. You might be able to get it from an industrial supplier.

Make sure that the surfaces are clean; Loctite recommends alcohol for cleaning phenolic.

Roy Lewallen, W7EL

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88. Re: Vanity Ham Plates

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: rhawk@megabits.net
Message-ID: <3612ef89.2412631@news.megabits.net>
Source record: 130547

On 30 Sep 1998 05:41:08 GMT, wmunsil@aztec.asu.edu (WILLIAM W MUNSIL)
wrote:

>
>I had my call sign rear plate stolen! -right off the old Scout.

How old was the scout.???

Bob
>
>Bil
>N7AOU
>--
>
>Lernu La Internacian Lingvon, Esperanto. 1-800-ESPERANTO,
>soc.culture.esperanto, www.esperanto-usa.org, Esperanto SIG.

89. Re: Vanity Ham Plates

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: rhawk@megabits.net
Message-ID: <3612efcd.2480713@news.megabits.net>
Source record: 130548

On Wed, 30 Sep 1998 21:25:55 +0000, "Arthur H. Wertz"
<artwertz@express-news.net> wrote:

>Texas got rid of the stolen plate problem by using windshield
>stickers
>instead of annual tags.
>
Thats OK if they don't give your Name Or Address

Bob
>
>--
> Art Wertz N5AEN
> artwertz@express-news.net
> http://www.qsl.net/~n5aen
>
>

90. Fluorescent light noise!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: jsm@intergate.bc.ca
Message-ID: <3612e881.94670487@news.intergate.bc.ca>
Source record: 130549

Is it the light or is it the ballast that is generating the noise? Are some types of bulbs worse than others?

Steve/VE7SL

91. Re: Fry's Electronics a "RIP OFF"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dale Harper <docdc@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6uurmr$krb@dfw-ixnews4.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 130550

In article <36127890.52A2@midusa.net>,
Kirwin the Insane <kb0yev@midusa.net> wrote:

>> Just why, also, do they insist on subjecting you to an inspection as you leave
>> the store? Again, assuming everyone's dishonest is the only reason that makes
>> sense.
>>
>> Low prices don't have to be 'paid for' in this way -- as Sam Walton would've
>> been able to demonstrate. I recently moved out of the SF Bay Area and Fry's
>> is *not* one of the things I miss.
>>
>
>As a note you are "subjected to an inspection" when you leave a Sam's
>Club.

I'm subject to inspection by my wife when I get home to see how much money I spent. I'll trade
with you.

92. FREE Advertising @ jenal.com

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: jenal_com@xoommail.com
Message-ID: <3612f1fa.4447878@news.m.iinet.net.au>
Source record: 130551

Advertise your sales and wants in the Radio - Amateur pages
of our FREE classifieds ads

http://jenal.com/malls

93. Re: Vanity Automobile License Plates

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: W9FL <tbrock@execpc.com>
Message-ID: <6uuu0t$k7k@newsops.execpc.com>
Source record: 130552

My license plate read AA9IS.

My kids told me their friends would ask them "why does your Dad's license plate say Anus?"

I canged my call sign, and plate to W9FL.

94. FS: YAESU FT-1000D

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: k6eg@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981001000744.12008.00003893@ng70.aol.com>
Source record: 130553

YAESU FT-1000D IN EXCELLENT CONDITION WITH MIC,MANUAL FOR
$2800.00 PLUS SHIPPING LOCAL PICKUP PREFER TNX ED K6EG

95. Re: Fry's Electronics a "RIP OFF"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: T E I X E I R A <teixeira@ccnet.com>
Message-ID: <3613008E.111B@ccnet.com>
Source record: 130554

That's probably the biggest problem with Fry's. They will take returns without any question.....But then they just stick it back in the box and resell it....broken or not...

> That's because they can't repack it and put it back on the shelf to sell
> again as new. They have to discount it because it is obvious that it is not
> new, so the next unlucky buyer gets a bad item at a 10% discount. Good ol'
> Fry's...
>
> 73 de KF6KNB
> ----------

96. Mods wanted for Alinco DJ-C4T

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Thompson <xctx@onr.com>
Message-ID: <01bdecef$a477dea0$6532c8cf@ct>
Source record: 130555

Are there any mods for the Alinco DJ-C4T credit card radio?
thanks in advance,
Charlie
W5CDT
--
>>>Remove the X's from my email address before using<<<

XctX@onr.com

97. Re: Fry's Electronics a "RIP OFF"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: hmk~~arse#@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <36130668.34233989@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 130556
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,ba.music,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

On Tue, 29 Sep 1998 17:34:36 +0000, T E I X E I R A
<teixeira@ccnet.com> wrote:

>For those of you who think using a credit card at Fry's will have less
>problems.....Fry's will make you wait 7 working days for a credit on a
>credit card.

OUCH! I thought that was one of the reasons we used plastic - to get away from that kind of stunt. For what it is worth, anything I have found at Fry's, Comp USA has been willing to match (and even beat) the price on and they have been quite nice to me when an exchange was needed and even gave me cash back (on a credit card purchase) when an item purchased went on sale 3 days later.

Howard
hmkarse at earthlink dot net

98. Re: Fry's Electronics a "RIP OFF"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick <rickmuddSP@teleport.com>
Message-ID: <OcEQ1.17929$K02.10333928@news.teleport.com>
Source record: 130557

Actually Comp USA took it one step further with me. I went to one of their new stores and on the way in they wanted to look in my briefcase. I told them sure, popped it open and there was my laptop. They whipped out a big honking red sticker they said I'd have to glue on it if I wanted to go into the store. I said, "no thanks" and have never been back. No venting here, I just don't like a presumption of guilt. And I certainly am not going to stick some big gluey tag on my laptop.

By the way, I NEVER stop at one of those sales receipt check out things or stop if the checker forgets to deactivate one of those alarm stickers. As I have explained to many a clerk (as they follow me out) they can either arrest me or let me go on my way. Particularly galling are those alarm things at the door. When they beep, you're supposed to go back into the store and let someone search your bag? I think not...No red blooded American would ever let themselves be trained like a dog. (Here Fido! When this beeper goes off you just turn around and open your bag for me.)

For those who don't know, you are submitting to a totally unwarranted search when you do that. The fact is that the only time a store can detain you is if you permit it or if they SEE you commit a theft in the store. You are under no obligation to let them look in your bag just because a beeper thing goes off. Always ask to have an officer present if they DETAIN you in that circumstance. Otherwise, keep on truckin'...

>Some folks just like to vent in these newsgroups. Nothing intelligent to say,
>just bitch and moan and gripe about anything in particular. I guess it's the
>anonimity of the keyboard. And part of the price we all have to pay for
>accessing the Internet.
>
> - Clint Bradford

99. Re: Resuscitation for old equip??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Renmach Epperstiel <ulmod@welsix.net>
Message-ID: <6uv3a4$q32$1@news3.mr.net>
Source record: 130558

What I have done with several old tube xceivers is to use the variac as you suggest. I set it at 40 volts for 2 hrs, 60 volts for 2 hrs, 80 volts for 2 hrs then to full 120 volts. This is the procedure recommended by several others to me. This apparrently formed the caps and everything worked fine. These units had been in storage for 15 to 20 years and maybe more.

Tom wrote in message
>Hi
>I have some old tube type equipment that has been stored for a long time.
>Can anyone tell me the best way to bring it back to life? I am concerned
>for the capacitors. The equipment is a power transformer type with a 5R4
>full wave rectifier. Should I start it up slow with a variac? Would the
>transformer heat?
>
>Any help would be appreciated.

100. FS: 6 meter RF Deck - Single 4X150A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: PATRICK D SCHOUTEN <KA9LNP@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <01bded38$2d2394e0$2a6d9cd1@default>
Source record: 130559

For Sale:

"A" Model Military RF Deck

Single 4X150A - I will throw in a few spares... @ 300+ Watts Out

Sold by Fair Radio Sales a few years back

Covers @ 40 - 70 MHZ Cont.

No Supply / No Relays / No Blower / Just the RF Deck

Typical Military Construction - Very Well Built

Price -> $100.00 Plus Shipping From 84084

RF Deck is about 15#

If interested Please Email me at KA9LNP@Prodigy.net

thanks... and 73's Pat KA9LNP - DN30 Utah

101. system saber for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: selling saber <sellsaber@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <36131530.B2C666BD@hotmail.com>
Source record: 130560

I have a Motorola system saber that has multiple-key DES/XL scrambling.
it has a full keypad and display. I'm looking for $700, I'm the original
owner and will write a reciept upon CASH purchase.If interested
Email........sellsaber@hotmail.com

102. WTB/Trade Yaesu FRG-7

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: ccar@geocities.com
Message-ID: <6uv4e9$f58$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 130561

Looking for a nice FRG-7 in very good condition.

Thanks!

ccar@geocities.com

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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: ccar@geocities.com
Message-ID: <6uv4hh$f5k$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 130562

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Thanks!

ccar@geocities.com

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104. Yaesu FT 767GX HF VHF an UHF or trade for FT 736

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris <ck5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <36132539.72D4@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 130563
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Chris wrote:
I have a Yaesu FT 767GX with the MB1 mic. This rig is in great condition and covers HF VHF and UHF.160-10 meters and general coverage receive.
It has 100 watt output bellow 30MHz and 10 Watt for VHF and UHF.
It has dual VFOs and built in power supply. The original box and manual and both power cords are included for $995+ shipping or willing to trade for a Yaesu FT 736 and I will pay the extra money. 73 Chris VE3NGW/W4 Florida

105. Re: TS 940 MARS CAP Mod needed.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris <ck5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3613286B.BF4@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 130564
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

J. Murray Neece wrote:
>
> Hello, have a sight impair ham who wants me to open his 940SAT for Mars
> cap...Can someone help me, by telling me what to do.? Thanks Murray
Hi Murray
All you had to do is ask! Remove diodes D130 and D135 on digital B
board. 73 Chris VE3NGW/W4

106. IC-207h mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Leake E-Mail <trader@alaska.net>
Message-ID: <36132C3B.10A4@alaska.net>
Source record: 130565

Can the ICOM IC207H be modified to tx on all VHF rx
frequencies? If so, how? thanks

please respond to trader@alaska.net

107. Anderson Powerpoles for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich <wd6esz@quick.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSI.3.95.981001013606.9407C-100000@shell.quick.net>
Source record: 130566
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

For Sale: Anderson Powerpole connectors 52 for $20 including silver plated 30 amp contacts and roll pins. Add $3 for shipping and handling. Send to:

Richard Heryford
2796 Harbor Blvd, Apt. #210
Costa Mesa, CA 92626
(949)851-8176
wd6esz@quick.net

73

108. Re: Glue For Bakelite?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris.Muriel@analog.com
Message-ID: <6uvkc4$l8g@nwd2nws1.analog.com>
Source record: 130567
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Message-ID: <361348dd.5399400@analog.com>
References: <01bdecd9$ca959160$e48492d0@davidc.bit-net.com>
<3612F0B0.D45AB138@teleport.com>
X-Newsreader: Forte Agent 1.5/32.452
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

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>
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Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris.Muriel@analog.com
Message-ID: <3615490e.5448099@analog.com>
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Cjris Muriel,G3ZDM

110. HELP: SHURE 450 TO TS520S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: email@tig.com.au
Message-ID: <6uvn0k$c75$1@toto.tig.com.au>
Source record: 130569
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap

can anyone please tell me the wiring combination (wire colour to pin plug number.... 4 pin) for a shure 450 to a kenwood ts-520s ?

please email if you can help...

thanks.

111. Wanted: maintenance info for Rohde & Schwarz SMDA RF generator

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: segredo@avionica.com
Message-ID: <6v01endtk1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 130570

Seeking to purchase repair manual or information for SMDA RF generator

Please contact:

Raul Segredo
segredo@avionica.com

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112. FS KW TS-830S $385.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: cwdoit@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981001085118.00800.00004742@ng85.aol.com>
Source record: 130571

Includes desk mike, manual. recently aligned, full output on tubes.
Approximately a 9.Split shipping. Bill

113. MODS for TS-950SDX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: rcuffee <rcuffee@mci2000.com>
Message-ID: <361540EF.42178FE0@mci2000.com>
Source record: 130323

Hi,
I am looking for the mods for the Kenwood TS-950SDX. Also do you know
where the digital unit is located?
Thanks,
Reggie

Please email reply to
rcuffee@mci2000.com

114. Re: Fry's Electronics a "RIP OFF"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Berry Kercheval <berry@kerch.com>
Message-ID: <olnmyvc9y.fsf@jhereg.kerch.com>
Source record: 130324
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,ba.music,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Thomas Gigear <tgigear@valisys.com> writes:
> Berry Kercheval wrote:
> > Fry's doesn't check you bag to make sure you haven't stolen anything
> > -- or at least that's not the primary reason.
> >
> > The real reason is that they are making sure that the appallingly
> > incompetent cashiers have given you everything you've paid for.
>
> You don't really believe that do you????

You've never walked out of Fry's with a full shopping cart but without the
128 meg of SIMMs the cashier "forgot" to get for you, have you?

BTDT. I said theft control wasn't the *primary* reason. I'm sure they
watch for thieves *too*. But making sure customers get what they pay for
is another one of the excuses for the door-nazis.

--berry

115. FS: IC-735 and AT-150 Matching Antenna Tuner - MINT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Terry Brown <brownt@frl.orst.edu>
Message-ID: <361553A5.A5B8C287@frl.orst.edu>
Source record: 130325
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I have a truly mint IC-735 Transceiver and Icom AT-150 matching
automatic antenna tuner. These have been seldom used because I
kept them as backups to my base station. Someone else might
as well get some use from them. Here are the particulars:

IC-735 Transceiver with 500hz CW narrow filter and electronic keyer
AT-150 Matching Antenna Tuner
IC-735 Service Manual
All instruction manuals and original boxes

Price: $950 FIRM ppd. in CONUS.

This price truly reflects the value of this equipment. If you are not
happy in any way after using for a week, just send back to me in
same condition I sent it to you and I will refund your money.

References on request.

73's de Terry Brown, N7TB

116. FS: Ten-Tec Digital Century 21 and computer stuff

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "William D. Redfearn, Jr." <william.redfearn@nt.com>
Message-ID: <36155121.EF05AF86@nt.com>
Source record: 130326
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

HAM stuff for sale:

Ten -Tec Digital Century 21 HF CW Transceiver
80 - 10 Meters, no WARC bands
75 watts input, ~35 watts output CW
Digital frequency display, RIT, switchable audio CW filter
Direct conversion receiver
Built-in AC supply or runs on external 12 vDC

Good condition, slight wear, everything works.
Offset and Tune buttons replaced with R/S buttons.
Slight corrosion near Calibrator jack on rear.
With manual

$175.00 OBO

Computer stuff for sale:

Rolodex REX PC companion
256K, leather case
TrueSync software
With disks, manual, box, extra batteries
Good condition, slight wear, everything works
$60.00 OBO

Accton EtherPocket-SP Ethernet parallel port adapter
Switchable 10baseT (twisted pair) or 10base2 (coax) Ethernet adapter
With manual, disks, and AC wall cube supply
$40.00 OBO

Microcom Travelporte pocket modem
14.4 K data/fax, MNP-10
runs on battery or AC power
with RS-232 cable and AC wall cube supply
$30.00 OBO

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Dave Redfearn, BPS Network Design, NORTEL, Richardson, TX.
Email: william.redfearn@NOJUNKnortel.com (to reply,remove NOJUNK)
QRL? de N4ELM/qrp

All opinions are my own, no one else wants them.

117. PX-300S Repair

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Banks" <psgtech@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6v3ksv$hbt@sjx-ixn6.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 130327
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I have a pair of Motorola PX-300S "portable" (ha!) radios. One of them has no power output. Is there anyone out there with the equipment/manuals to service these radios????

Jim

562.690.8106

118. TEN TEC SP-325

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: ycthulhu@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981002193737.14181.00000898@ng52.aol.com>
Source record: 130328

I'm looking for opinions of the Ten Tec SP-325 Navy surplus receiver.
The consumer version of it (I think it was called the DX-325) got
pretty bad reviews. Is the SP-325 better than the consumer version?

Comments please? (Post in newsgroup so all can read). Thanks!

119. non-polorized Electrolitics

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Presley <presley@netscape.com>
Message-ID: <361567FB.A0255C2B@netscape.com>
Source record: 130329

Are there sources for non-polorized electrolitics in the 80 - 150uf range, and the 150 - 450V range? What do you folks do when these are required for a restore? Buy NOS and hope they last?

Thanks

120. Re: Fry's Electronics a "RIP OFF"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thomas Gigear <tgigear@valisys.com>
Message-ID: <36156E37.41C6@valisys.com>
Source record: 130330
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,ba.music,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Berry Kercheval wrote:
>
>
> You've never walked out of Fry's with a full shopping cart but without the
> 128 meg of SIMMs the cashier "forgot" to get for you, have you?
>

No! I'm not that stupid! If I buy 128 meg of SIMMs I make sure I know
EXACTLY where they are before I leave the store!

The owners of Frys are known to be some of the cheapest people in
existance. They would never in a million years pay employees (even the
minimum wage that they pay them) to make sure you got all your stuff.
The ONLY thing they care about is that you don't take more than you
bought. THE ONLY THING!

You are either a company TROLL like the last guy said or you are so
naive its funny. I'm tending toward the TROLL theory... Hard to imagine
anyone that naive.

--
Tom Gigear

121. Is My Kenwood TS-570D the G Version?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Sheldon C. Shallon" <scs@ieee.org>
Message-ID: <36156F08.6696@ieee.org>
Source record: 130331

I ordered a TS-570D(G). Today UPS delivered TS-570D S/N 00300075. Is this the G version? Any other comments on this S/N? I have not yet opened the carton.

Any info will be much appreciated.
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From Sheldon C. Shallon, Los Angeles, CA USA
Please address any reply or new mail to scs@ieee.org

122. Re: Fry's Electronics a "RIP OFF"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Berry Kercheval <berry@kerch.com>
Message-ID: <og1d6v3gs.fsf@jhereg.kerch.com>
Source record: 130332
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,ba.music,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

rhawk@megabits.net (Robert Hawk) writes:
> DUDE! you are definately a company TROLL.

No way. But think what you like.

--berry

123. Re: Glue For Bakelite?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: GoYakKlah <thetruth@southwind.net>
Message-ID: <6v3vl3$10a$1@opal.southwind.net>
Source record: 130333
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Construction glue or Liquid Nail
Ron

DavidC wrote in message <01bdecd9$ca959160$e48492d0@davidc.bit-net.com>...
>Received this from a friend, helpful hints? Tnx! 73, DavidC A1FA
>> Will have to find FT-200 parts - front broken piece is not plastic at all
>> but bakelite (batalite) and I've never found an adhesive that would bond
>> that materiel. Rez-bond won't, epoxy won't, MEK won't, Elmers won't.

124. FS: Regency XL2000 series service manual for XLH252 radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Les Wilson <nessman@servtech.com>
Message-ID: <36159710.8D@servtech.com>
Source record: 130334
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.swap

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This item is listed on eBay # 32771332

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=32771332

Auction ends on 10/5/98
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==========================================================================
Another fine e-mail sent out by Les Wilson, KC2DQX, Greece, NY
--
E-mail - Personal: nessman@servtech.com
Work: les_wilson@ccmail.monroe.edu
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Home Page: http://www.servtech.com/~nessman
Greater Rochester Railfan: http://www.servtech.com/~nessman/rochrail.htm
Parma Special Police: http://www.servtech.com/~nessman/papd.html
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125. FS: Motorola Alert Receiver - EXCELLENT CONDITION!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Les Wilson <nessman@servtech.com>
Message-ID: <361596B8.11D2@servtech.com>
Source record: 130335
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.swap

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This item is listed on eBay # 32771119

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=32771119

Auction ends on 10/5/98
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Another fine e-mail sent out by Les Wilson, KC2DQX, Greece, NY
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E-mail - Personal: nessman@servtech.com
Work: les_wilson@ccmail.monroe.edu
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Home Page: http://www.servtech.com/~nessman
Greater Rochester Railfan: http://www.servtech.com/~nessman/rochrail.htm
Parma Special Police: http://www.servtech.com/~nessman/papd.html
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126. FS: Realistic TRC-216 CB handheld with mic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Les Wilson <nessman@servtech.com>
Message-ID: <36159582.768C@servtech.com>
Source record: 130336
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.swap

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This item is listed on eBay #32770467

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=32770467

Auction ends on 10/5/98
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==========================================================================
Another fine e-mail sent out by Les Wilson, KC2DQX, Greece, NY
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E-mail - Personal: nessman@servtech.com
Work: les_wilson@ccmail.monroe.edu
--
Home Page: http://www.servtech.com/~nessman
Greater Rochester Railfan: http://www.servtech.com/~nessman/rochrail.htm
Parma Special Police: http://www.servtech.com/~nessman/papd.html
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127. WTB:ICOM HM-12 hand mike

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: duane olexa <do@1st.net>
Message-ID: <3615B487.74F0@1st.net>
Source record: 130337

hand mike for my Icom-735 went bad.

anybody got one for sale.

duane wm8n

128. HP - 8290 IS SOLD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Reaves <hamradio@wizzards.net>
Message-ID: <3615ABFD.6DA1@wizzards.net>
Source record: 130338

Hewlett Packard 8290 400 Mhz. Pentium II /// Has Been SOLD !!!
Thamks to all for the Replies... 73' Joe / N6fra

129. Kenwood TS-570D S/N 00300075

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Sheldon C. Shallon" <scs@ieee.org>
Message-ID: <3615C48A.7D17@ieee.org>
Source record: 130339

Does this S/N have the G upgrade? Any other comments on this S/N?
I ordered the TS-570D(G) and received this TS-570. I don't want to open
the carton until I know it is what I ordered.

Many thanks.
Shel, W6EL
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From Sheldon C. Shallon, Los Angeles, CA USA
Please address any reply or new mail to scs@ieee.org

130. FS: Several Radio Items

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: georgef@prolog.net
Message-ID: <6v2m6s$619$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 130372

Hello All;
I have several pieces of equipment forsale. These include Ham, Scanner and Shortwave equipment. I've put up a website with detailed photos and descriptions of the equipment. Check it out at:
http://homepages.infoseek.com/~radionuts

Thanks
George

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

131. I NEED JOHNSON 242 8600 PROGRAMER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: katuz@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <6v2j4m$1u4$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 130373

I NEED FOR BUY JOHNSON 242 8600 , PROGRAMER USED OR NEW.

KATUZ

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

132. Re: BEWARE of Roland S. Geter, Sr. - Do your homework Harold!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: HP Authorized Customer <joe@user.com>
Message-ID: <6v2ho6$e0v$1@fnord.systemsoft.com>
Source record: 130374
Cross-posted to: rec.outdoors.rv-travel,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

dana wrote in message ...
>who cares?

Real smart Dana.

It's so touchy that you have to post 10 bytes to bitch with
how many bytes in the reply? It you don't like it, don't read
it. I sure everyone cares that you posted. For that matter,
I just every one is just tickled that I'm replying, but then,
I don't care, just like not that I've pointed out your stupidity,
I don't care about you.

It's my jop to point out stupid things.

Mike Yetsko
N1DVJ

133. Re: ft-2400 lamp burned, need help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jorge Carminati <jcar@cvtci.com.ar>
Message-ID: <3614CFC5.6109CCC0@cvtci.com.ar>
Source record: 130375

Hi again Rick,

I tried to take out the burned lamp, but I couldnï¿½t separate the display board from the
front pannel. Of course I removed the 3 screws holding the display, but it isnï¿½t free (like to have some
kind of glue?), you have to apply some force, in the left side there was no problem,
the problem is on the right side (selector knob), I couldnï¿½t. Any suggestion ?.

6.3 or 12 volts lamps you used ?.

Thank you very much for your help and 73.
Jorge LU4CJA.

RHTROMMER wrote:
>
> Jorge, I just did the bulb replacement on my Ft-2400 this week..... Remove the
> top cover.. you have 5 screws 2 on each side and 1 in the rear. Remove the
> display with a 3mm hex key then remove the black wire that runs from the
> display board to the connector board (the board under the top cover that was
> just removed) the screw is on the left hand side. Then remove the 3 screws
> holding the display board to the desplay housing. Remove the 3 front knobs and
> the display board will come out of the housing.
>
> I used 6.3 volt lamps for the replacement..
> You will see on each side of the display the lamps, I used a regular old
> Heathkit soldering iron and removed both lamps, be sure to remove the white
> lamp filter before you unsolder the lamps from the display board..
>
> The whole job took about 1 hour to complete
> and the lamps came out and went in rather easy..... 73 Rick WB5YTG..

134. Re: BEWARE of Roland S. Geter, Sr. - Do your homework Harold!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Freeland <Freeland@chickasaw.com>
Message-ID: <Mu4R1.77$Nq.1053085@news.goodnet.com>
Source record: 130376
Cross-posted to: rec.outdoors.rv-travel,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

pointless
HP Authorized Customer wrote
in message
<6v2ho6$e0v$1@fnord.systemsoft
.com>...
>
>dana wrote in message ...
>>who cares?
>
>
>Real smart Dana.
>
>It's so touchy that you have
to post 10 bytes to bitch with
>how many bytes in the reply?
It you don't like it, don't
read
>it. I sure everyone cares
that you posted. For that
matter,
>I just every one is just
tickled that I'm replying, but
then,
>I don't care, just like not
that I've pointed out your
stupidity,
>I don't care about you.
>
>It's my jop to point out
stupid things.
>
>Mike Yetsko
>N1DVJ
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>

135. FS: Glen Martin Roof Tower + More.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: ^Fretts <n2rif@kwiknet.net>
Message-ID: <xo4R1.1390$O33.2907253@news6.ispnews.com>
Source record: 130377
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap
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4Sale "Glen Martin Roof Tower, Thrust Bearing & Heavy Duty!"
Aluminum Mast Price & Specs New from Glen Martin are below:
#1; New Glen Martin Roof Tower, Specs & Price...
Model: RT-424, Height: 4.5', Shelf to top: 34.75, Base width 24&#65533;,
Max Ant. in sq ft @ 87mph@6 / 100mph @4.5 / 112mph @3.6,
Max Ant load: 100lbs Weight: 18lbs Price: $162.00+ Shipping
#2; New Glen Martin Heavy Duty Thrust Bearing, Specs & Price...
Thrust Bearing for rotating setups, premium quality, weatherized
twin bearing for 1.3 to 2.6 mast diameters. TB-25 Price: $89.95
#3; Glen Martin Heavy Duty Aluminum Mast, Specs & Price...
MA-2069 106" X 2.375" OD ,.145 wall aluminum hvy duty 12 lbs
$108.00 New Price for all $359.95 + Shipping and Un-Assembled.
Everything is like new and completely assembled. Asking $240/obo.
Must Pickup. Qth Burlington, NJ. I'm about 10 miles S. of Trenton
& 6 miles N.E. Of Phila, Pa.. Email or Call 609-386-9382 Or
if busy Call: 609-386-3272 {afternoon's only please!!}
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"please remove knowspam to reply"

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136. SELLING-KENWOOD TS-50S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Internet <nukem@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <01bde953$0c274720$44089cd1@default>
Source record: 130378

For sell mint Kenwood TS-50S original box, owners manual, non smoker, never mobile.
First $675 takes. Includes shipping.

Clyde
KD4HKG

137. Re: Grundig YachtBoy 400 vs. Sony ICF-SW7600G

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: wetartie@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <N.100298.093821.98@vna-va18-20.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 130379
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

On 10/2/98 6:34AM, in message <3614AC36.2D07@mindspring.com>, Ron Hardin <rhhardin@mindspring.com> wrote:

> KB3PT wrote:
> > > I can't use the YB400 to listen to even the very strong Radio Japan
> > > or Radio Taiwan though, because selective fading drives them into
> > > distortion every few minutes, where the 7600G does fine.
> >
> > Using the Sony 7600G and the YB 400 "side by side", I do not notice
> > the selective fading distortion you mention. Both radios perform
> > extremely well for portables, tho I feel the sync detection circuitry
> > in the 7600G could stand to be a bit better (but it would no longer be
> > a $200 portable!). <g>
>
> Stick at it and you'll notice selective fading. It's very common
> and you ought to hear it. What happens is that the carrier fades
> while a sideband is strong, and the signal is then overmodulated
> and sounds like it.

Selective fading is noticeable (as it is on any receiver), but I don't notice a significant difference in distortion when this occurs listening to the Grundig YB 400 versus the Sony 7600G.

> Incidentally I've been puzzled what feature calls for the use of
> quote marks. I can't find a rule. Why didn't you quote ``notice''
> for instance, rather than ``side by side?''

I used quotes around "side by side" only because I was using the term "loosely". As I just did with the word "loosely". Whether they should be used this way or not, I have no idea! <g>

73,

-bill
KB3PT

138. Re: Antennaes.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3692d6b0.1027186797@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 130380

On Fri, 02 Oct 1998 02:00:21 -0500, Wakko Warner <wakko9@mediaone.net> wrote:
>I am looking for a dual band antenna, for 2 meter and 70 cm to go on a
>hinged trunk lip mount. What is good? How much will it cost? What
>is the shortest that is still has good tx and rx? Is a hinged trunk lip
>mount good, I have been questioned about the ground through the hing
>being good or not, what do you think? Does any one have this mount?
>What do you think? How much did you pay?

I tried one of those mounts (Diamond). I wasn't impressed. It is bulky, and doesn't supply a good ground connection. I'd suggest that you stick with a regular trunk lip mount, or a mount that screws to the framing around the trunk lid (just a little sheet metal L bracket). I couldn't use the latter on my new car because the side seam was too tight to pass the coax, so I went with a standard Larsen NMO trunk lip mount centered on the front edge of the trunk lid. That's worked out well. (I strongly recomend you use a NMO mount, and I think Larsen makes the best ones.)

I'm using a Larsen 270 antenna on it, and that's worked out well too. I figured I needed the extra height of the Larsen because the mount was down on the trunk rather than up on the roof. (I figured right, a Comet B10 shorty doesn't work nearly as well down on the trunk.)

On my trucks, where the antenna is mounted in the center of the cab roof, I use Comet B10 antennas on thru-hole NMO mounts. The B10 is the shortest dualbander that actually works well. It is only 14 inches tall and lets me get in and out of parking garages without dragging. It is excellent on 70cm and adequate on 2m when mounted in the center of the roof. (It looks a lot like a cellphone antenna, so it draws few comments from the unknowing public.)

For better 2m performance, the longer Comet B20 or the Larsen 270 should be used if you have the clearance height to get away with it (the Larsen 270 is virtually identical to the Comet B20, the difference is mainly in the base coil, with the Larsen using a heavier coil which may be slightly more efficient). That's what I'd recomend for trunk lip mounting. The whole assembly is only slightly taller than the OEM entertainment radio antenna. This antenna and base coil are available either in natural finish or in powder coated black. I chose black. That goes well with the color scheme of my new car. (The Comet antennas are only available in black. Their slender base coils are more attractive, but are a bit less efficient than the larger Larsen coils. I wouldn't let that worry me much, however, the practical difference is slight at power levels under 50 watts.)

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |

Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

139. Re: Glue For Bakelite?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marty <marty-k2@snet.net>
Message-ID: <3614E433.89EAF99A@snet.net>
Source record: 130381
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Ken Wright wrote:
>
> DavidC wrote:
> >
> > Received this from a friend, helpful hints? Tnx! 73, DavidC A1FA
> > > Will have to find FT-200 parts - front broken piece is not plastic at all
> > > but bakelite (batalite) and I've never found an adhesive that would bond
> > > that materiel. Rez-bond won't, epoxy won't, MEK won't, Elmers won't.
> Crazy glue does great. I back it up with epoxy(scrape surfaces well).

I've used Crazy Glue on Bakelite parts with very good results after cleaning with detergent and water and then 91% isopropyl alcohol. I dried the parts at room temperature first and then for a few minutes in the microwave oven to be sure any residual water was gone before applying the glue. Don't use the microwave with parts that have metal inserts.

I've also gotten good results with epoxies. Clean as above and use the slow setting variety of epoxy. Let it set for a day or two at room temperature and then put it in the microwave for several minutes at a lowest setting until quite hot to the touch. Don't rush the room temperature curing or you'll get bubbles in the bond. I've edge-bonded .125" sheet stock this way and it was surprisingly strong.

Marty K1FHR

140. IC-T7A mods?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: merlin willis <merlinw@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <3614E900.DB8E1DB9@pacbell.net>
Source record: 130382

Hi....
Has anyone found the mod that will let me tx from 430-440 mhz.yet?

email or post.....thanks

73
Merlin, KB6TNP

141. n4dh: Mods for Kenwood TH-22AT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: n4dh@juno.COM
Message-ID: <19981002.105710.3374.1.n4dh@juno.com>
Source record: 130383

Anyone have mods for the Kenwood TH-22AT, or
a website, etc.

Thanks, Bill N4DH

You don't need to buy Internet access to use free Internet e-mail.
Get completely free e-mail from Juno at http://www.juno.com
Or call Juno at (800) 654-JUNO [654-5866]

142. Re: Fry's Electronics a "RIP OFF"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: T E I X E I R A <teixeira@ccnet.com>
Message-ID: <3614EE92.2FFB@ccnet.com>
Source record: 130384
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,ba.music,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Yes.... It's an invasion of our privacy..... The police can't just
search you... why should Fry's.... We are just giving up more of our
rights to corporate America...

> Do you really find it objectionable to let a store employee count the items
> in your bags upon exit? Is this really "threatening" to you? An "invasion" of
> some sort?

This is nonsense!

> Isn't the adage, "It's only objectionable to someone who has something to
> hide" applicable?

"Alleged Constitutional Rights", I didn't know Constitutional rights
stop on private property... That's a new one to me... Fry's and all
business in this country are not above the law or the Constitution. But
then most of Fry's employees are not citizens of the United States...

> Don't enter alleged Constitutional rights here - they do not apply. You're on
> private property, in a business NOT run by the State or federal government.
>
> - Clint Bradford
>
> -----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

143. LOOK-->>DB PRODUCTS VHF DB-4170 CAVITIES (NEW)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: msisco9939@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981002111711.28296.00009018@ng89.aol.com>
Source record: 130385

Yep:

I have received a few VHF DB-4170 Series VHF Band Pass Cavities.....These are "Brand New" and have never been installed....Was purchased New for a big project and never were installed. DB products price is over $400.00ea, and is still a current item.

Asking $125.00+shipping.....(shipping will probably be on the order of $15.00 $20.00 depending on where you are located.

These may have a little dust here and there, but wipeing them down will make them look just like New.

Also I have a 19" rack mount kit that hold 3 at a time, which I will throw in for
free if 3 are purchased at a time.....The rack kit holds three.

Terms:

Acceptable PrePayment in the form of a Postal Money order or other piror mutual arrangements.

Monty

144. Re: ICOM T8 HT Opinions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: mjgilbert.NOSPAM@wcom.net
Message-ID: <3614e914.6483112@news.compuserve.com>
Source record: 130386

On Tue, 29 Sep 1998 20:28:13 -0700, A Jury <ajurya@hughes.net> wrote:

>Any one have this rig? What do you think of it. I need to reccomend a
>rig for a emergency comm group, any comments very welcome. Thanks,
>Art. KF7GD

I've had one for a couple months now, really like it. Here's my take
on it:

I like the wideband receive with the keyboard mod.
I use it to listen to the baby monitor at 900MHz.

There are wideband TX mods but I'm not interested,
I also have a supposed mod for cell-band RX but once
again I am not interested.

The unit does seem to eat batteries, and RF output
using the AA battery pack is low. I have not noticed
the loose battery pack problem mentioned elsewhere,
my batteries fit tight. I do not like the fact that the
belt clip fits on the battery case, you need to move
the clip everytime you change batteries. They should
give you a clip with every battery pack you buy.
I solved this problem by buying a *pouch* belt case
for it, now I don't use the belt clip at all.

The programing software is very handy and if you
already have a CI-V converter box then the extra
$15 for it is worth it. If not, don't buy the OPC cable,
build the interface for less than $10 (you can find it
in an old ARRL yearbook 1996?). If you don't build
stuff, the cost of the OPC and the software do not
justify the convenience.

The radio appears to be quite rugged, but I don't
know how water-resistant it might prove to be.

The radio has a good hand fit, controls are easy to
use but the antenna could have been a tad more
flexible, if you don't need 6m, replace the antenna
with something more comfortable, I get tired of this
one sticking me in the side.

I don't seem to have much problem with intermod.

The two things I do not like the most are the button
based volume control and the fact that there is no

backlight on the keypad, this really pisses me off as I haven't memorized the keypad so at night you can't do much.

Overall I think it is a fine radio and I would buy it again.

Matt
K8KDR

145. MOTOROALA 800Mhz SOLID STATE MICOR REPEATERS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: msisco9939@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981002112012.28296.00009022@ng89.aol.com>
Source record: 130387

Yep:

I also have a few left....These are 800 Mhz Motorola Micor Repeaters....They are fully functional and are in excellent condition

Asking $450.00ea No Cabinet as these were rack mounted...

Terms:

Acceptable PrePayment in the form of a Postal Money order or other piror mutual arrangements.

Monty

146. MOTOROLA 250 WATT (UHF) MICOR BASE/REPEATER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: msisco9939@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981002112929.28296.00009032@ng89.aol.com>
Source record: 130388

Yep:

Tired of being jammed out?, Having problems keeping a channel clear?, let me assure you this will solve your problems....Set it up, turn it on, pin the 250 watt slug in your bird wattmeter, come back a month later, and waa-laa, your channel is clear....can also burn out the front ends of "cheap" radios 10 miles away......

B84 Series Micor Base/Repeater and will work just fine in the 440-450 range.

Asking $2350.00+ Shipping or $2850.00 Shipped anywhere in the US.

This is not for persons that are unknowledgeable with "High Power" UHF stations as death can be the result of improper operation.

Terms:

Acceptable prepayment in advance or other piror mutual arrangements.

I also have some other 75-watt Micor and MSY repeaters for those who might be interested in a smaller 75 watt radio class.

Micors Asking $1600.00
MSY Asking $450.00

Monty

147. Tempo One for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: ka7eii@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6v2udoivl1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 130389

Tempo One tranceiver (silver face) with AC One power supply for sale. $250.
Just put it on the air for awhile - still works great.

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

148. Re: MOTOROLA 250 WATT (UHF) MICOR BASE/REPEATER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: dgf@netcom.com
Message-ID: <dgfF07I3I.AIr@netcom.com>
Source record: 130390

In article <19981002112929.28296.00009032@ng89.aol.com> msisco9939@aol.com (MSisco9939) writes:
>
>Yep:
>
>Tired of being jammed out?, Having problems keeping a channel clear?, let
>
>as death can be the result of improper operation.

I didn't think conditions in LA where *THAT* bad!

;-)

149. WTB: Luggage rack antenna mount

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: None Of Your Business <unknown@nowhere.net>
Message-ID: <6v2sd3$m18@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 130391
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I need a luggage rack antenna mount for my Chevy Venture minivan. I will be mounting a PL-259 base dual band Comet antenna. Anyone have any experience with mounting antennas on the Venture?

Reply to group, and/or email me at:
LHSudduth@worldnet.att.net

Thanks
Lawrence

150. Re: MOTOROLA 250 WATT (UHF) MICOR BASE/REPEATER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: msisco9939@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981002114802.28296.00009051@ng89.aol.com>
Source record: 130392

LA----Where's that???

Can't see it anymore....I live in San Diego!

MS

151. Re: Fry's Electronics a "RIP OFF"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan K Nelson <kf6knb@usa.net>
Message-ID: <6v2ttl$h1c$1@news-2.news.gte.net>
Source record: 130393
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

T E I X E I R A wrote in message <3614EE92.2FFB@ccnet.com>...
>Yes.... It's an invasion of our privacy..... The police can't just
>search you... why should Fry's.... We are just giving up more of our
>rights to corporate America...

Actually, the police can do a limited cursory search of anyone they may stop to question, whether or not the person is/will be arrested. This is allowed for the safety of the officer as well as the subject being questioned. This search can include the subject's clothing and any personal property within the immediate reach of the subject.

A merchant can inspect a person's bags, briefcase, etc upon entering or leaving the store as long as this policy is posted at the entrance of the store. Additionally, the law allows the merchant to exercise "self help" in determining if any merchandise has been taken from the store. This includes detaining a subject for 15-20 minutes while searching any bags, packages, etc. It does not allow the merchant to do a search of the person's clothing until after the person has been arrested. Detaining a subject longer than 15-20 minutes usually requires that the merchant arrest the subject and seek prosecution.

Any items discovered through the use of "self help" may be recovered by the merchant without the merchant having to arrest or prosecute the subject. This holds true whether or not the merchant observed the subject concealing the merchandise.

However, if the merchant wants to use the recovered merchandise as evidence to prosecute the subject, then the merchant must see the subject conceal the item and keep the subject under constant surveillance until such time as the subject is detained.

This is how the law reads in California, you may want to review CPC 490.5 for additional details. Some other states have even more aggressive merchant protection statutes. In many states, the crime has been committed by the act of concealment alone, whether or not the subject attempts to remove the merchandise from the store!

73 de KF6KNB
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152. FS: KENWD TS-830S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: aldel@ibm.net
Message-ID: <36152d14.347290@news3.ibm.net>
Source record: 130394

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Kenwood TS-830s Excellent.
130 Watts out. Mic, Man,etc.
$495.00. Call any Eve.
215/673-0485
aldel@ibm.net
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153. WTB Motorola MT2000 & JT1000 uhf

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: ligosa@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981002124723.25213.00001748@ng148.aol.com>
Source record: 130395

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WTB Motorola MT2000 A7 (160 Ch)
& JT1000 low split
All UHF
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154. Re: Dell Computer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dean, Greg" <N9NWO@GTE.net>
Message-ID: <6v310momi1@news-1.news.gte.net>
Source record: 130396

Joe Sartori wrote in message ...
>FS Dell pentium 2 233MHz, 64mb ram 2.5gb hard drive, and all the goodies.
>Brand New in box, never opened. Would like to trade for Icom 706 or other
>mobile HF rig. The computer was over 1700.00. Make offer.
>

I worked on contract doing repairs on Dell's. They have became
my favorite. You can do a complete motherboard swap in less than
12 minutes. Dell will have the parts to you the day after the problem
is reported.

Do sign up for the extended warranty. It is only $90 for three years.
Well worth the cost.

155. For Sale HP8920B Service Monitor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: KB6LUE <kb6lue@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <361583EC.50AB@pacbell.net>
Source record: 130397

Hi
I have a for sale HP8920B OPT 001,004,013 and 102. Like new. $7500
714 441 1002
Thanks
Jin KB6LUE

156. Cloning Protocol for ICOM handhelds

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Meserve <stevenme@microsoft.com>
Message-ID: <6v31gt$t3s@news.dns.microsoft.com>
Source record: 130398
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.mods,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I have an IC-W32a and the Cloning kit (RT Systems software and cable). I should be happy but now I'd like to write my own application (for Windows CE) to talk to the W32 and I've discovered that no one wants to disclose the protocol! Any clues as to how I can figure out what to send to the radio and what it sends to me? Thanks in advance,

Steve
KE1KB

157. Re: Grundig YachtBoy 400 vs. Sony ICF-SW7600G

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Hardin <rhhardin@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <36150D9A.184D@mindspring.com>
Source record: 130399
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

KB3PT wrote:
> > Incidentally I've been puzzled what feature calls for the use of
> > quote marks. I can't find a rule. Why didn't you quote ``notice''
> > for instance, rather than ``side by side?''
>
> I used quotes around "side by side" only because I was using the
> term "loosely". As I just did with the word "loosely". Whether
> they should be used this way or not, I have no idea! <g>

Of course curiosity is piqued by a mind that automatically
makes careful distinctions between literal and figurative.
What happens to phrases like ``sit in the sun?''
--
Ron Hardin
rhhardin@mindspring.com

On the internet, nobody knows you're a jerk.

158. Re: How to power a mobile radio for a base station??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <jj21@bellatlantic.net>
Message-ID: <6v32o6$3as@world6.bellatlantic.net>
Source record: 130400
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Call Tech America they carry many power supllies. Samplex America model RPS1215 should do the job for you and runs about $95 and puts out 15A continuous. You can pick up a catalog at your local Radio Shack. Hope this helps John KB3DBA

159. Re: Fry's Electronics a "RIP OFF"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: cpz@maguro.epr.com
Message-ID: <6v32an$5qo@maguro.epr.com>
Source record: 130401
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,ba.music,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

In article <clintbrad4d@earthlink.net> wrote:
>In article cpz@maguro.epr.com (Carl Zwanzig) wrote:
>
>> Also, for some reason the 'droid at the exit door never stops me. Of course,
>> I never stop, or even acknowlege them. They can only stop people that WILL
>> stop for them. They have no recourse against you if you don't.
>
>Do you really find it objectionable to let a store employee count the items
>in your bags upon exit? Is this really "threatening" to you? An "invasion" of
>some sort?

Actually, Yes, I do find it objectionable. I object to the assumption that
I MAY have stolen something. It's not threatening, although it IS an invasion.
If they think that I've lifted something, *please* call the police and have
them look into it. If not, let me about my business. I've completely stopped
shopping at CompUSA in Santa Clara because they physically prevented me from
leaving the store without showing them the receipt (?unlawful detainment?).
At that store, there is no merchandise between the cashier and the exit door.
It is also in full view of the guard. IMHO, the guard should be able to
watch the patrons as they carry their purchases from cashier to the door.
I do not steal from them, and I expect that I will not be treated as
someone who does.

>Isn't the adage, "It's only objectionable to someone who has something to
>hide" applicable?

Do you open your checkbook for inspection to anyone that asks? Or your car?
etc? I'd be surprised if you did. Do you have something to hide? I don't
know. Should we find out? That is a specious argument.

>Don't enter alleged Constitutional rights here - they do not apply. You're on
>private property, in a business NOT run by the State or federal government.

Actually, I wasn't even thinking of that. I was thinking of being treated
decently and honorably by the merchant, as I treat them.

Oh, and by the way, Constitutional rights DO apply on private property.
Last I checked, the US Constitution was the supreme law of the land, an
no others can override it without a lengthy process.

Expect less and you'll get it.

z!
--
Carl Zwanzig - Network manager & Systems janitor
InterTrust Technologies Corp

cpz"@"intertrust.com 408.222.6125

"Haven't they learned yet that adding more beer to a full glass just
makes the table wetter, it doesn't get you more beer?"
Ron Jarrell

160. Re: WTB Motorola MT2000 & JT1000 uhf

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: berta1s@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981002133624.11979.00005212@ng01.aol.com>
Source record: 130402

why

161. Re: Vanity Automobile License Plates

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Martin Brown <bigbear@garlic.com>
Message-ID: <361513EB.7AC6@garlic.com>
Source record: 130403

WILLIAM W MUNSIL wrote:
>
> Then there was the liense plate - WE3FLY.
>
> Turned out not to be a HAM plate at all - three folks in the family had pilot's
> licenses so it read We three Fly.

....

This wouldn't happen in California. I checked for my call sign on the vanity plate website a few months ago and was told that it wouldn't be allowed since it could be a valid ham callsign. HAM plates are not vanity plates and apparently you can't get a vanity plate with anything that would be a valid call sign.

162. Re: Fry's Electronics a "RIP OFF"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Berry Kercheval <berry@kerch.com>
Message-ID: <oyaqyvl71.fsf@jhereg.kerch.com>
Source record: 130404
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,ba.music,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

> In article <clintbrad4d@earthlink.net> wrote:
> > Do you really find it objectionable to let a store employee count
> > the items in your bags upon exit? Is this really "threatening" to
> > you? An "invasion" of some sort?

cpz@maguro.epr.com (Carl Zwanzig) writes:
> Actually, Yes, I do find it objectionable. I object to the
> assumption that I MAY have stolen something. It's not threatening,
> although it IS an invasion.

Fry's doesn't check you bag to make sure you haven't stolen anything
-- or at least that's not the primary reason.

The real reason is that they are making sure that the appallingly
incompetent cashiers have given you everything you've paid for.

--berry

163. FS TS-830S Kenwood $375.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: cwdoit@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981002151349.12757.00005683@ng13.aol.com>
Source record: 130405

Includes desk mic., manual, full output tubes, recently aligned.Approximately a 9. You ship. Bill

164. Re: Opinions wtd on Japan Radio.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Robert L. Spooner" <RLS19@psu.edu>
Message-ID: <361529B3.97641888@psu.edu>
Source record: 130406

Robert,

I have a JRC JST-245 that I am very happy with. QST's review of it was also very complimentary. A friend of mine who has a 2-way radio shop for VHF/UHF equipment says that all the JRC equipment he has worked on was well made and well supported by the manufacturer.

Quinkman wrote:

> How does the build quality, reliability and performance of Japan Radio HF
> tranceivers compare to other manufacuturers' offerings?
>
> Thanks, Robert

73,
Bob AD3K
--
Robert L. Spooner
Registered Professional Engineer
Research Assistant
Intelligent Control Systems Group

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The Pennsylvania State University FAX: (814) 863-7843
P. O. Box 30
State College, PA 16804-0030 RLS19@psu.edu

165. WTB: HF radio 10m, 15m, 20m

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: q-dude@usa.net
Message-ID: <6v3e84$c28$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 130407
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

WTB: HF radio tribander with 10m, 15m, 20m SSB & CW after I pass my General (probably around Nov-Dec '98). Want a month free trial first, for $350 or less.

Thank you.

Dan, KB3BYE

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

166. Linear Amp on PACTOR, AMTOR, GTOR, and Packet

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: davidho@one.net.REMOVE
Message-ID: <36152a28.6385732@news.netnews.att.com>
Source record: 130408

Just wonder if anyone can tell me whether I can use a
linear amp to do PACTOR, AMTOR, GTOR, and Packet
on HF. I think that it's obvious that RTTY should be OK
for most amps, as long as the cooling is sufficient.

I am thinking about getting a 600 - 800 watt class amp.
However, I don't recall seeing any ad that says the amp
will support the modes that are mentioned above.

Can QSK option be helpful for the T/R switch demands
called for by these modes?

If you have any experience, would you please share?

Thanks in advance.

Best 73!

de David Ho, AF4BH
Covington, KY
davidho@one.net

167. FS TH-27A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: ca1nrideline@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <36151de7.1859169@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 130409

I have a TH-27A 2 meter Kenwood HT for sale, comes with box,manual &, antenna as well as a new Maha hand Mic a new 5w and 2w pack and 2 older 2w packs along with two wall chargers, make me an offer for this great little 2 meter radio, reply to no8rf@juno.com

James

168. Re: Vanity Automobile License Plates

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jones <Jones@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <36152592.E63@nomail.com>
Source record: 130410

E ALLEN wrote:
> I would not worry about, another ham operator..

Just reading these newsgroups should scare you about some of your fellow hams. It's also not wise to broadcast on your local repeater that you are going to be away on vacation....

169. Re: Grundig YachtBoy 400 vs. Sony ICF-SW7600G

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Barry Bogart <barry_bogart@sympatico.bc.ca>
Message-ID: <36153643.6AC6@sympatico.bc.ca>
Source record: 130411
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

dana wrote:
>
> you would be better buying the grundig.
> On 1 Oct 1998, Allan Koenigsberg wrote:
>
> > Date: 1 Oct 1998 20:52:27 GMT
> > From: Allan Koenigsberg <ae2j@worldnet.att.net>
> > Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.equipment, rec.radio.shortwave
> > Subject: Re: Grundig YachtBoy 400 vs. Sony ICF-SW7600G
> >
> > Adam Mitchell wrote:
> > >
> > > I'm about to buy my first shortwave radio. I'm looking at the Grundig
> > > YachtBoy 400 and the Sony ICF-SW7600G, but I don't know enough to decide
> > > which one is better. My price limit is US$200.
> > >
> > > The Sony has SSB. Is that very important?
> > >
> > > Any advice would be greaty appreciated.
> > >
> > > Thanks,
> > > AM
> > I recently acquired the YB-400 and am very happy with it. I have been
> > using the Sony ICF-2003, which is an earlier version of the SW7600G, for
> > many years. I especially appreciate the decent audio quality of the
> > Grundig. I use it for all purposes, traveling, bedside clockradio,
> > listening to local stations as well as some SWLing. I think the Sony is
> > probably superior for AM SWL, due to its ability use exalted carrier
> > reception, but the Grundig sounds much better in all around use. Both
> > will receive SSB reasonable well. For further confusion check out the
> > reviews of the radio at the Radio Netherlands website.
> >
> >
I have both and agree with most of the comments. I am selling the YB400,
keeping the Sony. That is the bottom line.

170. FS: Azden PCS-7500H 6 meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Michele S. Jarrett" <kb8qiz@bright.net>
Message-ID: <6v3cglpcm1@cletus.bright.net>
Source record: 130412

Hello there! Thank you for taking the time to read this.

I have an Azden PCS-7500H 6 meter mobile radio for sale. It is a 6 meter FM, 50 watt radio. It is in very good condition. I am selling it for $325 ($25 is for shipping and handling). For $375 you can also have an Kenwood DC Power Supply (model KPS-7) however, this power supply can only handle a load of 25 watts.

If interested, please email me at kb8qiz@bright.net and I hope to be hearing from you soon!

Have a great day!

73,
Michele (KB8QIZ) Jarrett
kb8qiz@bright.net

171. Re: Fry's Electronics a "RIP OFF"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thomas Gigear <tgigear@valisys.com>
Message-ID: <361537D2.41C6@valisys.com>
Source record: 130413
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,ba.music,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Berry Kercheval wrote:
>
> Fry's doesn't check you bag to make sure you haven't stolen anything
> -- or at least that's not the primary reason.
>
> The real reason is that they are making sure that the appallingly
> incompetent cashiers have given you everything you've paid for.
>
> --berry

You don't really believe that do you????

Are you interested in buying a bridge in brooklynn or some waterfront
property in Florida maybe? Please contact me if you are.

Yours was one of the funniest postings I've seen in a while dude!

Good to see there's still some Naivety in the world today.
--
Tom Gigear

172. Re: F/S HP 400 Mhz Pentium II

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: HRE <hamradio@wizzards.net>
Message-ID: <36153B9F.64BB@wizzards.net>
Source record: 130414

HRE wrote:

* FOR SALE / Hewlett Packard Pavilion - 8290 /// Like Brand NEW !!!
* 400 Mhz. Pentium II Processor W/ MMX Technology
* WAS SOLD... Thanks to all for your replies...

Joe Reaves / N6fra
Grants Pass, Oregon
(541) 479-1212
http://www.wizzards.net/hamradio

173. Re: Vanity Automobile License Plates

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: cmjk2og@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981002165434.24477.00004019@ng150.aol.com>
Source record: 130415

Try this one. My call is K2OG and I have plates for both my F-150 and my Grand Marquis. Imagine my surprise when I found that someone was cruising around with the plate reading K20G. In NJ the zero and the letter O are exactly the same.

C. Jespersen
K2OG

174. Re: How to power a mobile radio for a base station??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: avatar <avatar@frii.com>
Message-ID: <36155E1F.29A9@frii.com>
Source record: 130416
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

jeannie,

I have a backup system in my base station where several radios operate off of
12 Vdc. Instead of buying a power supply I bought a car battery and connected
a small battery charger to it. The battery is about $40 average price. The one
I bought is the same kind used in my car, so if it dies in the middle of
winter, I have a ready backup for that too.

Dave - W0MAY

jeannie@NOSPAM.lansol.com wrote:
>
> Hi,
>
> Just bought myself a mobile Yaesu FT-5100 from the last swap meet to
> use a base station (per recommendations from this NG). How in the
> world do I get power to the radio?? It comes all the accessories and
> cables for the car. No AC adapter or anything of sorts.
>
> The manual mentions an optional FP-700 power supply/speaker for base
> station operation. I called the local Ham shop and they want $200.00
> for it. Ouch!! I can't afford that. The manual also says that it
> requires 13.6VDC and at least 12A. The DC transformers they sell at
> Radio Shack only rated at 0.5A.
>
> Please help... 73, Jeannie
>
> ** remove NOSPAM if reply by e-mail **

175. Re: FT1000MP Do you love it or not!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: <>
Message-ID: <6v3h6q$8pc$1@pyrite.mv.net>
Source record: 130417

In article <6urrkg$nj8$1@mtc1.mtcnet.net>
"Mike King KM0T" <scsueepe@mtcnet.net> writes:

> Hi all,
>
> I have done all the reading I can find, and the direction is the FT1000MP
> for a rig selection. Do you love the thing or not...your opinions are
> desired.....I would say that all you folks would know more than I at this
> point, I have not operated an HF rig since about 84, so I could use a little
> direction.
>
> Thanks you very much for your time.
>
>
> Mike - KM0T

Hi Mike,

You might want to check the archives of the 1000mp email list at
http://w3.one.net/~jldavis

I have a MP and a TS-950SDX and would be hard pressed if I had to
choose. Lots of luck with your decision.

73

Richard / N1VXW

Richard Lubash
N1VXW
email XXXXrlubash@poco.mv.com

ATTENTION: To stop that pesky junk mail I have
put the prefix (XXXX) at the front of my email address. To reply
remove (XXXX)

176. Re: MOTOROLA 250 WATT (UHF) MICOR BASE/REPEATER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: ne2e@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981002175135.23095.00005122@ng72.aol.com>
Source record: 130418

So what happens after one month of being keyed down the final tube 8874 goes bad and cost 400.00 dollars to replace, after one year the tube blower goes and it cost 800.00 to buy it from motorola..no good deal just to keep the freq clear..

177. Re: Vanity Automobile License Plates

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: ron@fc.hp.com
Message-ID: <6v3hn5$7bu@fcnews.fc.hp.com>
Source record: 130419

David Ho (AF4BH) (davidho@one.net.REMOVE) wrote:

: She says it's a pride thing that will attract radio/antenna thefts and
: vandalism.

: What do you think of it? Thanks.

Have had mine on my Jeep for 14 years. No problems.

Have had positive benefit when out 4 wheeling/camping having
local Sheriff notice the plate first and realize that he was dealing with
a radio geek rather than a possible militia kinda guy that the .45 on
my hip might have suggested. (he came into my camp looking for an
overdue hunter.)

Ron Miller
Ft. Collins, CO
NW0U

178. Re: Finding Out Bought-Out Companys' New Owners?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Edward Plotzker <edplotzker@pol.net>
Message-ID: <36154867.536121F3@pol.net>
Source record: 130420
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

You can readily find this information from the Secretary of State in the State of incorporation. It may also be available if the State where the company operated requires registration.

M. L. James wrote:

> Does anyone know of a way on the internet to find out who buys out a
> company and who the new company is? For example, I need to find out if
> International Test Instruments, last located in Irvine, CA, was bought out
> or simply went out of business.
>
> Any help would be appreciated.
>
> -- Mark

179. Re: Fry's Electronics a "RIP OFF"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: rhawk@megabits.net
Message-ID: <36154d5d.2451550@news.megabits.net>
Source record: 130421
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,ba.music,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

On 02 Oct 1998 12:05:22 -700, Berry Kercheval <berry@kerch.com> wrote:

>> In article <clintbrad4d@earthlink.net> wrote:
>> > Do you really find it objectionable to let a store employee count
>> > the items in your bags upon exit? Is this really "threatening" to
>> > you? An "invasion" of some sort?
>
>cpz@maguro.epr.com (Carl Zwanzig) writes:
>> Actually, Yes, I do find it objectionable. I object to the
>> assumption that I MAY have stolen something. It's not threatening,
>> although it IS an invasion.
>
>Fry's doesn't check you bag to make sure you haven't stolen anything
>-- or at least that's not the primary reason.
>
>The real reason is that they are making sure that the appallingly
>incompetent cashiers have given you everything you've paid for.
>
> --berry
>
DUDE! you are definately a company TROLL.

Bob

180. LANCASTER PA TAILGATE - FEST OCT 3 1998

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: rbouder@redrose.net
Message-ID: <361549e1.1763238@news.desupernet.net>
Source record: 130439

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Electronics Tailgate Fest
Lancaster County, Pennsylvania's
Red Rose Repeater Association, Inc.
Amateur Radio / Computer Equipment - Tailgate - Flea-Market
West Earl Community Park
October 3, 1998
8 AM to 3 PM
Tailgating only
WEATHER PERMITTING
This is an outside function cancelled by inclement weather
147.015 Talk-in / First come, first served,
$ 2.00 donation per space Tailgate ONLY
All others are FREE....
No overnight camping

Directions - In Lancaster County PA
Take route 222 or 272 to the Brownstown exit, go East
on 772 (.7 mile) through Brownstown over the bridge.
The West Earl Community Park is on the left, on the other
side of the bridge.

Check out the WEB PAGE...

http:\\www.qsl.net\rrra
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181. Re: Vanity Automobile License Plates

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: wmunsil@aztec.asu.edu
Message-ID: <6v1591$4no$1@news.asu.edu>
Source record: 130440

Then there was the liense plate - WE3FLY.

Turned out not to be a HAM plate at all - three folks in the family had pilot's licenses so it read We three Fly.

Bil

In a previous article, k1xv@netscape.net (R. Makul K1XV) says:

>On Tue, 29 Sep 1998 18:14:37 -0400, "Rick Pemble"
><pemble@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
>
>(snip)
>>I constantly get asked " why does your plate say WARP??"
>
>>
>>Rick W4RP
>>
>(snip)>
>And I am often asked what number K1XV spells out in Roman Numerals.
>
>Ray, K1XV
>
--

Lernu La Internacian Lingvon, Esperanto. 1-800-ESPERANTO,
soc.culture.esperanto, www.esperanto-usa.org, Esperanto SIG.

182. Re: Grundig YachtBoy 400 vs. Sony ICF-SW7600G

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: treynolds@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6v19se$ff9$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 130441
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <3613E1D2.F91B45D9@mindspring.com>,
Adam Mitchell <adamm@mindspring.com> wrote:
> I'm about to buy my first shortwave radio. I'm looking at the Grundig
> YachtBoy 400 and the Sony ICF-SW7600G, but I don't know enough to decide
> which one is better. My price limit is US$200.
>
> The Sony has SSB. Is that very important?
>
> Any advice would be greaty appreciated.

I have a Sony IFC-SW7600G and am quite pleased with it. The syncronous AM feature doesn't really work too hot but the sensitivity of the radio if excellent, both AM and SSB. When connected to my ham antenna it is almost as sensitive as my have gear. Selectivity and dynamic range are not as good as the ham gear but what do you expect for $200? I agree with the other posts that it would be nice to have a signal strength meter and more memories. It is not really good on LF, below 550 KHz. I often pick up images of the AM broadcast stations there.

Good luck
Tom

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

183. WTD: Dual Bander

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: kg2im@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981001214934.19678.00000631@ng62.aol.com>
Source record: 130442

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Wanted dual band late model mobile.
send info to KG2IM@aol.com
TNX es 73
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184. Re: How to power a mobile radio for a base station??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Jim (N8XYN)" <jim.n8xyn@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6v1ckn$k2i@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 130443
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

well on the cheap the old car battery and trickle charger.

185. Re: How to power a mobile radio for a base station??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: hmk~~arse#@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <361433fd.3846609@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 130444
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Thu, 01 Oct 1998 23:34:12 GMT, jeannie@nospam.lansol.com wrote:
The power cable that should have come with the radio should have a
power cable. If it is missing the cable you will have to buy a new
one, am not sure what Yaesu uses, it could be that you are stuck with
their replacement.

Typically, power supplies have 'binding posts' and all you need to do
is connect the red wire to positive and the black to negative and you
are set. Use of lugs on the cable is preferred, they make for a
cleaner and more secure connection.

If you need any further assistance, you may e-mail me with your
questions.

73,
Howard KE6MAK
hmkarse at earthlink dot net

>Will these power supplies (Pyramid) have the proper connectors for my
>FT-5100 or do I need to buy some additional adapter for it?
>
>On Thu, 01 Oct 1998 18:04:05 -0500, Wayne Faris <wfaris@navix.net>
>wrote:
>
>>You definitely don't have to pay $200 for a power supply. You can find a
>>new Astron or Pyramid supply for much less than that. You can also troll
>>around on rec.radio.swap for a used one for even less. I have been in
>>your situation a few times and just used a spare automotive battery and a
>>cheap recharger to get me on the air until I got ahold of a proper power
>>supply. (just don't use both at the same time!)
>>
>>Wayne, KEOBZ
>>
>>
>>
>>jeannie@NOSPAM.lansol.com wrote:
>>
>>> Hi,
>>>
>>> Just bought myself a mobile Yaesu FT-5100 from the last swap meet to
>>> use a base station (per recommendations from this NG). How in the
>>> world do I get power to the radio?? It comes all the accessories and
>>> cables for the car. No AC adapter or anything of sorts.
>>>

>>> The manual mentions an optional FP-700 power supply/speaker for base
>>> station operation. I called the local Ham shop and they want $200.00
>>> for it. Ouch!! I can't afford that. The manual also says that it
>>> requires 13.6VDC and at least 12A. The DC transformers they sell at
>>> Radio Shack only rated at 0.5A.
>>>
>>> Please help... 73, Jeannie
>>>
>>> ** remove NOSPAM if reply by e-mail **
>>
>>
>

186. ATLAS 350XL Mint, Orig Box, Manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: mikeholman@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981001221209.17337.00005160@ng42.aol.com>
Source record: 130445

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Atlas 350 digital 200watts out like new 160-10mtrs $285 plus shipping
write meholman@pobox.com Mike
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187. Re: Grundig YachtBoy 400 vs. Sony ICF-SW7600G

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: wetartie@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <N.100298.000149.63@vna-va15-57.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 130446
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

On 10/1/98 6:51PM, in message <36140760.1957@mindspring.com>, Ron Hardin <rhhardin@mindspring.com> wrote:

> You will be happier with the 7600G in the end, if you're really
> interested in shortwave listening, or weak broadcast band (MW)
> signals, because the 7600G is so much better with intefering signals.
>
> I can't use the YB400 to listen to even the very strong Radio Japan
> or Radio Taiwan though, because selective fading drives them into
> distortion every few minutes, where the 7600G does fine.

Using the Sony 7600G and the YB 400 "side by side", I do not notice the selective fading distortion you mention. Both radios perform extremely well for portables, tho I feel the sync detection circuitry in the 7600G could stand to be a bit better (but it would no longer be a $200 portable!). <g>

> The audio is very much better on the YB400 though, on stations that
> are in the clear and don't fade.

The Grundig YB 400 audio is incredible (for a $200 portable!), even on weaker stations that do fade. The Sony seems to be "just a hair" more sensitive, and a bit less prone to strong-signal overloading, I find, but it's so much "easier on the ears" listening to the YB 400 when I'm listening for extended periods of time.

For "everyday SW listening", I don't feel anyone would be disappointed with either choice.

73,

-bill
KB3PT

188. Re: Singal lost w/long coax cable vs. signal lost of an indoor antenna??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa2ise@netcom.com
Message-ID: <wa2iseF06nE9.25o@netcom.com>
Source record: 130447
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

>Several years ago I put up a 2-meter antenna with 80 feet of new 9913. Just
>out of curiososity, before it went up, I put 100 watts into the bottom end
>and measured 50 watts at the top. Readings taken with a Bird wattmeter.
>But, I suspect, though haven't confirmed it with measurements, it's still
>the best stuff short of hardline, and better than any other conventional
>coax cable.
>
That's 3 db loss. (or is it 6? I sometimes get confused) Anyway, that
aint bad. I presume you intend to stay in that apartment for at least
several years for your "investment" in coax to "pay" for itself. See if
you can get some low loss "trunk" coax from your local CATV company. A few
hundred feet would be scrap. Thicker coax is better, less loss.

189. Req:Pinouts for Vertex programming cable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Prometeo <Prometeo5@geocities.com>
Message-ID: <36145975.E6B25EB9@geocities.com>
Source record: 130448

Somebody knows the pinout for Vertex programming cable?
Thanking in advance,
Prometeo

190. List of the rec.radio newsgroups

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <6v1m4l$50a@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 130449
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

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Archive-name: radio/personal-brief-introduction

In an effort help ensure a poster's article reaches the appropriate
audience, below is a list of the rec.radio newsgroups. In most cases,
a group's name will explain its purpose. Cross-posting should rarely
be necessary.

rec.radio.broadcasting (devoted to the broadcast industry; moderated)
rec.radio.cb
rec.radio.info (periodic informational bulletins; moderated)
rec.radio.scanner
rec.radio.shortwave
rec.radio.swap (for buying, selling, and trading; not a discussion group)

rec.radio.amateur.antenna
rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors (tube-type communications equipment)
rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc (packet, pactor and other digital modes)
rec.radio.amateur.dx (long-distance amateur communications)
rec.radio.amateur.equipment (questions, comments regarding commercially-
built amateur gear; not for buying/selling)
rec.radio.amateur.homebrew (devoted to home-building ham gear)
rec.radio.amateur.policy (issues include code, restructuring, local
restrictions in conflict with FCC R&R)
rec.radio.amateur.space (satellites, meteor scatter, EME)
rec.radio.amateur.misc (any topic not covered in the above groups)

(At least two other English language radio hierarchies exist, prefixed
with "uk" (United Kingdom), and "aus" (Australia), in place of "rec.")

Again, cross-posting should rarely be necessary. Many times, a long-
running thread results from a single cross-posted article, and the
contents of such a thread drift further and further away from being
"on-topic" in the various NGs that receive each and every followup.

For more detailed information, see "Guide to the Rec.radio Newsgroups"
posted on the 15th of each month.

Jeffrey Herman (KH2PZ / KH6)
(rec.radio.amateur working-group)
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191. Yaesu FT-221 Help needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: rrompen@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6v1r47$7o2$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 130450

I recently purchased a semi-working FT-221 complete with manual. I have been trying to work through alignment procedures as per the manual, and learn some electronics along the way. I have run into a problem with the Phase Lock Loop module (I think) and would appreciate some pointers from someone with some experience with this radio.

Briefly...I have successfully tuned the Local Unit for each of the bands. Oscillator frequencies are right on spec. However, when I measure the output frequency from the Local Unit (after the frequency has been multiplied 9x) I find the frequency unstable on the two lowest bands, and almost 1MHz out of spec. If I remove the PLL module and check the output of the Local Unit everything is fine...so I suspect the PLL unit. Unfortunately the manual I have does not include alignment instructions for my version of the PLL. (Radio is serial no. 501043, and the board is marked PB-1455. It has a trimming capacitor mounted in the center and trimmer pot at the front left corner).

Any help gladly accepted. More details available by email if you would like.

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

192. Re: Vanity Automobile License Plates

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: EHALLEN@webtv.net
Message-ID: <23039-361467D1-124@newsd-162.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 130451

I think, people will wonder what that means.....Only another ham
operator would know what that means...

I would not worry about, anoher ham operator..

I have my call sign onmy plates...

KC2CDP

193. Re: Wanted: Heath DX-60A power transformer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: GREGORY HEATH <kb2qqm@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <uC1Lp0c79GA.251@upnetnews02.moswest.msn.net>
Source record: 130452
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

try sending a message to the heath bbs at Heathkit@listserv.tempe.gov
your message will be distributed to over 600 Heathkit collectors like
myself.
Greg.

Mustang Maniac! wrote in message <6v015j$svu@sf18.dseg.ti.com>...
>Looking for a power transformer for a Heath DX-60A.
>
>Dean, K5DH
>

194. Antennaes.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wakko Warner <wakko9@mediaone.net>
Message-ID: <36147A05.2C2CAEBD@mediaone.net>
Source record: 130453
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: vcard.vcf

I am looking for a dual band antenna, for 2 meter and 70 cm to go on a hinged trunk lip mount. What is good? How much will it cost? What is the shortest that is still has good tx and rx? Is a hinged trunk lip mount good, I have been questioned about the ground through the hing being good or not, what do you think? Does any one have this mount? What do you think? How much did you pay?

I have a Yaesu ft-50R and I am looking to get the fifty wat booster for the car, but I wanted an exturnal antenna for now.

I just passed the no code tech. lic. I havent got a call yet.

Thanks in advance

Eric

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

195. Opinions wtd on Japan Radio.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: quinkman@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981002030302.13014.00002391@ng09.aol.com>
Source record: 130454

How does the build quality, reliability and performance of Japan Radio HF tranceivers compare to other manufacuturers' offerings?

Thanks, Robert

196. Re: Grundig YachtBoy 400 vs. Sony ICF-SW7600G

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: dana <dana@randomc.com>
Message-ID: <Pine.GSO.3.96.981002030536.9530P-100000@cluster2>
Source record: 130455
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

you would be better buying the grundig.
On 1 Oct 1998, Allan Koenigsberg wrote:

> Date: 1 Oct 1998 20:52:27 GMT
> From: Allan Koenigsberg <ae2j@worldnet.att.net>
> Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.equipment, rec.radio.shortwave
> Subject: Re: Grundig YachtBoy 400 vs. Sony ICF-SW7600G
>
> Adam Mitchell wrote:
> >
> > I'm about to buy my first shortwave radio. I'm looking at the Grundig
> > YachtBoy 400 and the Sony ICF-SW7600G, but I don't know enough to decide
> > which one is better. My price limit is US$200.
> >
> > The Sony has SSB. Is that very important?
> >
> > Any advice would be greaty appreciated.
> >
> > Thanks,
> > AM
> I recently acquired the YB-400 and am very happy with it. I have been
> using the Sony ICF-2003, which is an earlier version of the SW7600G, for
> many years. I especially appreciate the decent audio quality of the
> Grundig. I use it for all purposes, traveling, bedside clockradio,
> listening to local stations as well as some SWLing. I think the Sony is
> probably superior for AM SWL, due to its ability use exalted carrier
> reception, but the Grundig sounds much better in all around use. Both
> will receive SSB reasonable well. For further confusion check out the
> reviews of the radio at the Radio Netherlands website.
>
>

197. Re: Vanity Automobile License Plates

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wakko Warner <wakko9@mediaone.net>
Message-ID: <36147F88.16C318B6@mediaone.net>
Source record: 130456
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: vcard.vcf

Framix wrote:

> I would not like to advertise my ham license on my car unless my form 610 info
> pointed folks away from my house.....something like a PO box or something...

This is what I did, I have a P O Box and I have used it on the 610 form, I am concidering a ham plate, but I am concerned just like the first guy who started this thred. I might change my mind because the cost, what is the cost in IL for a ham plate or is it concidered a vanity plate like the others said?

I havent got my call sign yet, but I pasted the no code tech tests.

Eric

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

198. Re: Grundig YachtBoy 400 vs. Sony ICF-SW7600G

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: dana <dana@randomc.com>
Message-ID: <Pine.GSO.3.96.981002032321.9530a-100000@cluster2>
Source record: 130457
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

if you are looking for a pretty cheep radio, buy it, i have 5 of them, and
they work well for me.

On Fri, 2 Oct 1998 treynolds@my-dejanews.com wrote:

> Date: Fri, 02 Oct 1998 01:22:22 GMT
> From: treynolds@my-dejanews.com
> Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.equipment, rec.radio.shortwave
> Subject: Re: Grundig YachtBoy 400 vs. Sony ICF-SW7600G
>
> In article <3613E1D2.F91B45D9@mindspring.com>,
> Adam Mitchell <adamm@mindspring.com> wrote:
> > I'm about to buy my first shortwave radio. I'm looking at the Grundig
> > YachtBoy 400 and the Sony ICF-SW7600G, but I don't know enough to decide
> > which one is better. My price limit is US$200.
> >
> > The Sony has SSB. Is that very important?
> >
> > Any advice would be greaty appreciated.
>
> I have a Sony IFC-SW7600G and am quite pleased with it. The syncronous AM
> feature doesn't really work too hot but the sensitivity of the radio if
> excellent, both AM and SSB. When connected to my ham antenna it is almost as
> sensitive as my have gear. Selectivity and dynamic range are not as good as
> the ham gear but what do you expect for $200? I agree with the other posts
> that it would be nice to have a signal strength meter and more memories. It
> is not really good on LF, below 550 KHz. I often pick up images of the AM
> broadcast stations there.
>
> Good luck
> Tom
>
> -----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own
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199. Re: Vanity Automobile License Plates

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wakko Warner <wakko9@mediaone.net>
Message-ID: <361480A3.A475E83F@mediaone.net>
Source record: 130458
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: vcard.vcf

Tony Giroux wrote:

> Framix wrote:
>
> > I would not like to advertise my ham license on my car unless my form 610 info
> > pointed folks away from my house.....something like a PO box or something...
>
> Why are you worried? With that paranoia -- you obviously have at least six
> deadbolt locks per door, a Brinks burglar alarm, and some really nasty sharp
> pointed plants under each window (inside & out).
>
> Tony -- KF3BX

I see you haven't beed screwed with at all. I haven't been that much but I dont
want to make it easy for them either.

I dont have six dead boalts or an alarm, but I don't have a sign out side saying
what I have in side either.

just my $0.02, not ment to flame anyone or stuff like that.

Eric

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200. Re: Vanity Automobile License Plates

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wakko Warner <wakko9@mediaone.net>
Message-ID: <3614820B.68071CA9@mediaone.net>
Source record: 130459
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: vcard.vcf

Dan wrote:

> Hi David,
>
> Personally, I was proud of mine. I had mine on the car for 5 years, and in
> all that time, not once did I have a break in. Had the same FT5100 for all
> that time.
> I don't feel that it's a vanity issue.

> Most folk's have the impression that
> Amateur radio operators are nerds with pocket protectors, and broken glasses
> =) Ok, maybe some are.

This is what I thought, but now that I am becoming one, I have changed my mind.

Eric

> Here's a good argument for you...
>
> If you're callsign is on your car, you're more likely to drive better. I
> sent a letter to a ham that was dodging in and out of traffic, and then he
> cut me off! You can just imagine the look on his face when I got his info
> from his hamplate! You never know who's gonna be on the road.
>
> Good luck!
>
> 73 Dan
> N7WPD

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201. Re: BEWARE of Roland S. Geter, Sr. - Do your homework Harold!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: dana <dana@randomc.com>
Message-ID: <Pine.GSO.3.96.981002033055.9530c-100000@cluster2>
Source record: 130460
Cross-posted to: rec.outdoors.rv-travel,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

who cares?

On Wed, 30 Sep 1998, HP Authorized Customer wrote:

> Date: Wed, 30 Sep 1998 08:53:36 -0400
> From: HP Authorized Customer <joe@user.com>
> Newsgroups: rec.outdoors.rv-travel, rec.radio.amateur.swap, rec.radio.swap,
> rec.radio.amateur.equipment
> Subject: Re: BEWARE of Roland S. Geter, Sr. - Do your homework Harold!
>
> You know, from reading these post, from Mr. Geter, I
> got the impression from his early post that he actually
> worked for the Sheriff's Office. Maybe it was just me.
> But I wonder how fruitful it would be to file a formal
> complaint with the Sheriff's Office, with a copy of the
> early post that led me and probably others, to draw
> the conclusion that Mr. Geter was 'officially' associated
> with them. They may be able to provide some added
> 'influence'. Especially if you indicate satisfaction would
> be achieved by being compensated, not by continuing
> the complaint process.
>
> If nothing else, you can stink it until the Sheriff's Office
> wouldn't deal with Mr Geter if he gave them stuff for free.
>
> Sometimes it's not right or wrong, correct or incorrect,
> good or bad. It's strictly quieting the most annoying noise.
>
> Mike Yetsko
> N1DVJ
>
>
> Piero Sassu wrote in message
> > ... It
> >is ashame Roland Geter doesn't come into my jurisdiction, this problem
> >could be legally remedied immediately. I also hope others file
> >complaints with the Maricopa County Sheriff's Office so legal action
> >could be taken in Arizona...although some legal action already has been
> >taken.
> >
> >Piero
>
>
>

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202. Re: Vanity Automobile License Plates

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wakko Warner <wakko9@mediaone.net>
Message-ID: <361482FD.717805DE@mediaone.net>
Source record: 130461
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: vcard.vcf

USC95 wrote:

> >I
> >sent a letter to a ham that was dodging in and out of traffic, and then he
> >cut me off!
>
> See, a nice guy like you just sends a letter. Someone else may send a more
> destructive package, or even pay a visit to your house.
>
> I haven't gotten a vanity plate because I'm not too keen on revealing my
> identity, address, birthdate, ect to anyone that wants to spend a few minutes
> looking on a web site.
>
> With that biographical information, its possible for someone to obtain all
> types of personal information such as property records, career information, and
> wth a little effort, credit information.
>
> It's just a personal thing here, but I prefer not to share my identity with
> everyone who sees me.
> Michael

This is what I did, but I still dont know if I want it on my plate. How would you get all the other info, like property records, career information, and credit information? I didnt know that.

Eric

Framix wrote:

> I would not like to advertise my ham license on my car unless my form 610 info
> pointed folks away from my house.....something like a PO box or something...

This is what I did, I have a P O Box and I have used it on the 610 form, I am concidering a ham plate, but I am concerned just like the first guy who started this thred. I might change my mind because the cost, what is the cost in IL for a ham plate or is it concidered a vanity plate like the others said?

I havent got my call sign yet, but I pasted the no code tech tests.

Eric

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203. IC-207H MOD!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Leake E-Mail <trader@alaska.net>
Message-ID: <36147A37.133A@alaska.net>
Source record: 130462

Has anyone tried this? I found this mod, but I'm not
sure if I trust it. Anr feedback would be appreciated..

Modifikace pro ICOM IC-207

I have preformed this mod on my 2 207H mobil's with success, but doing
this mod is AT YOUR
OWN RISK.....
Remove the 4 screws ataching the bottom cover and remove the cover. (I
had to use a small
screwdriver to pry on the cover. It's made to fit tight) with face
toward you and belly up look to far
right of board and close to you locate a row of SMT diodes 3 on top then
a shift to right and a few
more.
The three are in a PERFECT row top to bottom!
count from the top of the row 1 2 3.
Remove the # 2 & 3 diodes.
Now continue looking down from there and you will see a resistor
sticking up in the air (W14).
Clip the lead off of the resistor.
Reassemble the radio and preform a CPU reset by holding the Set and S.MW
buttons while turning
the radio on...(page 69 of manual).
You now will have : 118-135 RX (stock) 136-174 TX & RX 320-399 RX (hmmm
whats there?
I've heard a local radio station DJ at a remote location talking to the
station) 400-479 TX & RX
849-950 RX The Transmitter will work and transmit at ALL of the listed
TX freqs. and the power
seems to be fairly broad banded and can handle it...
I now use my mobils as Ham AND GMRS.
One less piece to lug around!

Staï¿½eno z Internetu.

(c)1998 Petr BARTOVSKï¿½ OK1MAB

poslednï¿½ ï¿½prava: 19.05.1998

204. "Sailor" receiver type R-108. Help sought.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Evans <john.evans@uteshack.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <xpOb7eAloJF2Ewcg@uteshack.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 130463

Hello All in the Group.

I was lucky enough to pick up an immaculately restored "Sailor" Maritime receiver covering 150 kHz to 4500.0 kHz. It is quite amazing what 20 quid (GBP) will get you. It works a treat.

The model is type R108 and is made by S.P.Radio from Aalborg, Denmark.

Does anyone have any information, manuals, circuits, tips etc for this Radio, especially for the DF function. DX'ing NDB's is my favourite pastime.

All costs will be paid, of course.

Many thanks.

73 de,
--
John Evans. G7CEC. "....tis better to have listened and not heard, than never to have listened at all."

Phone; +44 0116 224-8444.
E-Mail; john.evans@uteshack.demon.co.uk
Snail Mail; 55 Aylestone Drive, Aylestone, Leicester LE2 8QE. England. UK.

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John Evans

205. FS Heath HR 10

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Brigode <brigode@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <3614A501.FD6E192B@ibm.net>
Source record: 130464

Anyone interested?

206. 990 Has been Sold

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott C <Scott@scottcovey.com>
Message-ID: <6v28cc$r4t$1@nntp2.ba.best.com>
Source record: 130465

The 990 has been sold.

Scott
Scott C wrote in message <6ut7lb$k9u$1@nntp2.ba.best.com>...
>Here's my bottom line, I never used this equipment much and am getting into
>Digital Video at this time. I want to sell to purchase digital video
>equipment.
>
>The Yaesu 990 DC comes with the SP-6 external speaker and the Yaesu Tech
ref
>manual. This unit is in brand new condition and has not been used much
(less
>than 20 hours). $900 firm, you pay shipping. I will guarantee this unit to
>be as stated above or you send the unit back within a week of receipt and
>I'll give your money back. Would prefer to sell locally on the San Jose CA
>area.
>
>Yaesu FT-530 HT with MH-29 mic and extras. In brand new condition with NEW
>7.2v NiMH battery. Again, very little time on this unit. $375 firm.
>
>Reply to Scott, KE6DFW, at scott@scottcovey.com or call 510-657-1818.
>
>

207. Re: Grundig YachtBoy 400 vs. Sony ICF-SW7600G

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Hardin <rhhardin@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <3614AC36.2D07@mindspring.com>
Source record: 130466
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

KB3PT wrote:
> > I can't use the YB400 to listen to even the very strong Radio Japan
> > or Radio Taiwan though, because selective fading drives them into
> > distortion every few minutes, where the 7600G does fine.
>
> Using the Sony 7600G and the YB 400 "side by side", I do not notice
> the selective fading distortion you mention. Both radios perform
> extremely well for portables, tho I feel the sync detection circuitry
> in the 7600G could stand to be a bit better (but it would no longer be
> a $200 portable!). <g>

Stick at it and you'll notice selective fading. It's very common
and you ought to hear it. What happens is that the carrier fades
while a sideband is strong, and the signal is then overmodulated
and sounds like it.

Incidentally I've been puzzled what feature calls for the use of
quote marks. I can't find a rule. Why didn't you quote ``notice''
for instance, rather than ``side by side?''
--
Ron Hardin
rhhardin@mindspring.com

On the internet, nobody knows you're a jerk.

208. FS: ICOM IC-751A, excellent, $620 shipped

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3bj@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6v28k7mre1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 130467
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale:

ICOM IC-751A, works fine, 9.5 out of 10 cosmetically, purchased from original owner. With original manual, original box, original mike, DC cord, SN39XX.

The 751A is the best value in ham radio, performance well beyond the 735 at the same price. Check out the QST review -excellent receiver.

Have another or would keep this one.

$620 shipped

Alan, N3BJ
Bent Mountain, VA

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209. Kenwood TS-440SAT for sale.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: morinm@csdgs.qc.ca
Message-ID: <6v2fkf$tg7$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 130468

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Built in antenna tuner. 10 hz display resolution.
Excellent condition. +100 watts output all bands.
General coverage transmit and receive.
1.8 khz narrow ssb filter included. Can also take cw filter.
Instruction manual and photocopy of service manual with schematics.
MC-43S stock hand microphone.
PLL unlock problem has been fixed 3 years ago.
Original box and packing material.
Reason for sale, I want to get a TS-850SAT.
Picture of the radio in operation available on request.

Asking $650.U.S. firm including shipping and insurance.

Michel Morin VE2CJW
Quebec, Canada.

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210. FS KENWOOD TS-440AT MINT $900.00 BEST N1HHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gabriel G melo <n1hhf@110.net>
Message-ID: <6v2dnlper1@stalker.oem.net>
Source record: 130469

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211. EF Johnson manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Michael St. Angelo" <mstangelo@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01bdee00$6d251780$05704e0c@mstangelo>
Source record: 130470
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I've acquired a Johnson Challenger and a 6N2.

Would anyone have manual or schematic for these transmitters?

I'll reimburse copying/mailing costs.

Thanks,

Mike St. Angelo N2MS
email:mstangelo@worldnet.att.net

212. Re: Fry's Electronics a "RIP OFF"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: clintbrad4d@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <6v2mc9$6bo$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 130471
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,ba.music,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

In article <6v1qkq$h32@maguro.epr.com>,
cpz@maguro.epr.com (Carl Zwanzig) wrote:

> Also, for some reason the 'droid at the exit door never stops me. Of course,
> I never stop, or even acknowlege them. They can only stop people that WILL
> stop for them. They have no recourse against you if you don't.

Do you really find it objectionable to let a store employee count the items in your bags upon exit? Is this really "threatening" to you? An "invasion" of some sort?

Isn't the adage, "It's only objectionable to someone who has something to hide" applicable?

Don't enter alleged Constitutional rights here - they do not apply. You're on private property, in a business NOT run by the State or federal government.

- Clint Bradford

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213. TmV-7a programing????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Russ Ouellette <russo@sybercom.net>
Message-ID: <3616A58E.1B2218E1@sybercom.net>
Source record: 130274

I have the Tmv-7a and I'm trying to program the PM memory with a
different set of freq's in channel 1 using the software and programing
cable...it doesn't seem to take... has anyone tried this....if so what
is your secret !
thanks and 73 Russ

214. FS: Motorola UHF Mobile Antennas NEW IN BOX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Banks" <psgtech@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6v5j2g$ff5@dfw-ixnews3.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 130275
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Have 6 Motorola mobile UHF base loaded gain antennas, New in factory tubes.

These are Spectrum line antennas, model RAE4004AB. Can be tuned for 445-470 MHZ. Completes complete with NMO cable, and mini-UHF connector.

$30 each shipped, or $150 for all.

JIM

562.690.8106

215. Re: TmV-7a programing????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: EricS61 <erics61@borg.collective.com>
Message-ID: <36165777.0@nntp2.borg.com>
Source record: 130276

Russ,
I maybe wrong, but I don't think that you can have four different sets of frequencies with the PM. All four PM settings use the same set of freq.'s. Also, if you have one frequency locked out in memory say in PM setting #1, then #2 thru #4 will also show that memory channel locked out. There's alot more to this, but even owning my for just over a year now, I still have to refer to the manual(carry it in the glovebox) frequently to adjust something.

Eric
N2JHJ

Russ Ouellette wrote in message <3616A58E.1B2218E1@sybercom.net>...
>I have the Tmv-7a and I'm trying to program the PM memory with a
>different set of freq's in channel 1 using the software and programing
>cable...it doesn't seem to take... has anyone tried this....if so what
>is your secret !
> thanks and 73 Russ
>

216. ***CUSHCRAFT AR-270B OPINIONS?***

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: teenham@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981003130114.24476.00004381@ng150.aol.com>
Source record: 130277

I'm thinking of buying one these dual band antennas used for $60. Any opinions on it? How good is the gain, reception, and everything else on the antenna? I'm going to mount it in my attic to replace my RS Wide-Band Discone (which I use for 440 MHz) and my 10 foot homemade 2m J-Pole. My 440 MHz range is simply *AWFULL*. On 5 watts and my discone, I get about 1.6 miles range in a moderatly hilly area, but on VHF it's alot better. Basicly, I'm looking for any thoughts and opinions on it. Also, how well does it receive out of band around 150-170 and 450-510 MHz? Does the gain immediatly drop when you exit the ham bands? Any opinions on the AR-270B are very much appriciated. Please post it here *AS WELL* as email me (yep..... AOL.....) Thanks alot!

73
Eugene
TeenHam@aol.com

217. (no subject)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Station Manager <steven.willers@rol3.com>
Message-ID: <36166B5B.7F58@rol3.com>
Source record: 130278
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.broadcasting.open,alt.radio.broadcasting,alt.radio.free,alt.radio.internet,alt.radio.pirate,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortave

Howdy from rainy Switzerland

Many thanks to all who kindly sent me reports on last weeks
tranmissions.
Looks like 3985Khz and 7120Khz are coming in very well all over Europe.
Wonder if any listeners can pick up our signal in the USA?!

SCHEDULE SCHEDULE SCHEDULE

This weekend you can hear the following stations:

RADIO WAVES INTERNATIONAL
It's always a pleasure to hear what's going on in the country
scene.Plenty
of chat and music keeps this station at the top of my list.

SWING WAVE RADIO
A brand new station!! Radio Wonderful from Germany and Radio Mystero
Ghost Planet
from Italy have teamed up together to bring a very interesting
show.Jasmine,The
Ghost and DJ Chris are all in full swing!

JOKES JOKES JOKES JOKES JOKES

This is a classic:

Two dwarfs decide to treat themselves to a vacation in Las Vegas.
At the hotel bar, they're dazzled by two women, and wind up
taking them to their separate rooms.

The first dwarf is disappointed, however, as he's unable to reach a
certain physical state that would enable him to join with his date.
His depression is enhanced by the fact that, from the next room he
hears cries of, "ONE, TWO, THREE...HUH!" all night long.

In the morning, the second dwarf asks the first, "How did it go?"
The first whispered back, "It was so embarrassing. I simply
couldn't get it up, if you know what I mean."

The second dwarf shook his head. "You think that's
embarrassing?" he asked. "I couldn't even jump up on the bed!"

And here's one from Alex in Germany:

Ein Mann kommt kurz vor 17 Uhr mit einem Messer im Bauch zum Arzt. Er
stï¿½hnt
merhmals: "Herr Doktor helfen Sie mir!" Der Arzt sagt, er hï¿½tte gleich
Feierabend.
Der Mann sagt erneut: "Herr Doktor helfen Sie mir!" Der Arzt ï¿½berlegt,
dann
zieht er das Messer aus dem bauch und sticht es dem Mann ins Auge. Dann
sagt
er: "Gehen Sie zum Augenarzt, der hat bis 18 Uhr geï¿½ffnet".

Keep the jokes coming people...

CHAT CHAT CHAT CHAT

Feel like a good chat with station DJ's and DX'ers? Then try out this
excellent chat room in the USA. Free Radio Network are behind this one.
Nice one guys!

http://www.frn.net/scripts/john/chat/chat.pl?logon

LISTEN TO THE WORLD VIA THE NET

This has to be one of the best sites around for listening to radio
stations
from all over the world.Just click on a country flag and hey presto!

http://www.comfm.fr/sites/tvdirect/index.html

That's all from me until next week.Enjoy life and keep on living.

Stevie

218. For sale: Santec ST-20T and accessories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Oakley <boakley@imagin.net>
Message-ID: <361659D9.7457@imagin.net>
Source record: 130279

I have an old Santec HT for sale. It needs a new battery pack, and a new lithium battery inside for memory retention. I have the box, instructions, and antenna. I have a drop in trickle charger that works well with it. I had planned to fix everything myself but do not have the money any longer. That is why Im selling it. Last time I used it it worked fine, plugged into a 12v power source. Would prefer to sell locally in the Dallas/Fort Worth area but if someone is willing to prepay, and pay shipping I would mail it. Im asking $35 dollars for the whole thing, buyer pays any shipping. Can only ship to U.S. WB5KXW
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Brian Oakley Icom@technologist.com

Page me on ICQ at: http://wwp.mirabilis.com/129633#pager

Homepage: http://www.imagin.net/~boakley

219. TS-520 question.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: NSacon <nsacon@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <01bdeef1$96c71380$d05833d1@default>
Source record: 130280

Can the TS520 run off 12 vdc without the optional PS? When I bought the radio the guy I bought it from said that the 12 vdc supply was built-in but the manual seems to say that some optional PS is needed. What's the story?

Neal KK7PA < nsacon@hotmail.com >

220. Motorola HT600 - help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: shawwarcop@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981003134256.04124.00005613@ng102.aol.com>
Source record: 130281

can anyone provide any programming info to put one of these on to 70cms

221. ZENITH Royal 1000 Trans Oceanic Radio!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: beauaa@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981003135038.09305.00009770@ng65.aol.com>
Source record: 130282

ZENITH 1000 ROYAL TRANS OCEANIC RADIO

NOW AT AUCTION ON EBAY
AUCTION CLOSES OCTOBER 9TH
THE FOLLOWING URL IS DIRECT ACCESS TO A *********PICTURE *******
OF THIS UNIQUE ITEM:

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=33581464

WHAT A FIND! THE 1957, ZENITH, 1ST
TRANSISTORIZED, WAVE MAGNET ROYAL
1000, TRANS OCEANIC RADIO! I have posted a number
of pictures of this wonderful radio, as I wanted you to see it from
every
possible angle. I am NOT familiar with radios, and what I know about
this one came from many helpful gentlemen on the usenet newsgroups.
I recently closed out my Mom's home, and found this radio that some
firm who was courting my Father's business gave this to him many,
many years ago. I vaguely recall all of us initially using it, but TV
was
in full swing, and in time it was put away seldom to be used after that.
Dad died in 1962, and it has been packed since that time. I initially
thought about keeping it, but since I don't equate it directly with Dad
since we seldom used it, and one can't keep everything, I am posting it
here, hoping it will find a loving, appreciative home.

It seems to have all the information it originally came with. There is
a
time booklet for all sorts of countries and maps - many of which no
longer exist under the name they were referred to in the 50's. It has a
built in antenna as you can see in one picture; it has a plastic
battery
case inside the radio that takes 9 D cell batteries. Since I now
nothing
about radios I don't know what else to tell you about it. It is 10 ½
inches tall by 12 ½ inches wide; by 4 ½ inched deep and weighs about
10 pounds.

The gentlemen who wrote me from the usenet newsgroups when I was
seeking information about this piece told me that it is highly prized
among collectors.

DON'T let this fantastic classic, 1st issue Trans Oceanic Transistorized
Radio make it YOURS OR buy it perhaps as a extraordinary surprise
for that special someone for this Christmas.. BID NOW AND MAKE IT

YOURS! Easily and safely shipped UPS

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Please visit our Great New Web Site:
ADMIRAL POSSUM FACE PEE POT�S ANTIQUES & COLLECTIBLES
at: http://www.admiralsantiques.com

You mean you don�t know what a Possum Faced Pee Pot is?

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222. INFO Needed ICOM R71000/TV-R7100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Richard L. Vecera" <vecera@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <36166B6B.E06B57E3@ibm.net>
Source record: 130283
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.scanner

I want to use an ICOM TV-R7100 (TV demodulator) with an ICOM R7000. This unit is almost identical to the TV-R7000. The TV-R7100 has a chip added for FM stereo and an AGC line that connects to a R7100 or R8500 receiver. I would like to get a schematic for the TV-R7100 and a partial schematic of a R7100 or R8500 showing where the AGC ties in so I can attach the TV-R71000 AGC line to a similar point in my R7000. Any help would be appreciated.

Thanks,
Dick

223. WTB: Collins SM-3

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Randy B." <rbkb8iii@erinet.com>
Message-ID: <6v5r2n$q@nntp1.erinet.com>
Source record: 130284
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I looking for a Collins SM-3 microphone if you have one you would like to
part with. Please let me know condition and price.
rbkb8iii@erinet.com

Thanks Randy
KB8III

224. Re: Fry's Electronics a "RIP OFF"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: jsm@n4vu.dyn.ml.org
Message-ID: <6v5p4vpqq1@n4vu.dyn.ml.org>
Source record: 130285
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Will White (wcw@asu.uswest.net) wrote:

> BTW, what has been others' experience shopping at TechAmerica: they are
> opening a new retail outlet here (PHX metro) this weekend, and from
> their catalog they look like almost Mouser or Digi-Key with a
> storefront.

Atlanta was the site of one of the first two stores. I don't know of
anyplace else you can find that many little components, over the
counter, with no hassle or minimum order. I hope they prosper.

With Radio Shack's increasing focus on consumer goods (and de-emphasis
on components), I wonder if Tandy plans eventually to split the
product line between RS and TA.

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John Miller, N4VU Linux! Offense should be in
'96 base model MCA #70258 short supply; so much
"Shiroi Kuruma" DoD #1942 more is taken than given

225. Re: TS-520 question.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: jsm@n4vu.dyn.ml.org
Message-ID: <6v5pak$q1p$1@n4vu.dyn.ml.org>
Source record: 130286

NSacon (nsacon@hotmail.com) wrote:
> Can the TS520 run off 12 vdc without the optional PS? When I bought the
> radio the guy I bought it from said that the 12 vdc supply was built-in but
> the manual seems to say that some optional PS is needed. What's the story?

Well, it's been about 20 years, but . . .

. . . the 12V supply is internal, not external. Whether it's already
inside all 520s is something I can't tell you, but I thought it was.
Hook up 12V and see if it fires up. Hearing a bit of hum while
operating on DC is normal for that rig.

--
John Miller, N4VU Linux! Offense should be in
'96 base model MCA #70258 short supply; so much
"Shiroi Kuruma" DoD #1942 more is taken than given

226. Re: Milliwatt RF Power Meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: larryc@northwest.com
Message-ID: <36167259.2152@northwest.com>
Source record: 130287

1/4 milliwatt is plenty of power for inexpensive counters. I hv an ancient Ramsey counter that is sensitive to -30dBm. Bought it thru Hamtronics.

several other options are:

* measure the RF voltage across a 50 ohm resistor load.
* buy an HP spectrum analyzer (complete with freq and power measuring options)
* buy an old HP transfer oscillator and read the freq off the Nixie tubes

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> In article <6ura0ipjl1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>, bill-mbi.weiss@sympatico.ca wrote:
> > Hello, I am building a very low rf output transmitter for short distance use
> > (50 meters max). We are sending data from sensors on patients to small
> > receiver that logs data such as temp, pulse rate, accelerometer info
> > (2-axis). The RF power is in the fraction of a milliwatt (.25-.75
> > milliwatts). Can anyone recommend an inexpensive (less than $500) digital rf
> > power and frequency meter?
>
> Bill-

227. FS/Swap Collins 270G-1 Speaker Super Condx

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: robert stohlman <rstohlman@centuryinter.net>
Message-ID: <01bdef01$8795f740$1d988ed1@uymfdlvk>
Source record: 130288

FS/Swap: Collins 270G-1 Speaker w/chrome strips, Colllins s/n model plate
on bottom, great condx. No longer using St James boxes....into Drake.
Offers?? Swaps?? Any Drake gear?? 2C?? R4B?? etc..

73 de Bob WB5QVN

228. FS: Antique transmitting tubes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "E.Billeci" <tube@teleport.com>
Message-ID: <361533A0.8C4@teleport.com>
Source record: 130289

Take a look at

http://www.teleport.com/~tube/transtubes.htm

tube@teleport.com

229. R71a Battery replacement

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: AMDX <AMDX@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01bdef11$af2d3560$1d4b460c@default>
Source record: 130290

I'm ready to replace the memory battery in my R71a.
It looks like the Ram unit unplugs from a 12 pin and
an 8 pin connector. My understanding is that I must
keep the memory powered to save it.

Do I remove the Ram unit, then apply 5v to the proper
points and proceed to replace the battery?

I have a noise from the display, I think, changing the
display brightness affects the noise. (A whine that
starts low and rises in frequency, then another starts
and this cycle continues).
Any thoughts about correcting this.

Also any common caps that should be replaced
before they cause problems?

Thanks
Mike

230. Re: Dell Computer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Phipps <sphipps@clandjop.com>
Message-ID: <6v61kj$44d@news1.newsguy.com>
Source record: 130291

That all depends upon how comfortable you are working on your own computer. Dell offers an excellent overnight parts replacement program during the first 3 years of ownership and lifetime technical support as standard services. If you're comfortable installing motherboards on your own, then there's no need for an extended warranty...

Dean, Greg wrote in message <6v310momi1@news-1.news.gte.net>...

>Do sign up for the extended warranty. It is only $90 for three years.
>Well worth the cost.

231. ICOM EQUIPMENT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Reaves <hamradio@wizzards.net>
Message-ID: <361691BD.74FB@wizzards.net>
Source record: 130292
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ICOM
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IC-PS-15 * Matching Power Supply for IC-271/740/745/751 Type Xcvrs.
H/D 20 Amp P/Supply in Factory Box / Like New $119.00

IC-AT-500 * Deluxe 1KW Auto Antenna Tuner / Works With any Brand Radio
Auto Band Switching with ICOM Radios / Very Clean $439.00 / NEW $995.00

IC-PS-200 / Small 8 Amp Power Supply
Made to Run Mobile Radios / or anythimg at 8 Amps / NEW $150.00
In Factory Box / Like New $ 49.00

IC-2AT * 2 Meter Hand Held Xcvr. Thumb Wheel Tuning 140 - 150 Mhz.
BP-3, Wall Charger, Rubber Duck / New DC-1 Adapter
This is an Oldy But Goody, Very Clean $125.00

IC-32AT * Deluxe H/Duty 2/440 dual Band Hand Held Xcvr.
Very Easy to Use, Can be modded to Xmit Wide Band / Out of Band
5 + Watt Hand Held . Has the Best Audio of Any HT / Low Intermod.
Very Clean and Works Great / Battery Pack, Rubber Duck and Leather Case
This is a Top Quality H/T VERY Hard to Find USED ! Just $239.00

"NEW" ICOM 2 METER MOBILE ~ CLOSE-OUT ~ Selling at Used Price !
IC-2000H * Deluxe 50 Watt 2 Meter FM Mobile Xcvr. * NEW * $189.00
Only one left at this price...

IC-3200H * FM DUAL BAND VHF/UHF MOBILE XCVR.
2 Meters 50 Watts & 35 Watts 440 Mhz. / Manual, DC Cable
DTMF Hand Mic, Mobile Bracket. - LIKE NEW !
Sale Priced Just $249.00 Call Now !

FL-32A * 500hz. CW Filter / IC-735/R70/71A/745/751 Many Models = $89.00
FL-52A * 500hz. CW Filter / 2nd. IF $119.00
FL-103 * 2.8Khz. SSB Wide Filter $75.00
MB-12 * Mobile Mounting Bracket / IC-71A $35.00
MB-18 * Mobile Mounting Bracket / IC-740/745/751 $40.00
OPC-118 * 24 pin to Din/Din Interface Cable $15.00 Ea.
IC-SM-6 Desk mic. $65.00 - Very Clean !
IC-SM-8 Deluxe Double Cable Desk Mic. $95.00 - Like New
DC-1 * DC Adapter - Pack for the IC-2at / 3at / 4at / SALE $29.00 / NEW
HM-9 * Deluxe Speaker/Mic. * New $40.00 / Demo $30.00

ICOM IC-706 * NEW Accessories * SALE *
OPC-581 * Separation Cable / NEW = $56.00
OPC-25 * H/D DC Cables for Most Model HF Radios $27.00
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OPC-596 * Accessory plug with wires $29.00
OPC-589 * 8 pin Mic. plug to Jack Adapter Cable / NEW = $33.00
OPC-599 * 7 + 8 Pin to 13 Pin adapter / $62.00
MB-62 * Mobile Mounting Bracket / NEW = $22.00
Only one each at this price.

Joe Reaves at HRE... (541) 479-1212
http://www.wizzards.net/hamradio

232. FS: Bencher YA-1 Low pass filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: ku7s@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981003173818.14579.00005869@ng-fa2.aol.com>
Source record: 130293

Selling new in box Bencher 1.5kw low pass filter. $50 shipped . KU7S@aol.com

233. 2m HT Amplifer NEW for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marc Robins <marc29400@vmicro.com>
Message-ID: <36169b64.0@news.vmicro.com>
Source record: 130294

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X-Newsreader: Microsoft Outlook Express for Macintosh - 4.01 (295)
Mime-version: 1.0
Content-type: text/plain; charset="US-ASCII"
Content-transfer-encoding: 7bit

2m HT Amplifer NEW for sale

2m HT power amplifier for sale. Radio Shack compact amplifier for mobile or
base operation. Includes receiver pre-amp built-in. 0.5-5w input gives up to

30w output. Operates on 13.8 vdc. NEW IN THE BOX! $50.
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234. Re: R71a Battery replacement

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Richard L. Vecera" <vecera@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <36169CC7.526AEA2C@ibm.net>
Source record: 130295

Mike,

About the RAM issue. I had forgotten about killing the radio by removing the battery.I thought that I was just going to have to reprogram the 32 memory channels. I bought the Willco replacement unit with all of the extras. I don't use any of them. I just wanted to be sure that next time the battery dies that the R71A does not die with it. Fifteen years from now I will have forgotten again. Directly to answer your question. At the time you are ready to unsolder the old battery from the RAM board, that is when you need to be sure to have external power applied. The R71A memory chips hold radio personality data alung with the 32 frequencies. Removing the battery will erase all info unless you have external power applied when the battery is removed. I said that twice to drive the point home.

Good luck,
Dick

AMDX wrote:
>
> I'm ready to replace the memory battery in my R71a.
> It looks like the Ram unit unplugs from a 12 pin and
> an 8 pin connector. My understanding is that I must
> keep the memory powered to save it.
>
> Do I remove the Ram unit, then apply 5v to the proper
> points and proceed to replace the battery?
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> I have a noise from the display, I think, changing the
> display brightness affects the noise. (A whine that
> starts low and rises in frequency, then another starts
> and this cycle continues).
> Any thoughts about correcting this.
>
> Also any common caps that should be replaced
> before they cause problems?
>
> Thanks
> Mike

235. Re: INFO Needed ICOM R71000/TV-R7100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Crocker <bcrocker@home.com>
Message-ID: <baxR1.1551$ej4.30212281@news.rdc1.mi.home.com>
Source record: 130296
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.scanner

Rich:

Try emailing: icomtech@compuserve.com Last time I checked, his name was Gary.

Bill Crocker

Richard L. Vecera wrote in message <36166B6B.E06B57E3@ibm.net>...
>I want to use an ICOM TV-R7100 (TV demodulator) with an ICOM R7000.
>This unit is almost identical to the TV-R7000. The TV-R7100 has a chip
>added for FM stereo and an AGC line that connects to a R7100 or R8500
>receiver. I would like to get a schematic for the TV-R7100 and a
>partial schematic of a R7100 or R8500 showing where the AGC ties in so
>I can attach the TV-R71000 AGC line to a similar point in my R7000. Any
>help would be appreciated.
>
>Thanks,
> Dick

236. Opinions wtd on Heath Kit 101 SSB transceiver...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: quinkman@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981003175432.12284.00006179@ng14.aol.com>
Source record: 130297

Looking for opinions on the Heath Kit 101 SSB tranceiver as far as experience with, approximate age and class within the HK line?

Thank you, Robert

237. Re: Motorola HT600 - help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan <n7wpd@inconnect.com>
Message-ID: <6v63i7$2k5$1@news.inconnect.com>
Source record: 130298

If it's UHF, propably a good chance it's 438-470.

Shawwarcop wrote in message <19981003134256.04124.00005613@ng102.aol.com>...
>
>can anyone provide any programming info to put one of these on to 70cms

238. Re: TS-520 question.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: NSacon <nsacon@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <01bdef19$fb1dd8a0$d05833d1@default>
Source record: 130299

Its a TS-520S with no little black box on the back of the radio. Does this mean that it won't run on 12 vdc? Why would th ts-520 work but not the 520S. I thought the only difference was the speech processor?

The manual has the wiring diagram for the 12 vdc power connector.

Anthony C. Cash <tonycash@worldnet.att.net> wrote in article <36167065.30AC8898@worldnet.att.net>...
> If it is just TS520 and not an S or SE it should run on 12 volts.
> If it has a little black box on the back of the radio with 2 large transistors
> (that you can see through the vents) inside it, then it will run on 12 volts
> DC.

239. Re: TS-520 question. CLARIFICATION

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: NSacon <nsacon@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <01bdef1b$5e117600$d05833d1@default>
Source record: 130300

Its a TS-520S, not a TS-520. Isn't the only difference the speech
processor?

NSacon <nsacon@hotmail.com> wrote in article
<01bdeef1$96c71380$d05833d1@default>...
> Can the TS520 run off 12 vdc without the optional PS? When I bought the
> radio the guy I bought it from said that the 12 vdc supply was built-in
but
> the manual seems to say that some optional PS is needed. What's the
story?
>
> Neal KK7PA < nsacon@hotmail.com >
>

240. Re: INFO Needed ICOM R71000/TV-R7100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve@swssec.com
Message-ID: <3616a893.925278@news3.ibm.net>
Source record: 130301
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.scanner

On Sat, 03 Oct 1998 13:22:35 -0500, "Richard L. Vecera"
<vecera@ibm.net> wrote:

>I want to use an ICOM TV-R7100 (TV demodulator) with an ICOM R7000.
>This unit is almost identical to the TV-R7000. The TV-R7100 has a chip
>added for FM stereo and an AGC line that connects to a R7100 or R8500
>receiver. I would like to get a schematic for the TV-R7100 and a
>partial schematic of a R7100 or R8500 showing where the AGC ties in so
>I can attach the TV-R71000 AGC line to a similar point in my R7000. Any
>help would be appreciated.

Ignore the AGC line. It's not needed and comes into play only on
strong signals which you rarely encounter.

The TV-R7100 will work fine on the R7000 by just leaving the AGC line
floating.

Steve

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Steve Uhrig, SWS Security, Maryland (USA)
Mfrs of electronic surveillance equip
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tel +1+410-879-4035, fax +1+410-836-1190
"In God we trust, all others we monitor"
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241. Re: Vanity Automobile License Plates

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Patrick Wilson <pw@i2020.net>
Message-ID: <_lyR1.3590$Xm.4677721@firenze.visi.net>
Source record: 130302

Well, when was the last time you heard a WE call? I have never heard of
one.

WA
WB
WN

but never WE.......

Should have know it weren't a hammer.

Pat
W4PW

Martin Brown wrote in message <361513EB.7AC6@garlic.com>...
>WILLIAM W MUNSIL wrote:
>>
>> Then there was the liense plate - WE3FLY.
>>
>> Turned out not to be a HAM plate at all - three folks in the family had
pilot's
>> licenses so it read We three Fly.
>
>....
>
>This wouldn't happen in California. I checked for my call sign on the
>vanity plate website a few months ago and was told that it wouldn't be
>allowed since it could be a valid ham callsign. HAM plates are not
>vanity plates and apparently you can't get a vanity plate with anything
>that would be a valid call sign.

242. HELP Surplus Generator Manuals Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stuart Cole <stuartac@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <3616A5EA.B849A2EF@earthlink.net>
Source record: 130303

HELP!

I AM APPEALING TO ALL HAMS WHO MIGHT HAVE PROCURRED A 10KW GENERATOR
THRU THE MARS SURPLUS PROPERTY PROGRAM OR THRU A SURPLUS SALE.

THE GENERATOR IS A MODEL 4A084-III FSN 6115-00-889-1447
THE TECHNICAL MANUAL IS TM5-6115-275-12

THE GASOLING ENGINE IS THE SAME MODEL AS THE GENERATOR AND THE FSN IS
2805-00-872-5972. THE TECHNICIAL MANUAL IS TM5-2805-259-14P &24P.

I NEED THE TECHNICIAL MANUALS FOR BOTH THE ENGINE AND THE GENERATOR
I WILL BE WILLING TO PAY COPING COSTS. PLEASE EMAIL IF YOU HAVE EITHER
MANUAL.

THANKS

EMAIL STUART COLE, N5LBZ AT scole@juno.com

243. RE: PRO 2021 resistor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: urei@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981003184608.09054.00002877@ng12.aol.com>
Source record: 130304

In regard to the resistor problem in the PRO 2021, In mine R134 is RED, RED, ORANGE, GOLD. Sorry, I can never remember how the colors relate to value, and I can't find my Resist-o-guide. Let me know how you make out. Urei@aol.com

244. Re: Vanity Automobile License Plates

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Pemble <pemble@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6v69j9$jt0@sjx-ixn10.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 130305

Vanity program allows you to choose any valid callsign for your license
class. WE3FLY is available to any license class novice and higher.

I just got WR4ATV for my atv repeater club.

cheers

rick W4RP

Patrick Wilson wrote in message <_lyR1.3590$Xm.4677721@firenze.visi.net>...
>Well, when was the last time you heard a WE call? I have never heard of
>one.
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>WA
>WB
>WN
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>but never WE.......
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>Should have know it weren't a hammer.
>
>Pat
>W4PW
>
>Martin Brown wrote in message <361513EB.7AC6@garlic.com>...
>>WILLIAM W MUNSIL wrote:
>>>
>>> Then there was the liense plate - WE3FLY.
>>>
>>> Turned out not to be a HAM plate at all - three folks in the family had
>pilot's
>>> licenses so it read We three Fly.
>>
>>....
>>
>>This wouldn't happen in California. I checked for my call sign on the
>>vanity plate website a few months ago and was told that it wouldn't be
>>allowed since it could be a valid ham callsign. HAM plates are not
>>vanity plates and apparently you can't get a vanity plate with anything
>>that would be a valid call sign.
>
>

245. Re: Milliwatt RF Power Meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: CommQuart <commquart@erols.com>
Message-ID: <6v6asr$o47$1@winter.news.erols.com>
Source record: 130306

You should be able to pickup a good Boonton RF millivoltmeter
with rf probe and 50 ohm adaptor for under $150 dollars. Use a
power attentuator to bring the readings within your requirements.
This will give you readings in dBm which is easily converter to mW.
Or, look for a Boonton Microwatter with a good RF head. Again,
you may need a power attenuator, but your readings will be direct
in mW. Either unit should run under 200 dollars, and will give lab
accuracy. Regarding frequency, look for a good used HP counter.

Pete

>> In article <6ura0ipjl1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>, bill-mbi.weiss@sympatico.ca
wrote:
>> > Hello, I am building a very low rf output transmitter for short
distance use
>> > (50 meters max). We are sending data from sensors on patients to small
>> > receiver that logs data such as temp, pulse rate, accelerometer info
>> > (2-axis). The RF power is in the fraction of a milliwatt (.25-.75
>> > milliwatts). Can anyone recommend an inexpensive (less than $500)
digital rf
>> > power and frequency meter?
>>
>> Bill-

246. FS: Motorola SVA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Electech <MI59@sprintmail.com>
Message-ID: <3616AAB9.54FC400@sprintmail.com>
Source record: 130307

Saber vehicle adapter new in the box. MOT# NTN5487B includes
microphone, mounting brackets , installation cables and literature.
$225.00 shipping included. UPS COD.
Money order only.. Pls reply if interested. thanks.

247. Is HAM REPAIR CO.in Caretersville,Ga ok?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: fun4sume@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981003194015.20700.00005755@ng142.aol.com>
Source record: 130308

Hi,can anyone tell me if they know of a ham radio repair company called
HAM RADIO REPAIR IN CARTERSVILLE,GA and if so have they ever delt with them and
how did they like?

248. Re: TS-520 question.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: mailfrmpa@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981003195002.10084.00005793@ng06.aol.com>
Source record: 130309

The original model TS-520 had the 12 pwr supply built in. You will see a large-ish black box in the middle of the back panel if yours is so equiped. A seperate power cord was supplied to mate with the correct pins of the xcvr-mounted socket.

The TS-520S deleted the 12v supply, and the TS-520SE (E for economy) deleted the heater switch, since with no provision to run off batteries, the power savings realised by de-energising the tube heaters was superfluous.

KMB

249. Re: TS-520 question.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tony Giroux <agiroux@mail.cvn.net>
Message-ID: <3616AD3B.450E601C@mail.cvn.net>
Source record: 130310

The TS-520S does not have the 12VDC converter "built in". It is an add
oin device that must be purchased separately. It's a vented black box
that attached to the back of the radio.

Tony -- KF3BX (I've owned a 520S for 18 years)

NSacon wrote:

> Its a TS-520S with no little black box on the back of the radio. Does this
> mean that it won't run on 12 vdc? Why would th ts-520 work but not the
> 520S. I thought the only difference was the speech processor?
>
> The manual has the wiring diagram for the 12 vdc power connector.
>
> Anthony C. Cash <tonycash@worldnet.att.net> wrote in article
> <36167065.30AC8898@worldnet.att.net>...
> > If it is just TS520 and not an S or SE it should run on 12 volts.
> > If it has a little black box on the back of the radio with 2 large
> transistors
> > (that you can see through the vents) inside it, then it will run on 12
> volts
> > DC.

250. Ham gear wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOHN WARD <HITECH@EROLS.COM>
Message-ID: <6v6k8jgmv1@winter.news.erols.com>
Source record: 130311
Cross-posted to: att.ham-radio,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.spa

wanted any ham equipment you are not using for ham radio class at suitland high school in maryland tax deduction provided if needed its for the kids. I you want to help please response thanks John AkA W3OJ

251. Anyone still love the hobby

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOHN WARD <HITECH@EROLS.COM>
Message-ID: <6v6l5mlhj1@winter.news.erols.com>
Source record: 130312
Cross-posted to: att.ham-radio,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.spa

Just courious is anyone still enjoy the hobby? If so get on the air and
make some contacts encourage someone else to join the hobby and realize it
is a hobby and not a career. 73's DE W3OJ

PS. Help some young one along the way!!!!!!

252. Re: Fry's Electronics a "RIP OFF"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Unassigned <ceyoung@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6v6hrrpgf1@news-1.news.gte.net>
Source record: 130313
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,ba.music,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

clintbrad4d@earthlink.net wrote:

> In article <36127890.52A2@midusa.net>,
> kb0yev@midusa.net wrote:
>
> > As a note you are "subjected to an inspection" when you leave a Sam's
> > Club.
>
> And CompUSA...and Home Depot...
>
> Some folks just like to vent in these newsgroups. Nothing intelligent to say,
> just bitch and moan and gripe about anything in particular. I guess it's the
> anonimity of the keyboard. And part of the price we all have to pay for
> accessing the Internet.
>
> - Clint Bradford
>
> -----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

Really? I shop both stores in Plano, Tx and have never been subjected to a
search.

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"Americans don't expect an apostle in the White House.
But they do expect an adult." -- Newsweek, 2/2/98 p.29

Polls seem to project otherwise, but I expect a responsible
adult not a adulterer.

CE Young
ceyoung@gte.net

253. Re: Fry's Electronics a "RIP OFF"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Unassigned <ceyoung@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6v6ijepgf2@news-1.news.gte.net>
Source record: 130314
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,ba.music,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Thomas Gigear wrote:

> Berry Kercheval wrote:
> >
> >
> > You've never walked out of Fry's with a full shopping cart but without the
> > 128 meg of SIMMs the cashier "forgot" to get for you, have you?
> >
>
> No! I'm not that stupid! If I buy 128 meg of SIMMs I make sure I know
> EXACTLY where they are before I leave the store!
>
> The owners of Frys are known to be some of the cheapest people in
> existance. They would never in a million years pay employees (even the
> minimum wage that they pay them) to make sure you got all your stuff.
> The ONLY thing they care about is that you don't take more than you
> bought. THE ONLY THING!
>
> You are either a company TROLL like the last guy said or you are so
> naive its funny. I'm tending toward the TROLL theory... Hard to imagine
> anyone that naive.
>
> --
> Tom Gigear

Tom said, "Hard to imagine anyone that naive." No, Tom, it's not that hard to imagine anyone that naive.<Big Grin> I was in a network course sometime back and the instructor unplugged the cable from one of the system NICs whereupon he dropped to the floor and pronounced loudly that he'd lost the "token" (we were discussing token rings) and that if he didn't find it the network would would be down until he could purchase another one and pass it aound the network. Five other people in the room immediately jumped up and started searching for the lost token -- I left the room for a laugh break !!

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CE Young
ceyoung@gte.net

254. Re: INFO Needed ICOM R71000/TV-R7100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Richard L. Vecera" <vecera@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <3616E200.D77F38CA@ibm.net>
Source record: 130315
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.scanner

Thanks to those who have responded with this answer. That is what the
previous owner told me. I just believe that the unit will work better
under all circumstances if the AGC is hooked up.

Steve Uhrig wrote:
>
> On Sat, 03 Oct 1998 13:22:35 -0500, "Richard L. Vecera"
> <vecera@ibm.net> wrote:
>
> >I want to use an ICOM TV-R7100 (TV demodulator) with an ICOM R7000.
> >This unit is almost identical to the TV-R7000. The TV-R7100 has a chip
> >added for FM stereo and an AGC line that connects to a R7100 or R8500
> >receiver. I would like to get a schematic for the TV-R7100 and a
> >partial schematic of a R7100 or R8500 showing where the AGC ties in so
> >I can attach the TV-R71000 AGC line to a similar point in my R7000. Any
> >help would be appreciated.
>
> Ignore the AGC line. It's not needed and comes into play only on
> strong signals which you rarely encounter.
>
> The TV-R7100 will work fine on the R7000 by just leaving the AGC line
> floating.
>
> Steve
>
> **
> Steve Uhrig, SWS Security, Maryland (USA)
> Mfrs of electronic surveillance equip
> mailto:Steve@swssec.com website http://www.swssec.com
> tel +1+410-879-4035, fax +1+410-836-1190
> "In God we trust, all others we monitor"
> **

255. icom t8a naming question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: WebMonkey <address@below.com>
Message-ID: <3616E2BC.354E@below.com>
Source record: 130316
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

anyone have a guess why you only get 4 alpha characters when naming
memory channels?
seems they could fit 6. oh well
--
A.C. Curtis
KBï¿½WLF

mailto:demoman@rollanet.org
http://www.rollanet.org/~demoman

256. NEW YAESU 2/70 Dualband Transceiver FT 90

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: TELCOM-GmbH.HV@t-online.de
Message-ID: <6v63e3$9n1$1@news00.btx.dtag.de>
Source record: 130317

Go and see the first picture of YAESU FT 90 small size dualband transceiver. More details will arrive soon

http://www.telcom-gmbh.com/news.htm

enjoy it

257. WTT - VX-1R Full Receive - Unblocked

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Randy Zaleschuk <**randyz@telusplanet.net>
Message-ID: <6v6uk6$g17@priv-sys04-le0.telusplanet.net>
Source record: 130318
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.mods,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

I Would like to trade my Yaesu VX-1R (rev A102) for a Kenwood TH-G71A.

The VX-1R has extended TX & RX and is in good condition includes original box, accessories and manual.

Possibly consider cash sale... email me.

73

Randy VE6RJZ
randyz@telusplanet.net
ve6rjz@rac.ca
ve6rjz@hotmail.com

258. Re: Tech America

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jones <Jones@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <3617069A.70A@nomail.com>
Source record: 130319
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

T E I X E I R A wrote:
>
> I have used Tech America Mail order....No Sales Tax! They have
> excellent sales also....They are selling the Alinco Credit Card sized 2
> meter & 70 cm ht with speaker mike for $79.

In Phoenix they had a full page ad in the Phoenix Republic with a circulation of 500,000+ and that ht was prominently pictured. I suspect they will sell many to non hams. Thats a good way to get the bands populated....

259. Re: Heathkit HW-101 for a beginner??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jones <Jones@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <36170933.2E93@nomail.com>
Source record: 130320

> Is an Heathkit a good HF starter rig for a HF beginner? I'd love to hear what
> anyone has to say (both good and bad) about this rig. Also, what is the most
> you might pay for one in good condition...if you'd even buy one that is.
> Thanks!
> -\/\/ard--KB9TFF

Yes I'd say it would work fine for a beginner. Be sure to tune it by the
manual, as those old rigs didn't shut down like the new ones, they just
smoked tubes. With power supply I'd guess a good clean working one would
get $150 plus or minus.

260. Search parts IC281 Icon

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: F&#65533;bio Antonio Casagrande <fbighouse@usa.net>
Message-ID: <01bdef11$a64898e0$c4d06b8f@Frajola.ansp.br>
Source record: 130321

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I am search Ic281 Parts....
-front panel with or without LCD
-service docs
Please send me informations. Thanks
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F&#65533;bio Antonio Casagrande - PU2THN - S&#65533;o Paulo - Brasil
fbighouse@usa.net

261. WTD Dead or alive Scanti/Debeg

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: John and Rachel <allofus@es.co.nz>
Message-ID: <907363625.868202@Chaos.es.co.nz>
Source record: 130340

looking for Scanti R 5000 or R5001 and DEBEG E7313 Receiver.. Going or
just parts.
John allofus@es.co.nz

262. FS: Yaesu NC-50 One Hour Dual Slot Battery Charger

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: jcsarp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981002212203.02882.00000188@ng127.aol.com>
Source record: 130341

This Yaesu NC-50 one hour dual slot battery charger is in mint condition with the original box and operating instructions. Included in this package are the optional Yaesu CA-14 and CA-10 charging adapters. These adapters will allow you to charge all of the available battery packs for the following Yaesu radios: FT-50, FT-10, FT-40, FT-51, FT-11, FT-41. The NC-50 will rapid charge your battery in one hour and then switch to trickle charge. It will then automatically charge the 2nd battery pack if you have one inserted in slot # 2. Price for the complete package is $75.00 plus shipping. E-mail adress: jcsarp@aol.com

263. antenna mounts for luggage rack - help!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Interested Party <Nospam@fcc.gov>
Message-ID: <6v41l3$o38@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 130342
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I need a luggage rack antenna mount for my Chevy Venture minivan. I will be mounting a PL-259 base dual band Comet antenna. Anyone have any experience with mounting antennas on the Venture?

Reply to group, and/or email me at:
LHSudduth@worldnet.att.net

Thanks
Lawrence

264. OLD RESISTORS FOR SALE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: nlg281w@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981002222413.14617.00001012@ng50.aol.com>
Source record: 130343

HAMILTON
NEW 25 WATT FILAMENT DROPPING RESISTORS 5 OHMS TO 133 OHNS
$24.00 EACH RARE HARD TO FIND ALSO HAVE MANY OTHER NEW PARTS.
FOR SALE

NORMAN 508-7983517 WORCESTER, MASS
NLG@GIS.NET.

265. OLD RESISTORS FOR SALE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: nlg281w@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981002222524.14617.00001013@ng50.aol.com>
Source record: 130344

HAMILTON
NEW 25 WATT FILAMENT DROPPING RESISTORS 5 OHMS TO 133 OHNS
$24.00 EACH RARE HARD TO FIND ALSO HAVE MANY OTHER NEW PARTS.
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266. FS: Yaesu FT50 RD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: prime135@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981002230846.01520.00004944@ng104.aol.com>
Source record: 130345

Yaesu FT 50 RD, 5W battery, wall charger, like new condition, only had it out of the house once. $275

Contact prime135@aol.com

267. Re: Problem with Cushcrft beam

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <361b96be.7506112@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 130346
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Thu, 01 Oct 1998 21:10:54 -0400, Mike Pendergast <pender@gte.net> wrote:
>I am using a Cushcraft 3-element tribander and have suddenly developed a
>problem with garbbled transmissions. I get good signal reports with my
>vertical antenna and I get good signal strength reports on the beam but
>the voice can not be understood. The problem just started one week ago.
>Does anyone have any suggestions on what the problem is and what migth
>be done to cure the problem. The only change I have made in my shack is
>that I have moved my computer closer to my rig and feed lines. Could
>this be the problem?
> I would appreciate any help on this. Thanks a lot
>Mike KT4AN

About the only way an antenna can cause garbled transmissions is
if it is causing RF feedback into the rig's audio stages. I don't see
how moving the computer could give you "hot shack" problems,
but you may have created a ground loop somehow when you wired
things up. If you aren't using a balun at the antenna, then a change
in the effective path length to ground for the common mode currents
could cause you hot shack problems. (If you're using a balun, you
shouldn't have common mode currents.)

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

268. Icom radio and heathkit Amp for trade or sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: gb636@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6v44t3$f0e@dfw-ixnews8.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 130347

I have a Icom 730 HF radio and a Heathkit SB-200 1.2 Kw amp and a 2 kw tuner. I am willing to trade or sale. I am looking for a laptop at least a 266 Mhz. with a built in cd and 32 Mb ram and at least 2 gigbyte hard drive...Or a desktop 300 Mhz with cd and at least 32 Mb ram and at least 3 gigbyte hard drive.

Please e-mail me..Thanks

269. Kenwood TS-440SAT $650.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: morinm@csdgs.qc.ca
Message-ID: <6v42d4$7fr$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 130348

Built in antenna tuner. 10 hz display resolution.
Excellent condition. +100 watts output all bands.
General coverage transmit and receive.
1.8 khz narrow ssb filter included. Can also take cw filter.
Instruction manual and photocopy of service manual with schematics.
MC-43S stock hand microphone.
PLL unlock problem has been fixed 3 years ago.
Original box and packing material.
Reason for sale, I want to get a TS-850SAT.
Picture of the radio in operation available on request.
Was upper middle class when it came out.

Asking $650.U.S. firm including shipping and insurance.

Michel Morin VE2CJW
Quebec, Canada.

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

270. Daiwa CN-101L swr/power meter new $70.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: morinm@csdgs.qc.ca
Message-ID: <6v47sm$40c$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 130349

This meter is brand new in the box and covers 1.8 to 150 mhz. It is lighted,
has cross needles and measures PEP and AVERAGE power on 3 scales up to 1.5 KW.
I will ship it fully insured to your door for $70. U.S.
The first ham who accepts the deal gets it.
Getting tired of waiting for email which doesn't come.

73 de Michel Morin
VE2CJW

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http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

271. Re: Kenwood TM-631A ebay alert

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: rhawk@megabits.net
Message-ID: <3615a4a8.3028555@news.megabits.net>
Source record: 130350

On Sat, 03 Oct 1998 05:42:46 GMT, km5rt@ticnet.com wrote:

>On Thu, 01 Oct 1998 16:47:42 GMT, rjb@interactive.net (RJB) wrote:
>
>>Kenwood 631A on Ebay

DILLIGAF

>>Go to:http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=32454305
>
>********remove nospam to reply*********
>see ya on the bands

272. Re: Problem with Cushcrft beam

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Williams <williamsjg@erols.com>
Message-ID: <3615ACB6.1D69@erols.com>
Source record: 130351
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Mike Pendergast wrote:
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> Does anyone have any suggestions on what the problem is and what migth
> be done to cure the problem. The only change I have made in my shack is
> that I have moved my computer closer to my rig and feed lines. Could
> this be the problem?
> I would appreciate any help on this. Thanks a lot
> Mike KT4AN
Sounds like rf in the coax to me, try another ground off the radio at
1/4 wave length.
Good luck
de AA3NP

273. WTB 10M Mobile Rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Payne <lapayne@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <6v49jsmra1@fir.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 130352

Wish to buy used 10 meter mobile rig. Reply with offering to
lapayne@earthlink.net or 706 321 1216

73s K6UNT

274. FS: KENWOOD TS 930S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Williams <williamsjg@erols.com>
Message-ID: <3615ADDF.4195@erols.com>
Source record: 130353

KENWOOD TS 930S, RADIO IS AND 8 ON A SCALE OF 10. 1-THROUGH 160
BUILT IN POWER SUPPLY, 100+ WATTS OUT
INCLUDES D104 MIKE, GREAT SOUNDING RADIO
ORIGINAL MANUAL AND BOX.
$700

275. Timewave DSP Unit Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Branch <k4nr@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <01bdee89$d17b7060$2cae1b26@default>
Source record: 130354

Greetings,

I came across a Timewave unit at a recent Hamfest. I'm trying to identify the model and chase down a copy of an owner's manual.

The unit says "Timewave" in the upper left corner, has a pair of leds and a headphone jack on the far left. I has a gain control, a selector switch, and a couple of multi-purpose switches. The back has line-in, line-out, speaker, aux I/O, and a power connector. I think it's one of their first DSP units.

Can anyone identify the unit and/or provide a copy of an owner's manual? I'll pay copying and mailing costs.

TU es 73 de Tom, K4NR

276. Ham/Police Web Site

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: terryh@iamerica.net
Message-ID: <6v4doespq4@news1.iamerica.net>
Source record: 130355

http://cust.iamerica.net/terryh/

73's
Terry KC5SLL

277. Help: Removing HF Noise in Toyota Pick Up...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bart Hackemack <hackembl@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3615D1AD.B7A6E5@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 130356
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I am looking for some information regarding suppressing what appears to be
ignition noise in my 1992 Toyota Pick Up. I am running an IC706-MKII in the PU.
I can only work signals approximately S9 or higher while driving, on all bands.

Noise: When the PU is at rest, the 706 does not "hear" noise with the noise blanker on,
even when the motor is rev'ed to rather high RPM's. However, when driving, the 706
hears what appears to be ignition noise. I've tried disconnecting the coax (thinking that the
noise may be entering the rig via the power cable but disconnecting the coax removes the
noise.

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Body parts to Frame, Tailpipe (3 places) to frame, bumpers to frame, motor to frame
(4 places), gas tank to frame (2 places), hood to body, etc. I have placed torroids on
the power cables, bypass capacitor on the primary coil wire, tried grounding and removing
the ground from the rig. I have replaced the motor to firewall ground. All connections have
been made by using a hobby drill to remove paint. I have also checked for grounds existing
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connection. Oh, yea, I have replaced the Wires with a good set (well they are supposed
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rotor. I have removed the drive belt to the alternator to see if the noise is really alternator
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very little noise when the PU is in motion.

Other strangeness: I have done some snooping around with a shortwave radio and a
coil of wire for an antenna. I have noticed that the body appears to be radiating
what appears to be ignition noise.

Question: Does anyone have any experience elliniating noise with a Toyota Pick Up?
Any help with this would be greatly appreciated.

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Bart Hackemack
hackembl@ix.netcom.com
TRA #5213
KN6PL

278. Kenwood AT-50 Automatic Ant tuner for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: qin2@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981003075028.17808.00009440@ng91.aol.com>
Source record: 130357

Kenwood AT-50 Automatic antenna tuner for Kenwood TS-50. Excellent condition
with all original paperwork , packing , cables and box . $250 firm.
Includes shipping . Rob KB2VX

279. eprom emulator software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: mariolini@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <6v56vq$b2$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 130358

I `m try to finde eprom emulator software without hardware. I`m try to emulate 27c512 , 70ns.

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

280. REQ: Motorola Battery Date code chart

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: klo1937@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981003080749.04963.00003684@ng132.aol.com>
Source record: 130359

Does anyone have a current Motorola Date code conversion chart?

281. Re: Fry's Electronics a "RIP OFF"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Will White <wcw@asu.uswest.net>
Message-ID: <36160826.D003CA7@asu.uswest.net>
Source record: 130360
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Ditto, seconded, yes!

While prices may be somewhat better on some items, I have discovered that Fry's likes to sell returned, opened, and defective merchandise as new. Casually looking throught their stock of 900MHz telephgones recently, it was hard to find a *single* unit of *any* model that was not a open box. And yes, their staff is, if not always rude and oblivious to customers, incompetent and ignorant of the products they sell. Forget Fry's. Anywhere there is a Fry's, there are a half-dozen other stores that carry all of Fry's product line, new, working, at good prices, and with service to boot.
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Will White, KD7BFX

282. Re: Fry's Electronics a "RIP OFF"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Will White <wcw@asu.uswest.net>
Message-ID: <36160A87.AD8FF9B9@asu.uswest.net>
Source record: 130361
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Here in PHX, I am fortunate to have at least the other half-dozen major national electronics retailers (Circuit City, Best Buy, et al.) as well as many specialty and commercial parts and "communications" outlets. CD's batteries, and sealed brand-name electronic parts are all I trust Fry's for.

BTW, what has been others' experience shopping at TechAmerica: they are opening a new retail outlet here (PHX metro) this weekend, and from their catalog they look like almost Mouser or Digi-Key with a storefront.
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Will White, KD7BFX

283. FS: Transmitting and Other Tubes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: MLJS45A@prodigy.com
Message-ID: <6v57ki$6d3g$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 130362

FS:Transmitting and Other Tubes

I've accumulated some power and miniature transmitting and other tubes.
All are new in original boxes unless noted. Here's the list:

(4) VT4-C/211, 1 new RCA, all others used GE. The used tubes have
excellent large getters, with little or no sign of use, may even be
new. The new tube is date coded as WW II vintage and in original
packing and box. Note: These tubes are tested for filament continuity
only, but are certainly
good, and I'll stand behind them of course.
New RCA - $175.00, used GE - $59.00 ea. (AES gets $165.00 for new)

(3) 4-125A/4D21, 2 are Eimac, one is a GE. All apppear new. I have no

way to test them (I'm not a Ham), but I'll gladly return your money if

you aren't satisfied. I also have one new socket for these tubes which
I'll toss in. AES gets $124.70, my price is $69.00 ea.

(6) new 8068 GE beam pentode pass tubes, octal base w/plate cap, 6.3

volt heaters, 35 watt plate dissipation, all new in original boxes,
AES wants $50.00, I'd like $29.00 ea.

(1) 2C39 GE JAN original box and packing, AES gets $77.80, my price
$52.00

(13) new GL-2E24 RCA, GE $5.00 ea.

(3) 2E26 RCA $4.50 ea.

(2) new RCA 6146W/7212 $14.50 ea.

(1) new RCA 6146A $14.00

(3) new 807, 2 JAN GE/Hytron, 1 Westinghouse, original boxes, $11.00
ea.

(4) 807 RCA, 2 JAN @ $12.50 ea., 2 regular RCA @ $12.00 ea. All 4 for
$45.00

(2) used 807, test near new, $6.00 ea.

(8) 12BY7/A RCA $10.00 ea.

(10) 12BY7/A mostly GE $7.50 ea.

(6) 5763 RCA power pentodes $7.50 ea. Good used for $3.50 ea.

(2) 5823 RCA gas triodes $15.00 ea.

(1) 7061 GE beam power tube $2.00

(1) 7551 ECG beam power tube $4.50

(1) 7695 GE power tube $2.50

Many other tubes available, including a few sweep tubes. Shipping is free in the USA with a $50.00 purchase. Please e-mail me if you are interested. Thanks!

Jim McShane
MLJS45A@prodigy.com

284. FS/Swap:

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: robert stohlman <rstohlman@centuryinter.net>
Message-ID: <01bdeecf$d2f42ae0$59988ed1@uymfdlvk>
Source record: 130363

Collins 270G-1 Speaker..Super condx. Offers?? Trades??

73 de WB5QVN Bob

285. Re: Help: Removing HF Noise in Toyota Pick Up...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: w4nti@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6v5bkv$428$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 130364
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In article <3615D1AD.B7A6E5@ix.netcom.com>,
hackembl@ix.netcom.com wrote:
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> Toyota Pick Up?
> Any help with this would be greatly appreciated.
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> --
> Bart Hackemack
> hackembl@ix.netcom.com
> TRA #5213
> KN6PL
>
> Sound's like you have done your homework. Now put a in-line filter on
the line going to your electronic fuel pump. Radio shack may still sell
them. Or build one yourself.

--
Dan/W4NTI

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

286. Re: FT1000MP Do you love it or not!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stephen Cornell <stephencornell@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <361628AC.EC4E618E@ibm.net>
Source record: 130365

Difficult to choose between the 950SDX and the 1000MP is high paise indeed.
I have a IC775 and a 1000MP and I also would be hard pressed to choose..
The MP is much less expensive than either the 775 or 950SDX...
These are all fine radios and it boils down to the features that are important to
you...
73
Steve W8KZY

Richard Lubash wrote:

> In article <6urrkg$nj8$1@mtc1.mtcnet.net>
> "Mike King KM0T" <scsueepe@mtcnet.net> writes:
>
> > Hi all,
> >
> > I have done all the reading I can find, and the direction is the FT1000MP
> > for a rig selection. Do you love the thing or not...your opinions are
> >.......
>
> I have a MP and a TS-950SDX and would be hard pressed if I had to
> choose. Lots of luck with your decision.
>
> 73
>
> Richard / N1VXW
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>
> Richard Lubash
> N1VXW
> email XXXXrlubash@poco.mv.com
> --
> ATTENTION: To stop that pesky junk mail I have
> put the prefix (XXXX) at the front of my email address. To reply
> remove (XXXX)

287. ts950sd

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: kathryn harris <kathu@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6v59fe$6ob@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 130366

for sale, like new!!!!! all manuals...150 watts , $1550!!!!
de ko4ae, 'walt'

288. WTB-SP940 Speaker+Keyboard TS940SAT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: icstars@nmia.com
Message-ID: <36192a47.2046168@news.nmia.com>
Source record: 130367

Looking for a SP940 Speaker in box with manual.
Need a new or in excellent shape TS940SAT keyboard.

Thanks, KB5XE

289. wtb: Crystals for HW-202

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: William Erhardt <erhardt@mt.net>
Message-ID: <njqR1.46$DK1.144244@news2.randori.com>
Source record: 130368

Does anyone know a source for xmit/rcv crystals (144.390) for a HW-202 - I know some are laughing, but will use it here at my QTH for gateway to internet/link to the digipeater up on Belmont Mountain (7400 feet) where we now have a 50 watt digipeater for APRS. This will also hear the Bozeman, Great Falls, and Missoula Montana digi's. Should give us good coverage.

Bill KA7YAO

290. Re: Help: Removing HF Noise in Toyota Pick Up...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Prof. Curt M. Breneman" <brenec@rpi.edu>
Message-ID: <361625E8.61C3@rpi.edu>
Source record: 130369
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Bart Hackemack wrote:
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> TRA #5213
> KN6PL

Bart,

Have you tried grounding "dangles" which used to be on older cars to periodically discharge any static charge on the body of the car? I haven't seen any of these for years, but it seems as if you only have this problem when the car is in motion. Is this assumption true?

Curt Breneman
KC2EBP

291. FS KNWD R599D/T599D $325

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: k8rajerry@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981003104845.06032.00005599@ng05.aol.com>
Source record: 130370

I have aN absolutely beautiful pair of Kenwood twins - R599D / T599D

These truly are collector qualify. They are perfect on the front panel. There is a small rub along the top corner of the receiver but very minor. The units work perfectly.

I have the original boxes, the manuals and the transceive cable is with them.

Price $325. plus a little shipping.

Jerry K8RA
Jerry K8RA e-mail: PittengJ@Battelle.org
Powell, Ohio

292. Ten Tec 238 Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: chickenfuz@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981003111804.03740.00003232@ng-fb1.aol.com>
Source record: 130371

Wanted Ten Tec 238 tuner
Local San Francisco bay area.

Nate, WA6CBP

293. Manuals Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: mousie <mousie@n-jcenter.com>
Message-ID: <01bdefe7$e8704e80$0d751ad1@default>
Source record: 130124

I need the operation manuals for a SWAN 400

mousie@n-jcenter.com

294. Re: Opinions wtd on Heath Kit 101 SSB transceiver...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Clarke <w2blc599@radiolink.net>
Message-ID: <36180a8d.0@news3.ibm.net>
Source record: 130125

HW 101 or SB 101? Either case, they were good work horses that got many many hams on the air. The SSB series was better - had 1 kc readout on the vernier dial - ala Collins. Many said it was a poor man's KWM-2.

Had a couple of each over the years and can say they work - but you have to be careful about the quality of the building job. The biggest soft spot in the Heathkit line was the wafer switches. They were light duty.

If I could find a 9 or 10 grade SB101 or 102 I'd think a couple of times about it. Not over priced like the Collins! And, a good one will work just as well (no flames please, been there and done that!).

--
Bill Clarke W2BLC
W2BLC@radiolink.net

295. FS: 3KV PLATE POWER TRANSFORMER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Ship <ve2js@total.net>
Message-ID: <36180D14.2D2B@total.net>
Source record: 130126

FOR SALE HAMMOND 3 KV PLATE POWER TRANSFORMER.

Brand New. Still in the crate. Hammond No. 37478.
2900-0-2900 volt @ 750ma ICAS rating.

Weight approx. 100 lbs.

For sale USD $200. plus transport.

296. FS: GEN RADIO ADJ. AIR LINE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Ship <ve2js@total.net>
Message-ID: <36180D9A.186F@total.net>
Source record: 130127

GENERAL RADIO 874LAL ADJUSTABLE AIR LINE.
Freq. range DC to 7GHz. Adjustment length 25cm.
50 ohm impedance collapsed -- to 57 ohm fully extended.
874 type locking connectors.

These are brand new. I have a quantity of these.
For sale @ (USD) $60. each plus shipping.

297. FS: UHF CAVITY FILTERS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Ship <ve2js@total.net>
Message-ID: <36180DC0.4A87@total.net>
Source record: 130128

FOR SALE UHF CAVITY FILTERS

Mfg. by TELEWAVE INC., Mountainview, CA.

2 only pass cavities for UHF Mod. TWPC 4508-1
These are in like new condition
JPG photo available by on request.

For sale at U.S. $125. each (U.S.D) plus shipping.
Please reply to:

Joe Ship, VE2JS
5637 Melling Ave.
Montreal, Que. Canada H4W 2C1

phone: (514) 482-6500
fax: (514) 482-0828
email: ve2js@total.net

298. FS: GEN. RADIO 940G DECADE INDUCTOR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Ship <ve2js@total.net>
Message-ID: <36180DFB.7048@total.net>
Source record: 130129

GENERAL RADIO 940G DECADE INDUCTOR.
100 mH step. 10 steps.

For sale @ (USD) $100. plus shipping.

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299. FS: H.P. UHF SIG. GEN.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Ship <ve2js@total.net>
Message-ID: <36180E28.43D8@total.net>
Source record: 130130

HEWLETT PACKARD 612A UHF SIGNAL GENERATOR

450 to 1230 MHz in one band.
Accuracy plus/minus 1%.
Output voltage from 0.1 microvolt to 0.5 Volt into 50 ohm.
Dial is calibrated in V and dBm.
Internal modulation of 400 & 1000 hz.

For sale @ (USD) $300. plus shipping.

Please contact:

Joe Ship, VE2JS
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Montreal, Que. Canada, H4W 2C1

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fax: (514) 482-0828
email: ve2js@total.net

300. FS: H.P. 803A VHF BRIDGE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Ship <ve2js@total.net>
Message-ID: <36180E4D.4FDD@total.net>
Source record: 130131

HEWLETT PACKARD 803A VHF BRIDGE.

Provides direct impedance measurements
from 2 to 2000 ohms, 55 to 500 MHz.
Phase angle is plus/minus 90 degrees.

For sale @ (USD) $300. plus UPS shipping costs.

Please contact:

Joe Ship, VE2JS
5637 Melling Ave.
Montreal, Que. Canada, H4W 2C1
email: ve2js@total.net

301. WTB: Tube HF transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: KB4AEP <crslex@iglou.com>
Message-ID: <361804A3.D7C80852@iglou.com>
Source record: 130132

Wanted to buy:
Cheap tube-type HF transceiver with power supply in $125. price range.

Such as:
Heathkit HW-100, 101 or SB-100, 101
Tempo One grey or black
Yaesu FT-560 or similar models
Swan 350B, 500CX
or what do you have?

The transceiver needs to be complete working. Cosmetics not critical.
Not interested in radios that have been in a flood, hit by lightning, or
stored in a barn or damp basement.No power supplies with bad transformers
or filter capacitors.

E-mail me (Mark) at crslex@iglou.com
Thanks

302. Re: Fry's Electronics a "RIP OFF"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Headrick <bobh@proaxis.com>
Message-ID: <36180F24.9057C7F@proaxis.com>
Source record: 130133

> It is not done on the supposition that YOU stole anything. It is done to
> prevent the common scam where an EMPLOYEE working in concert with a friend,
> posing as a CUSTOMER sells said friend and item worth, say, $600, for the
> paltry sum of, say, $20.

Once a buddy and I went to the Wilsonville store. He bought 2 64M
simms, and I got a parts cabinet and a pair of pliers. As we were
walking down the long aisle to the exit I traded receipts with him.
Sure enough, they looked in the bags and checked things off. I doubt
the average guard knows a simm from a screwdriver.

- Bob W7OV

303. WTB: VL-1000 Solid-State Linear

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: POSSUM <kf4lap@planttel.net>
Message-ID: <361812F3.ADBFD605@planttel.net>
Source record: 130134

WTB: VL-1000 Solid-State Linear
Will pay a quality price for your VL-1000 Solid-State Linear.

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[sign...Jim Thompson / KF4LAP / aka: possum]

Possum Says:
In the beginning, God created earth and rested. Then God created man and
rested.
Then God created woman. Since then, neither God nor man has rested.

Anyone without a sense of humor is at the mercy of the rest of us.

KF4LazyAzaPossum Page = http://members.tripod.com/~kf4lap/index.html

My World Wide Pager URL = http://wwp.mirabilis.com/4568572

ICQ # 4568572

<mailto:kf4lap@planttel.net>

Check out my new News Group [alt.possum.says]
If you cant access it, then ask your internet provider to add [alt.possum.says].

See ya.
73 de possum

304. WTB: VL-1000 Solid-State Linear

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: POSSUM <kf4lap@planttel.net>
Message-ID: <36181395.67118902@planttel.net>
Source record: 130135

WTB: VL-1000 Solid-State Linear
Will pay a quality price for your VL-1000 Solid-State Linear.

--
[sign...Jim Thompson / KF4LAP / aka: possum]

Possum Says:
In the beginning, God created earth and rested. Then God created man and
rested.
Then God created woman. Since then, neither God nor man has rested.

Anyone without a sense of humor is at the mercy of the rest of us.

KF4LazyAzaPossum Page = http://members.tripod.com/~kf4lap/index.html

My World Wide Pager URL = http://wwp.mirabilis.com/4568572

ICQ # 4568572

<mailto:kf4lap@planttel.net>

Check out my new News Group [alt.possum.says]
If you cant access it, then ask your internet provider to add [alt.possum.says].

See ya.
73 de possum

305. WTB Kenwood MC 85 for TS 850

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: ian McCloy <ian_mccloy@bc.sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <6v9699aqk1@news.bctel.net>
Source record: 130136

I need a new mike for the ts-850. i would like a
MC85 or if anyone knows if the MC 90 works with the 850.

Tnx Ian
VE7IRA

306. IRS "Recruiting?"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Daniel Hicks, Jr." <w8mmq@juno.com>
Message-ID: <6v966c$7hu@news.voyager.net>
Source record: 130137
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.radio.free,alt.radio.pirate

October 4, 1998

An IRS "agent" in a police uniform? A trip to the IRS web site over the weekend revealed an IRS "recruiter" in what appears to be a police uniform. That picture, and much, much more, at the growing W8MMQ web site.

http://www.qsl.net/w8mmq/

You will also find links to the new and much improved Radio Free Lansing web site, which contains great free radio news, information, and links.

73 de,
Dan/W8MMQ
w8mmq@juno.com

307. President and Uniden 10 Meter radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael1998@webtv.net
Message-ID: <18575-361816CD-5@newsd-113.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 130138

I was wondering if anyone knows of a ham radio dealer or other company that sells President Lincoln or other President 10 meter mobile radios? I thought that President was primarily a European company now, but my brother says he has seen them sold in the U.S. If anyone knows of a dealer that sells the President Lincoln, please send me an e-mail and let me know. Also, I am looking for companies that may sell Uniden HR-2600 rigs that have never been opened. Thanks for the help!

73,
M. Brown KU4UV

308. Re: Grundig YachtBoy 400 vs. Sony ICF-SW7600G

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Barry Bogart <barry_bogart@bc.sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <36181E7C.220C@bc.sympatico.ca>
Source record: 130139
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

Mike wrote:
>
> I have a lot of radios. I don't have the Sony, but I do have other Sony SW
> portables. In general, they are very good radios but (frankly) don't sound
> as good as the YB400. Without much thought I always take the Grundig when
> traveling (I have some table tops at home). I think this must say something
> as it is simple to use, gets good reception, it is about the size of a PB
> book and has a clock and a lighted dial. My only complaint is that it uses
> 6 AA type batteries and some other radios use only 4. Not so bad when your
> at home with an adaptor, but it can get expensive when your out and about
> and only using the batteries.
>
> Adam Mitchell wrote:
>
> > I'm about to buy my first shortwave radio. I'm looking at the Grundig
> > YachtBoy 400 and the Sony ICF-SW7600G, but I don't know enough to decide
> > which one is better. My price limit is US$200.
> >
> > The Sony has SSB. Is that very important?
> >
> > Any advice would be greaty appreciated.
> >
> > Thanks,
> > AM
I have both. The Sony uses 4 batteries, is better made, easier to tune,
more sensitive and selective...but it is true it doesn't sound as good
as the YB400, but I use earphones if that is important.

309. Re: * *2M All mode Rig Questions?**

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sam Taylor <cygnet@cncnet.com>
Message-ID: <36182562$0$11056@nntp.quiknet.com>
Source record: 130140

KO6JQ replys; The IC245 W/SB adapter will give you
usb/cw/&nbfm if you can find one w sb adapter
a great lil mobile usualy reasonable 73 Sam
David Kritzberg wrote in message <360E97E9.9F0@mindspring.com>...
>I'm looking to purchase a used 2M all mode rig & have no idea what to
>look for in one. (besides USB/LSB CW FM0 8-))
>Any feedback/opinions will be greatly appreciated.
>Thanks in advance.
>73 KF4UOD
> Dave in Atlanta,GA

310. Re: KO6JQ NEEDS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sam Taylor <cygnet@cncnet.com>
Message-ID: <36182726$0$11056@nntp.quiknet.com>
Source record: 130141

De; KO6JQ Sam need a alkaline case for a Standard
156A bought one from a lid who destroyed this Pax
to fit his bike Qth at cygnet@cncnet.com
or Sam Taylor P. O. box 1606 Oroville,Ca.
95965-1606 any help would be Greatly
Appreciated 73 Sam

311. Re: WTB PROGRESS LINE GE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: munsch@ibm.net
Message-ID: <36182b57.0@news1.ibm.net>
Source record: 130142
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Sir:
To minimize confusion, this vintage equipment is commonly referred to as
MASTR Pro. Progress Line is correct, but in ham shorthand usually is used
for the all-tube type equipment built by GE from 1956 to 1963 more or less.
MASTR Pro (MASTR stood for Mobile And Station, TRansistorized) was
introduced in the early 60s and followed by Mastr II in the 70's, then Mastr
3 in the 90s. If you don't find anything available close to you up there,
let me know, although shipping from here may be exorbitant.
73, George W5VPQ Texas

>Brad Gulleff wrote in message <3617BA68.332D47FC@pacifier.com>...
>Hi, I am looking for some parts for a UHF amateur repeater . It is a GE
>MASTR Progress line repeater set up on 440.925 . Want to buy spare
>receiver and transmit strips . Please let me know what you have .
>reply to .
>bgulleff@pacifier.com
>73 KJ7VW
>
>

312. Re: FOR SALE - Kenwood HF TS-430S and MFJ Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: HRE <hamradio@wizzards.net>
Message-ID: <36182DCB.7E23@wizzards.net>
Source record: 130143

Kenwood TS-430-S General Coverage HF - Mobile or Base Xcvr.
with a MB-430 Mobile Mounting Bracket
MFJ-941D Versa Tuner II / Mobile Antenna Tuner...
All in Perfect condition...

Will Sell Both for Just $300.00

Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion

http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp
Create Your Own Free Member Forum

GREAT PRICE !!! Joe at HRE...
http://www.wizzards.net/hamradio

313. VHF/UHF used rigs -- advice for shopping at Rochester NH "hoss traders" fest

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: nick caruso <nzc@mediaone.net>
Message-ID: <361830A4.B1D20028@mediaone.net>
Source record: 130144

I'm going to the Hoss Traders 'fest on oct. 10th, and I'm looking for advice on what VHF/UHF used rigs I should be looking for, and what constitutes a good deal.

I'm not looking for high power, I want to have coverage of all of 6M, although having 2M and UHF bands would be nice. I need SSB, although an all mode rig would be nice. 5 to 10 watts of output would be good. Looking for a desktop unit, not a mobile or HT.

Any suggestions for models and reasonable asking prices? This will be my first rig.

--ncc KB1DEJ

314. Re: FTV-650 6M Transverter Tube Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Kim Family <k6hm@wenet.net>
Message-ID: <36183015.9253673A@wenet.net>
Source record: 130145
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Hello,
It is as same as 6146B, you can substitute without any problem, if you have
only plain 6146,6146A,6146W or 6293, they all will work fine.
Best luck.
de K6hm
Young

nw2m@qsl.net wrote:

> Greetings,
>
> I am ready to add the information on my web page about the FTV-650 6 Meter
> transverter, but I have one question.
>
> The PA tube in the transverter is a 2001. Is this tube available, and/or,
> what is a substitute?
>
> Could I get a copy of the tube characteristics from someone with a tube
> manual.
>
> Thanks in advance,
>
> Al, NW2M
>
> PS: And thanks for the inputs/copies of the 6JS6C tubes :-)
>
> http://www.qsl.net/nw2m/ft101.html
>
> -----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

315. Re: Vanity Automobile License Plates

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wakko Warner <wakko9@mediaone.net>
Message-ID: <36183918.595147F8@mediaone.net>
Source record: 130146
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: vcard.vcf

I was going to get "UBUIBME" but I guess someone thought of that I was
declined.

Eric

SummitRT wrote:

> I have my call sign on my truck and get asked if I am a fan of "Run DMC" since
> my call is N2DMC. The new NY ham plates do look good and cost $10. extra every
> two years to register. They are not considered vanity plates. The best vanity
> plate I have seen is
> "IMOKRU".
>
> Bob

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

316. Re: Anyone still love the hobby

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wakko Warner <wakko9@mediaone.net>
Message-ID: <36183C46.D5619345@mediaone.net>
Source record: 130147
Cross-posted to: att.ham-radio,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.spa
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: vcard.vcf

I just got in to the hobby, not on the air yet but I passed the no code tech tests. and am waiting for a call sign.

I got an HT and have been using it as a scanner and listening to the nets on 2 meter and 70 cm. I'm looking at a booster for the car and further down the line a base or repeater at home, that is far off though.

Eric

JOHN WARD wrote:

> Just courious is anyone still enjoy the hobby? If so get on the air and
> make some contacts encourage someone else to join the hobby and realize it
> is a hobby and not a career. 73's DE W3OJ
>
> PS. Help some young one along the way!!!!!!

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

317. For Sale : SGC2020 System

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Smith <jtsmith@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <6v9eg8$ps2$1@camel15.mindspring.com>
Source record: 130148

SGC2020 Mint condition ver 1.4 firmware, with original boxes, 3 year warranty
4 months old , no time to operate.
Pelican Waterproof lockable carrying case $220 cost
(measures 21x13x10 inches and fits nice in overhead space on an airplane)
Diamond 4-20-200 low power wattmeter $150 cost
Dentron Mini Un-balanced./ balanced antenna tuner $95
Vibroplex Brass racer key $60
misc antenna equipment. All power interconnects use polarized molex plugs all pre-wired for quick setup
.
I have jpeg pictures that I can send you to see the travel case and custom cutouts and
setup for this system.

Asking $1075 as a package for entire system. Can ship in carrying case insured or ship
carry case with items and radio in original box with manuals as two seperate items.

Please respond by email jtsmith@mindspring.com with your phone number.
John K3GO

318. Yaesu SP-6 Speaker Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: JJ Smith <jjsmith@ipa.net>
Message-ID: <6v9ees$688$1@news.ipa.net>
Source record: 130149

Can someone please help the newest Ham in the Russellville, AR area???

I am looking to buy an SP 6 speaker and need to know exactly what
filters the unit has... I know it has two controls on the front, with
several
positions on each, but what do they do???

Any help will be greatly appreciated.

Thanks for your time...

KD5FGY

319. **Mac Powerbook 520 FS or Trade (for all mode rig)**

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Kritzberg <dkritz@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <361835EC.62D3@mindspring.com>
Source record: 130150

For Sale or Trade or Trade Plus Cash
Mac Powerbook 520 12M Ram/500HD
Great for Packet,GPRS,.Comes with many Radio Applications ie: Sattelite Tracking, Yaesu Radio Control, Multimode decoding (CW,RTTY,WeFax), Morsedecoder & Tutor & others. Also, Quicken, Quickbooks, Claris Works, MS Word, Netscape, MS Flight Simulator for Mac. Use as portable or plug in a keyboard & monitor & have a complete desktop system. I upgraded to a G3 & do not need the 520.
$500 OBO or Trade or partial trade for All-mode rig
Thanks for taking the time to read this.
73 David

320. Re: Yaesu FT-920 Price Reduction..?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Combs <n5knd@flash.net>
Message-ID: <36186592.66D2@flash.net>
Source record: 130151

Ronfisher1 wrote:
>
> Hi Seth,
> Not sure for the drop but I think they thought the 847 was going to going to
> take over.I know I was happy about it as I bought one and love it.It is one of
> the most under priced radios for what you get.The only other accessaries I got
> was an AMfilter and desk mic.
> The dsp is fantastic!!
>
> 73s, Ron KA1SRZ

I was wondering if you would happen to know if the FT920 and the
FT1000MP have the same PA Transistors? I am thinking about getting a 920
just want to make sure it has enough humph tp drive my amp. Would you
happen to know the number of the transistors ? The ft1000 uses a pair of
2sc2879,s Thanks

Greg

321. Re: Fry's Electronics a "RIP OFF"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: rexstout@uswest.net
Message-ID: <rexstout-0410982223300001@dialupd223.ptld.uswest.net>
Source record: 130152

> Once a buddy and I went to the Wilsonville store. He bought 2 64M
> simms, and I got a parts cabinet and a pair of pliers. As we were
> walking down the long aisle to the exit I traded receipts with him.
> Sure enough, they looked in the bags and checked things off. I doubt
> the average guard knows a simm from a screwdriver.

ROTFL!! Ever notice that they have NEVER had all the electronic parts in stock? Every time I went there, that was one of the first places I looked. At least a half to two thirds of that section is empty... And then there are radios. A while back they had the Alinco DJ-S11 on sale. When I got there they didn't have any, so I got a rain check. Three weeks of calling them every day and all I ever got was "it's on back order, it'll be here on Friday". Finally I gave up and got one from HRO. Haven't been back to Fry's since.

| http://members.tripod.com/~jrollins/index.html - Computers |
| http://www.geocities.com/Area51/Lair/1681/ - Star Trek |
| OrHam@qth.net list admin KD7BCY |
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322. Re: Want Heathkit paint - who sells it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: rcote <rcote@pixi.com>
Message-ID: <36185DBF.434013A1@pixi.com>
Source record: 130153

The below received via Compuserve and offered here for info only.

Precedence: bulk
From: "Greg Anders" <anders@autopsy.corp.sgi.com>
To: Multiple recipients of list <boatanchors@theporch.com>
Subject: Heath Paint....
X-Listprocessor-Version: 6.0c -- ListProcessor by Anastasios Kotsikonas
X-Comment: Amateur Radio Equipment Using Vacuum Tubes

I think the Krylon color is Jade, there are four cans sitting in my garage
about 30 miles away...

Jim's request for the Krylon color that best matches the SB series cabinet
color tweeked me to finally put out the word on the best color match I`ve
found for the darker Heath green found on the Apache, Marauder, etc. Its in
Rustoleum's new satin finish line and the color is simply "teal". The cans
look different than the traditional rustoleum can, they have a pikture of
metal lawn furniture, supposedly painted using the compound.
Anyway, I`ve painted the Marauder cabinet and its a purrrrrrrrfect match.
Quite durable too once its dry.

Hope this helps and it is OK!
Ray in Honolulu

Lynn D. Osterbur wrote:
>
> I guess the subject covers it. I want to repaint the case for a SB220 amp and get it
looking like new. Anyone have a supplier for the paint?
> I want the light green stuff.
>
> 73
> Lynn
> --

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Raymond Cote
1405 Dominis ST #105
Honolulu, HI 96822-3213

323. MFJ

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: rcote <rcote@pixi.com>
Message-ID: <36185F13.DAA7E964@pixi.com>
Source record: 130154

For sale cheap.

MFJ Signal Enhancer II Model MFJ-752B Notch out that undesirable signal or noise. The filter has a peak, notch, Hi-pass and lo-pass setting. It is called a dual tunable SSB/CW filter.

Have 2 and will ship for $25 each and I pay shipping in the US.
--
Raymond Cote
1405 Dominis ST #105
Honolulu, HI 96822-3213

324. Mods for Kenwood TM-455 ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: frank@reddik.toppoint.de
Message-ID: <1998Oct4.113859.739@reddik.toppoint.de>
Source record: 130155

Hello,

I have tried to find some mods for the Kenwood TM-455E 70cm
allmode mobile, but could not find anything. I would like to
open the receiver to get a wider range than 430-440. Does
some one know about such a modification ?

73's, Frank

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Frank Pliquett, frankp@toppoint.de

325. IC-706 MKII Undocumented Features?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jls1 <jls1@inreach.com>
Message-ID: <3617A293.AAA84607@inreach.com>
Source record: 130174

What does anyone know about any possible undocumented features of this radio? Not looking to transmit out of band, just to enhance what is already there.

73,

Jeff KG6UC

326. FTV-650 6M Transverter Tube Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: nw2m@qsl.net
Message-ID: <6v8cr0meq1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 130175
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Greetings,

I am ready to add the information on my web page about the FTV-650 6 Meter transverter, but I have one question.

The PA tube in the transverter is a 2001. Is this tube available, and/or, what is a substitute?

Could I get a copy of the tube characteristics from someone with a tube manual.

Thanks in advance,

Al, NW2M

PS: And thanks for the inputs/copies of the 6JS6C tubes :-)

http://www.qsl.net/nw2m/ft101.html

-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

327. Re: Yaesu FT50 RD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Kraus <joe@jkraus.com>
Message-ID: <6v8862$it7$1@supernews.com>
Source record: 130176

Can get at HRO new for $289. It always amazes me the prices people try to charge for used equipment even if it is "just out of the box".

Prime135 wrote in message <19981002230846.01520.00004944@ng104.aol.com>...
>
>Yaesu FT 50 RD, 5W battery, wall charger, like new condition, only had it out
>of the house once. $275
>
>Contact prime135@aol.com

328. FS: AT-150 Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dennis <n3kre@voicenet.com>
Message-ID: <5FNR1.1547$7Q6.9954817@news2.voicenet.com>
Source record: 130177
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Forsale Icom At-150 antenna tuner with box. in good working order, owned by non-smoker. Asking $190.00 + $15.00 for the UPS shipping obo. 73 Dennis n3kre@voicenet.com

329. FS:Alinco DR-590t

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dennis <n3kre@voicenet.com>
Message-ID: <QLNR1.1548$7Q6.9958428@news2.voicenet.com>
Source record: 130178
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,triangle.radio

Forsale Alinco DR-590t dual band mobile radio , in good working order, case is clean with not scratches, has never been mobile, with box and manuals. Owner is non-smoker. Asking $295.00 + $10.00 for UPS shipping. 73 Dennis n3kre@voicenet.com

330. FS KAM ALL MODE VER 8.0 $225.00 N1HHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gabriel G melo <n1hhf@110.net>
Message-ID: <6v8992lsn1@stalker.oem.net>
Source record: 130179

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331. Re: Anyone still love the hobby

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: larryc@northwest.com
Message-ID: <3617AC13.2818@northwest.com>
Source record: 130180
Cross-posted to: att.ham-radio,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.spa

dunno yet. i withdrew for almost ten years, gettting tired of dealing
with appliance operators, shit neighbors, and cb-ham operators.... guess
it's a sign of the times. now i'm getting involved again, dusting off the
tube transceivers and stringing up dipoles. i hv no interest in the
biggest/best/powerful. just having some basic fun.

JOHN WARD wrote:
>
> Just courious is anyone still enjoy the hobby? If so get on the air and
> make some contacts encourage someone else to join the hobby and realize it
> is a hobby and not a career. 73's DE W3OJ
>
> PS. Help some young one along the way!!!!!!

332. Re: Anyone still use 2M packet??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick <rickmuddSP@teleport.com>
Message-ID: <EpOR1.20956$K02.12306317@news.teleport.com>
Source record: 130181

Sure. There's still packet activity going on. But after doing Email and stuff on the internet you'll find it a snooze. Maybe try upgrading to a multimode controller. I have found rtty, pactor and tv much more fun. You can pick up an MFJ 1278B used at a hamfest for $100 or so. I even use mine mobile. Worked the CQ rtty contest mobile...That's excitment!

WB2TBB wrote in message <361775c9.941812@news.cybercomm.net>...
>Before I started fooling around with the internet, I had my 2 meter
>rig hooked up to a packet TNC. It was kinda fun.
>The PacCom unit broke, and I never got it fixed.
>Is there still some packet activity going on???
>...Dave

333. FS: ICOM 820H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al <K6DJP@postoffice.pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <3617B3F5.1A5743D4@postoffice.pacbell.net>
Source record: 130182
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Have for sale an Icom 820H dual band (2mtr & 440) all mode base station
in excellent
condition.$750 shipped.
Al

334. Re: Anyone still love the hobby

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anselmo Stiffan <anselmos@worldcom.ch>
Message-ID: <3617B770.4CDEF218@worldcom.ch>
Source record: 130183
Cross-posted to: att.ham-radio,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.spa

JOHN WARD ha scritto:

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> make some contacts encourage someone else to join the hobby and realize it
> is a hobby and not a career. 73's DE W3OJ
>
> PS. Help some young one along the way!!!!!!

I got my licence in 1962. Have been active for 3 years and then the kids, the job, the travels forced me to stop.I retired early with one objective in mind...get beack my license and experiment again with what can be experimented in today technology by a simple technician. I then restarted two years ago focusing on antennas. Now I believe I understand 10-20% of them but anytime i make a QSO and talk about my experiments, tests,achievements and disappointements and I exchange my technical views, I get a lot of attention and many OM's express their satisfaction in hearing QSO's talking about technical experimentation against the many QSO's just talking about the weather.....
Our hobby should get back to its initial objectives and this will by sure attract lot of yungsters.

All the best Anselmo, HB9ICK- IZ3BGJ

335. Re: Source for resistors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Carroll <w0ex@scan.missouri.org>
Message-ID: <6v8cpcbpd0@208.207.71.155>
Source record: 130184

WR3ON wrote:

> Hi,
>
> Anyone have a source for Non-inductive resistors? I am building a T2FD
> (Tilted Terminated Folded Dipole) antenna. The design calls for a non
> inductive terminating resistor of 400ohm and about 30W. I'm currently using a
> bunch of 1/2W carbon resistors in a series/parallel arrangement that get's me
> about 6 W which is fine for QRP, but I would like to crank up the power every
> now and again.
>
> 73 de WR3ON (Ron Patton)
>

I once knew a ham who had been a field engineer for the Alaska State
Troopers who had worked extensively with T2FD antennas, since Alaska
uses them in extensive statewide HF work. He had built many of them for
use in the bush and told me that he had found that the ordinary inductive
resistors sold at Radio Shack worked better than the non-inductive type.
He had used Globar and other non-inductive types, and settled on the
inductive Radio Shack units--The ceramic potted units that come in bubble
packs and are not identified as either inductive or noninductive. (I crushed
one to find out-it was wirewound-though it couldn't possibly contain much
inductance due to the tiny coil diameter and so little of it).
Following this discussion I made a T2FD using a low power Palomar
high ratio balun (12/1) and 6-100ohm radio shack resistors described above. It did
work, but I didn't leave it in place as it was a very temporary installation
and I did no useful comparisons, just made a few contacts. I was looking into a
portable antenna to use later, intending to do more work with it subsequently, and
so far have not used it further since I found a B&W T2FD on a trader's net that I
bought.
In light of this information you might want to look into using inductive
resistors for the termination to see what works for your purposes.
I know-the purists will scream, and I was sure surprised to hear about it.
But it evidently does work, and by his accounts, well.

73, Dick W0EX

336. WTB PROGRESS LINE GE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brad Gulleff <bgulleff@pacifier.com>
Message-ID: <3617BA68.332D47FC@pacifier.com>
Source record: 130185
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hi, I am looking for some parts for a UHF amateur repeater . It is a GE
MASTR Progress line repeater set up on 440.925 . Want to buy spare
receiver and transmit strips . Please let me know what you have .
reply to .
bgulleff@pacifier.com
73 KJ7VW

337. Re: Anyone still love the hobby

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Curt M. Breneman" <brenec@rpi.edu>
Message-ID: <3617BDA5.32BE@rpi.edu>
Source record: 130186
Cross-posted to: att.ham-radio,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.spa

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Folks,

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Curt M. Breneman
KC2EBP

338. Re: Grundig YachtBoy 400 vs. Sony ICF-SW7600G

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike <mkjnSPAM@interaccess.com>
Message-ID: <3617AD86.730889F@interaccess.com>
Source record: 130187
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

I have a lot of radios. I don't have the Sony, but I do have other Sony SW portables. In general, they are very good radios but (frankly) don't sound as good as the YB400. Without much thought I always take the Grundig when traveling (I have some table tops at home). I think this must say something as it is simple to use, gets good reception, it is about the size of a PB book and has a clock and a lighted dial. My only complaint is that it uses 6 AA type batteries and some other radios use only 4. Not so bad when your at home with an adaptor, but it can get expensive when your out and about and only using the batteries.

Adam Mitchell wrote:

> I'm about to buy my first shortwave radio. I'm looking at the Grundig
> YachtBoy 400 and the Sony ICF-SW7600G, but I don't know enough to decide
> which one is better. My price limit is US$200.
>
> The Sony has SSB. Is that very important?
>
> Any advice would be greaty appreciated.
>
> Thanks,
> AM

339. icom at-130 antenna tuner question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: aaronurbain@bigfoot.com
Message-ID: <6v8jl4$2av$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 130188
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.radio.amateur

On the boat, I've got an Icom 710 and a pcr100 connected to an antenna switch to an AT-130 to an insulated backstay. The at-130 control cable is wired to the 710.

I dial in some fq, say 4.2441, on the pcr1000 and the signal is ok. flip the switch, turn on the 710, dial in same fq, signal is ok. Press TUNE, signal is great. flip switch back to the pcr1000, signal is great.

The pcr1000 draws .5A of 12v juice.
The 710 with at130 draws almost 2A.

The question: I want to use only the pcr1000 and the at130 and leave the 710 off. I can wire power to the at130 but have no understanding of how to invoke the tuning operation, or what the at130 expects as instructions from the control cable. Does the 710 transmit at very low power and the at130 tunes to that fq, or does fq data arrive on the control cable and TX signal is generated from within the at130? Please advise so I might save precious amps.

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

340. Re: Anyone still love the hobby

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Bethman <rbethman@erols.com>
Message-ID: <3617C4E4.68A414A2@erols.com>
Source record: 130189
Cross-posted to: att.ham-radio,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.spa

Curt,

Don't let a single twit get to you. There are many more like yourself that would rather do more than exchange calls and serial number. A bit more rag chewing would do us all some good!

Ignore the moron. Enjoy the hobby the way YOU want to.

Bob Bethman
N0DGN/4

Curt M. Breneman wrote:

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> California QSO Party, but that doesn't excuse rude behavior that is
> detrimental to the hobby as a whole.
>
> Curt M. Breneman
> KC2EBP

341. Re: Anyone still love the hobby

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: masa@radiotelephone.net.PAS_DE_SPAM
Message-ID: <3617c6c9.3573291@news.sprint.ca>
Source record: 130190
Cross-posted to: att.ham-radio,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.spa

<<<<<<==========--M--A--S--A--T--A--K--A----N--O--D--A--==========>>>>>>

De Sun, 04 Oct 1998 19:59:13 +0200,
<3617B770.4CDEF218@worldcom.ch>,
Anselmo Stiffan <anselmos@worldcom.ch>
a crit dans le message (Re: Anyone still love the hobby)...

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>I got my licence in 1962.

good for you. we need licensees in 1998 don't we ??

Masataka Noda (Infinite Communications (TM)), Montr al, Qu bec, Canada
N d' ICQ: 15115035
Indicatif d'appel de radioamateur: VA2QRU & VE7JPN
Pilote Avion Priv (avec la qualification de vol de nuit)
tudient @ m t orologie, physique et l'environnement d'Universit McGill
C : masa@radiotelephone.net.PAS_DE_SPAM
URL : http://www.radiotelephone.net (Principale/Universel)
http://www.radiotelephone.net/masataka.htm (Moi !!)
/amateur/ /no-code/ (Radio)
/mcgill/ (Universit McGill)
/examiner/ (Examens de U.McGill)

ATTENTION: Je n'ach terai pas ou r ponse aucun produit des C S non sollicit s!!
*** Pour me repondre, enlever .PAS_DE_SPAM de mon adresse ***
*** To reply to me, remove the .PAS_DE_SPAM from my address ***

342. Re: Kenwood TS-570D S/N 00300075

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: japalese@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981004151631.06053.00002199@ngol03.aol.com>
Source record: 130191

Why not send your question to Kenwood's e-mail address via their web site:
http://www.kenwood.net

343. Re: Anyone still use 2M packet??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@astro.net
Message-ID: <6v8i5hkrp2@supernews.com>
Source record: 130192

In article <361775c9.941812@news.cybercomm.net>, ham@cybercomm.net (WB2TBB) wrote:
>Before I started fooling around with the internet, I had my 2 meter
>rig hooked up to a packet TNC. It was kinda fun.
>The PacCom unit broke, and I never got it fixed.
>Is there still some packet activity going on???
>....Dave

Depends on where you are I guess. Here in Dutchess County, NY the packet
cluster is humming but normal packet is kind of dead but is being used by
several folks. With all the new techs you'd think it would pick up a bit.
Guess most of them just want to chew the fat on the repeaters.

73,
Tom

Remove the "P" from the below address (spam blocker)

Tom Randall Amateur Radio - KB2SMS
Mt. Beacon Amateur Radio Club / ARRL / 10-10
tprandall@idsi.net QRV on 6m on 50.125 or 52.525 from FN31
Member: AAVSO Solar Division

My Astronomy/Ham radio site: http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html

Opinions herein are mine and may not be that of Idsi.Net!

344. Swan Pwr Supply WTB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Abell <dabell@aloha.net>
Message-ID: <01bdefcd$3c893100$2b070ccf@default>
Source record: 130193

I need a 117 power supply for my Swan 500. Please email with price.

Dave Abell
dabell@aloha.net

345. WTB: PolyMorphic Systems Poly 88 or other

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alan <alan.diaz@snet.net>
Message-ID: <6v8hn3$hcc@news1.snet.net>
Source record: 130194
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

I'm looking for either a PolyMorphic Systems Poly 88 computer or other version of PolyMorphic Systems computer. If you still have a Poly lying around, or a piece of one, I'd be interested in it. You can email me at ChipsNDips@snet.net.

Alan

346. Re: Heathkit HW-101 for a beginner??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: &NM7U <&NM7U@hevanet.com>
Message-ID: <3617CD43.3C5EB385@hevanet.com>
Source record: 130195

William Lee wrote:

> Go for it Ward. I used one for years. That radio is as tough as they come
> and you will learn a lot about operating a tube transmitter with it. You
> should be able to get one in good working condition with full output for
> around $150 - $250 with the power supply and microphone. Appearance is the
> key factor in pricing this radio.

Sounds like a lot to me. There are two classes of Heathkit radio. Collector's
(perfect) condition thatcan command big bux, and Junk. A junk Heathkit can
still work fine, but you shouldn't
pay very much for it.
If you have to pay $250, go for a newer solid-state rig.
I've bought HW-100s for $25 ten years ago. A $50 Atlas 210X is not as good a
performer,
and sux on CW cause no cw filter.
But it's much smaller and more versatile in application.
miker

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Big list of WANTS and FORSALES at link below.
Return Address is Bogus.
TO REPLY CLICK HERE http://www.hevanet.com/nm7u
Or you can DELETE the & in the "from" address.

347. Thanks For Your Help!!!! Re: New ICOM 706MkII Microphone Gain Low?, Please Help.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Craig <cpu_nut@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <3617D3B9.1F35@yahoo.com>
Source record: 130196

ALL,

I appreciate everyoneï¿½s answers to my E-mail account. I am testing into a dummy load, and sounds like this is a known issue with the radio, and is due to its intended use in a mobile noisy environment. I also had a could people suggest removing the acoustic damper in from of the Mic element. Also had a couple responses that said that using a desk Mic with higher gain solved the "problem". I guess Icom set the gain purposefully, and my radio is ok.

Thanks again, I appreciate all of your help!!!!

Craig (N4FSC

Craig wrote:
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> gain all the way to (H)igh and then talk very loud touching the Mic to
> get even minimal ALC action. If I turn on the compressor, then I can
> set the Mic gain to about 5, but I still need to talk louder than I
> would consider normal. I am using the stock hand Mic.
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> Is this just my radio, of is this common to 706MkIIs?
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> I only have a day left to swap it out at HRO, so any opinions are
> appreciated.
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> Thanks in advance,
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> Craig

348. Re: Fry's Electronics a "RIP OFF"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: tcrpe <tcrpe@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <GrQR1.19465$X9.4881420@news.giganews.com>
Source record: 130197
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,ba.music,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Carl Zwanzig wrote in message <6v32an$5qo@maguro.epr.com>...
>Actually, Yes, I do find it objectionable. I object to the assumption that
>I MAY have stolen something.

Carl,

It is not done on the supposition that YOU stole anything. It is done to prevent the common scam where an EMPLOYEE working in concert with a friend, posing as a CUSTOMER sells said friend and item worth, say, $600, for the paltry sum of, say, $20.

This is a very common scam at all high volume stores, and if not interdicted, results in higher prices to the legitimate customers.

The existence of the exit check (aka "the final indignity") alone mitigates much of this inside theft. That's why they do it.

If you like to low prices, go with the flow. If you can't do it, shop somewhere else.

Don't take all this stuff personally, it will create in you a negative outlook in life.

Cheers,

TR

349. IC's uPD650C uPD2819C

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mortlock <jmort@global.freeserve.co.uk>
Message-ID: <6v8k8krjm1@newsreader2.core.theplanet.net>
Source record: 130198

Looking for the following 2 IC's made by NEC uPD650C and uPD2819C

If you know of a source please email me, thanks

John

350. Re: New ICOM 706MkII Microphone Gain Low?, Please Help.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dietmar Otterstaetter aus Betzdorf <DL4HAO@TalkNet.de>
Message-ID: <3617DE00.DE1F8330@TalkNet.de>
Source record: 130199

Hi Craig !

Please have a look at the homepage of icom america !

there is a page of f.a.q. for the different rigs .

there is also an info abt. more mike gain for the icom 706

(I think you have to change a resistor ...)

vy 73 de Dietmar, DL4HAO

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351. WTB HP140T/141T Manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "K.R.Burtchaell" <kburt@jps.net>
Message-ID: <3617DC2C.5747@jps.net>
Source record: 130200
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

WTB HP140T/141T,HP8552B,and HP8555A spectrum analyzer manuals.Ken W6GHV

352. Re: Fry's Electronics a "RIP OFF"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jangus@netcom.com
Message-ID: <jangusF0BMo4.D9q@netcom.com>
Source record: 130201
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,ba.music,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

And since this thread has been oging on, somebody sent me this URL.
Hope it's agood for a few laughs..

The Fry's Electronics Employee Application Form

http://www.best.com/~braith/frys.htm

73 es GA from Jeff

(a) I've been accused of theft by Fry's
(b) I've been sold empty packages that were re-shrink wrapped
with *NO* notice of same.

However, I go back, with the thought that it's still a wider
selection and better price than Best Buy, CompUSA or Circuit City.

Caveat Emptor applies at Fry's as it does elsewhere.

Heh, should have seen the look on the returns employee when they
inspected an internal modem package to find
"Congratulations, you've been screwed by Fry's Electronics"
written in magic marker inside the package, across the manual and
"Defective, broken, used merchandise sold as new is
Consumer fraud punnishable in state of California"
written across the back of defective modem card.

Of course, thier first response was to accuse me of doing that.

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Amateur: WA6FWI@WA6FWI.#SCA.CA.USA.NOAM | "It is difficult to imagine our
Internet: jangus@skyld.grendel.com | universe run by a single omni-
US Mail: 15900 Crenshaw Blvd. Suite G533 | potent god. I see it more as a
Gardena, CA 90249-4823 (310) 253-0929 | badly run corporation."

353. FS: Motorola UHF handheld*NIB*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Lee <buzzzzNOSPAM@cwix.com>
Message-ID: <qyRR1.457$aF3.433536@news.cwix.com>
Source record: 130202

Motorola Sport 10x two way radios. 10 UHF frequencies 462.5-462.8 MHz, 2 watts, 5 mile range. Black, new in box with battery charger, Ni-Cad battery pack, Alkaline battery adapter tray and belt clip. $200 each plus shipping. Tom at (502) 473-0801 Louisville, KY.

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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: tcrpe <tcrpe@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <0DRR1.19547$X9.4927717@news.giganews.com>
Source record: 130203
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,ba.music,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

I would NEVER buy repackaged anything at Fry's. If the packaging even looks suspicious, I pass. Of course, if the packaging looks OK, and the price is right, and I'm ABSOLUTELY sure it's what I want or need, it's off to the checkout and the final indignity.

I have found, on the few occasions I screwed up and bought something I couldn't use, that Fry's return system if just fine.

See ya at Fry's,

TR

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> Amateur: WA6FWI@WA6FWI.#SCA.CA.USA.NOAM | "It is difficult to imagine
our
>Internet: jangus@skyld.grendel.com | universe run by a single omni-
> US Mail: 15900 Crenshaw Blvd. Suite G533 | potent god. I see it more as a
> Gardena, CA 90249-4823 (310) 253-0929 | badly run corporation."
>

355. MOTOROLA RADIUS M110 programming cable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Igor Videc <igor.videc@mailcity.com>
Message-ID: <3617E6D6.FF85AA42@mailcity.com>
Source record: 130204

does anybody know where I could get the schematic for this cable?

356. Re: Yaesu FRG-7 For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: AMFONE@CONCENTRIC.NET
Message-ID: <6v8thh$i3j$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 130205

In article <6v889hfcg1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
deanntx@e-tex.com wrote:
> I have this receiver for sale and is in mint condition and works perfectly.
>
> Asking $200.00 plus shipping.
>
> Leave email to deanntx@e-tex.com
>
> -----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own
>
wow what a deal.. its worth about $75.00 if mint

-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

357. FS: Military Tech Manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: lstolz@freenet.columbus.oh.us
Message-ID: <6v8ppu$qej@login.freenet.columbus.oh.us>
Source record: 130206

Assortment of 11 Military Technical manuals all in good condition. Sold as a lot. Asking $60 PPD. Terms, Bank check or Postal Money Order.

TM 5-760 Electrical Wiring,Jan 57
TM 11-662 Basic Theory and Application of Electron Tubes,Feb 52
TM 11-663 Electronic Power Supplies,Oct 51
TM 11-665 CW and AM Radio Transmitters and Receivers,Sep 52
TM 11-667 Higher Frequency Techniques (Excluding Microwaves),Oct 52
TM 11-668 FM Transmitters and receivers, Sep 52
TM 11-669 Transients and Waveforms, Nov 51
TM 11-670 Special Purpose Oscillators and Amplifiers, Jul 52
TM 11-671 Cathode-Ray Tubes and their Associated Circuits, Sep 51
TM 11-672 Pulse Techniques, Oct 51
TM 11-690 Basic Theory and Application of Transistors, Mar 59

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Lynn Stolz N8AJ --lstolz@freenet.columbus.oh.us

358. Re: Fry's Electronics a "RIP OFF"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: dev@null.org
Message-ID: <3617ea73.1908594@news.clark.net>
Source record: 130207
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Ah but they have that COOL army jeep just inside the door at the Burbank store.
The GREEN RADIO in the back seat will keep me coming back again and again
to look!

Recently, Will White <wcw@asu.uswest.net> wrote:

>Ditto, seconded, yes!
>
>While prices may be somewhat better on some items, I have discovered
>that Fry's likes to sell returned, opened, and defective merchandise as
>new. Casually looking throught their stock of 900MHz telephgones
>recently, it was hard to find a *single* unit of *any* model that was
>not a open box. And yes, their staff is, if not always rude and
>oblivious to customers, incompetent and ignorant of the products they
>sell. Forget Fry's. Anywhere there is a Fry's, there are a half-dozen
>other stores that carry all of Fry's product line, new, working, at good
>prices, and with service to boot.
>--
>Will White, KD7BFX
>
>

359. WTB: UNIDEN HR 2510

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: RadioMan <na>
Message-ID: <3617db81.0@news.busprod.com>
Source record: 130208

Want to buy Uniden HR 2510 or HR 2600 10 meter radios. New or Used. Please state condition and price...Thank You!!!
radiobuyer@hotmail.com

360. Re: Fry's Electronics a "RIP OFF"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: dev@null.org
Message-ID: <3617eb11.2066541@news.clark.net>
Source record: 130209
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,ba.music,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Recently, Thomas Gigear <tgigear@valisys.com> wrote:

>Berry Kercheval wrote:
>>
>> Fry's doesn't check you bag to make sure you haven't stolen anything
>> -- or at least that's not the primary reason.
>>
>> The real reason is that they are making sure that the appallingly
>> incompetent cashiers have given you everything you've paid for.
>>
>> --berry
>
>You don't really believe that do you????
>
>Are you interested in buying a bridge in brooklynn or some waterfront
>property in Florida maybe? Please contact me if you are.
>
>Yours was one of the funniest postings I've seen in a while dude!
>
>Good to see there's still some Naivety in the world today.

For sure Tom. I laughed out loud too!!

361. How do I adjust the deviation on an FT3000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: John@datasafe.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <3617eba9.26883831@news.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 130210

I understand that the deviation is set in the firmware and requires
some software to adjust it!

Anyone assist?

Regards

John
GW0ACH

362. FS: TUBES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Ship <ve2js@total.net>
Message-ID: <3617EDB5.7A00@total.net>
Source record: 130211

TUBES FOR SALE. All are brand new, recent inventory, in the original manufacturers boxes. All prices in US$.

8 only 6AH6WA G.E. $3.00 ea.
2 only 6AH6 RCA $3.00 ea.
2 only 6AU6A G.E. $3.00 ea.
3 only 6BE6 RCA $3.00 ea.
4 only 12AT7 G.E. $14.00 ea.
16 only 12AX7A G.E. $14.00 ea.
1 only 12BH7A G.E. $16.00 ea.
1 only E80CC Siemens $40.00 ea.

Mininmum order $25.
Shipping to U.S. & Canada $10.00, on orders less than $100.
Shipping to U.S. & Canada included in price on orders over $100.

Joe Ship, VE2JS
5637 Melling Ave.
Montreal, QC. Canada H4W 2C1

phone (514) 482-6500
fax (514) 482-0828
email ve2js@total.net

363. Re: Anyone still love the hobby

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: dev@null.org
Message-ID: <3617ef3f.3136650@news.clark.net>
Source record: 130212
Cross-posted to: att.ham-radio,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.spa

Yeah but joining a 'LIST' to get to work a DX station through an intermediary
self-styled "RADIO GOD" like that is no fun anyway.

How BADLY do you want to work a new country?
If it means licking that bastards jack boots, I don't NEED to work the stinking
DX! I would rather wait and take my chances to work the DX the REAL way.

Some of those "DX NETS" with a control operator, sound as phoney as the County
Hunter QSOs where each station imagines they gat an RS "2-2" report from the
other guy and the relay station confirms it as a good QSO where in actual fact
they can't even hear each other at all!

HELLO? "SEVENS COME NOW - BEGINNING WITH ALPHA ONLY!!"

Recently, "Curt M. Breneman" <brenec@rpi.edu> wrote:

>JOHN WARD wrote:
>>
>> Just courious is anyone still enjoy the hobby? If so get on the air and
>> make some contacts encourage someone else to join the hobby and realize it
>> is a hobby and not a career. 73's DE W3OJ
>>
>> PS. Help some young one along the way!!!!!!
>
>Folks,
>
>Just yesterday I ran into one of those things that give newcomers the
>impression that HAM radio operators can be elitist and exclusionary -- I
>was on the 14,247 kHz DX net on 20m, going through the rotation as usual
>when I got really slammed by one of the net control guys -- just for
>giving the DX station my name and QTH! It wasn't as if I was conducting
>an extended rag-chew QSO either -- The whole thing was over in less than
>30 seconds. Apparently, it is only acceptable to give call signs,
>signal reports and 73's to DX stations on the DX net. Nevertheless, the
>language and tone in the rebuke was so completely out of proportion and
>uncalled for that I won't repeat it here. I have only been back in
>amateur radio for a month (after a 25 year hiatus), and it really gave
>me a cold feeling to think that other people just getting into HF might
>get this kind of treatment as well. People have to remember that lives
>don't depend upon the procedures used to work DX... We should be
>working towards maximizing the cooperation and pleasure of all amateur
>operators, or else we're all going to lose out. If I hadn't known that
>this was something of an aberration, I would have developed a bitter

>feeling about ham radio in general and HF in particular. As it was, it
>soured the experience for the rest of the day. I realize that nerves
>were a little ragged due to the QRM problems stemming from the
>California QSO Party, but that doesn't excuse rude behavior that is
>detrimental to the hobby as a whole.
>
>Curt M. Breneman
>KC2EBP

364. Wanted - manual for Alinco DR-1200T

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: ham@w3eax.umd.edu
Message-ID: <6v8sdn$mk3$1@w3eax.umd.edu>
Source record: 130213

Anyone have a copy of this manual?

Thanks in advance!
--
Scott Rosenfeld ARS NF3I
301-549-1022 (h) 301-982-1015 (w)
Burtonsville, MD
ham@w3eax.umd.edu http://w3eax.umd.edu/~ham

365. TRANSMITTER TUBES FOR SALE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Ship <ve2js@total.net>
Message-ID: <3617F71F.5A3B@total.net>
Source record: 130214

New transmitter tubes for sale.

2 only 4-250A @ US$40. ea.
4 only 4-125A Eimac @ US$40. ea.
2 only 3-400Z Eimac @ US$75. ea.
1 only 7704 Mullard (Philips QBL5-4000) US$450.
Shipping extra.

Joe Ship VE2JS
5637 Melling Ave.
Montreal, QC. Canada H4W 2C1

phone (514)482-6500
fax (514)482-0828
email ve2js@total.net

366. Re: Anyone still love the hobby

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: masa@radiotelephone.net.PAS_DE_SPAM
Message-ID: <3617fee1.915526@news.sprint.ca>
Source record: 130215
Cross-posted to: att.ham-radio,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.spa

<<<<<<===========--M--A--S--A--T--A--K--A----N--O--D--A--==========>>>>>>

De Sun, 04 Oct 1998 22:00:12 GMT,
<3617ef3f.3136650@news.clark.net>,
dev@null.org (The Wizard)
a �crit dans le message (Re: Anyone still love the hobby)...

==========

>Some of those "DX NETS" with a control operator,
> sound as phoney

sound as horny.... very sick.

Masataka Noda (Infinite Communications (TM)), Montr�al, Qu�bec, Canada
N� d' ICQ: 15115035
Indicatif d'appel de radioamateur: VA2QRU & VE7JPN
Pilote Avion Priv�(avec la qualification de vol de nuit)
�tudient @ m�t�orologie, physique et l'environnement d'Universit� McGill
C�: masa@radiotelephone.net.PAS_DE_SPAM
URL : http://www.radiotelephone.net (Principale/Universel)
http://www.radiotelephone.net/masataka.htm (Moi !!)
/amateur/ /no-code/ (Radio)
/mcgill/ (Universit� McGill)
/examiner/ (Examens de U.McGill)

ATTENTION: Je n'ach�terai pas ou r�ponse aucun produit des C�S non sollicit�s!!
*** Pour me repondre, enlever .PAS_DE_SPAM de mon adresse ***
*** To reply to me, remove the .PAS_DE_SPAM from my address ***

367. Re: Anyone still love the hobby

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: maestro@cix.co.uk
Message-ID: <6v8uqmnii2@plutonium.compulink.co.uk>
Source record: 130216
Cross-posted to: att.ham-radio,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.spa

On 1998-10-04 brenec@rpi.edu said:
br Newsgroups: att.ham-radio,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.
br amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dig
br JOHN WARD wrote:
br > Just courious is anyone still enjoy the hobby? If so get on the
br >air and make some contacts encourage someone else to join the
br >hobby and realize it is a hobby and not a career. 73's DE W3OJ
br > PS. Help some young one along the way!!!!!!
br Folks,
br Just yesterday I ran into one of those things that give newcomers
br the impression that HAM radio operators can be elitist and
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br through the rotation as usual when I got really slammed by one of
br the net control guys -- just for giving the DX station my name and
br QTH! It wasn't as if I was conducting an extended rag-chew QSO
br either -- The whole thing was over in less than 30 seconds.
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br reports and 73's to DX stations on the DX net. Nevertheless, the
br language and tone in the rebuke was so completely out of proportion
br and uncalled for that I won't repeat it here. I have only been
br back in amateur radio for a month (after a 25 year hiatus), and it
br really gave me a cold feeling to think that other people just
br getting into HF might get this kind of treatment as well. People
br have to remember that lives don't depend upon the procedures used
br to work DX... We should be working towards maximizing the
br cooperation and pleasure of all amateur operators, or else we're
br all going to lose out. If I hadn't known that this was something
br of an aberration, I would have developed a bitter feeling about ham
br radio in general and HF in particular. As it was, it soured the
br experience for the rest of the day. I realize that nerves were a
br little ragged due to the QRM problems stemming from the California
br QSO Party, but that doesn't excuse rude behavior that is
br detrimental to the hobby as a whole. Curt M. Breneman
br KC2EBP

Net-Tamer V 1.12 Beta - Registered

Funny you should mention that. I've been very quiet on 2 metres in the
UK for many years but in July I was near Kendal on holiday and thought I
would ask after an old G3 friend so I made a short call through the
local repeater.

Three people came back to say that you get funny types using the repeater nowadays, who haven't paid lately.

In spite of stories about Scottish parsimony, I think it is safe to say that passers by are VERY welcome to use Scottish 2 m repeaters and are not expected to pay.

Evidently the comradehsip we have been used to in amateur radio is no longer all-pervading. Now get off my bandwidth.

368. For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: mousie <mousie@n-jcenter.com>
Message-ID: <01bdefe7$ce8a5ce0$0d751ad1@default>
Source record: 130217

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TenTec Hercules II Amplifier with Remote Control Unit
-----------------------------------------
500 watts

Perfect condition. Works great!

$600

Clay Langston - WB8ZMV

904-756-8952
```

369. Yaesu FT-920 Price Reduction..?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Seth Miller <seth.miller@NOSPAMworldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3618055C.42F4EBB1@NOSPAMworldnet.att.net>
Source record: 130218

The Yaesu FT-920 is on sale at HRO (well, the Sunnyvale, CA store at least) for $1,495.00, down from over $2k... anyone know why such a drastic reduction..?

- Seth N6BMB

370. Re: 24hr Clock

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ken Bickel <ac4vv@RemoveTHISqsl.net>
Message-ID: <6v90vv$58v$1@news.megsinet.net>
Source record: 130219

Try MFJ - I believe they ahve several models

Your Name wrote in message <6v6peq$6jq@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>...
>Looking to buy a used, low cost, 24 hour clock. Dial type.
>
>Please e-mail direct to dsolomon@worldnet.att.net
>
>
>
>

371. Re: Yaesu FRG-7 For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: sfritts@icx.net
Message-ID: <361806f1.1575743@news3.icx.net>
Source record: 130220

On Sun, 04 Oct 1998 16:38:09 GMT, deanntx@e-tex.com wrote:

WHEW!!! Must be gold lined!!!

>I have this receiver for sale and is in mint condition and works perfectly.
>
>Asking $200.00 plus shipping.
>
>Leave email to deanntx@e-tex.com
>
>-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

372. Re: Isotron Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Clarke <w2blc599@radiolink.net>
Message-ID: <361808b2.0@news3.ibm.net>
Source record: 130221

Amen!

--
Bill Clarke W2BLC
W2BLC@radiolink.net

373. Re: New ICOM 706MkII Microphone Gain Low?, Please Help.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Clarke <w2blc599@radiolink.net>
Message-ID: <361808ff.0@news3.ibm.net>
Source record: 130222

I have one, the hand mike is a piece of junk. Put an SM-6 on it and it is great. Good rig - bad mike!!!!

--
Bill Clarke W2BLC
W2BLC@radiolink.net

374. Re: Yaesu FRG-7 For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb7vkl@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981004195008.25966.00006848@ng38.aol.com>
Source record: 130223

>AMFONE sputtered:
>In article <6v889hfcg1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
> deanntx@e-tex.com wrote:
>> I have this receiver for sale and is in mint condition and works perfectly.
>>
>> Asking $200.00 plus shipping.
>>
>> Leave email to deanntx@e-tex.com

>>
> wow what a deal.. its worth about $75.00 if mint
>

They've been selling for $175 to $225 on Ebay lately, it seems that some people
like the FRG-7 more then you do.

Bill

375. RE: PRO 2021 resistor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: n2ey@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981003202519.23095.00005759@ng72.aol.com>
Source record: 130224

>urei@aol.com (Urei)
>Date: Sat, Oct 3, 1998 18:46 EDT
>Message-id: <19981003184608.09054.00002877@ng12.aol.com

wrote:
>
>In regard to the resistor problem in the PRO 2021, In mine R134 is RED, RED,
>ORANGE, GOLD. Sorry, I can never remember how the colors relate to value,
>and I can't find my Resist-o-guide. Let me know how you make out.

That works out to 22,000 ohms, 5% tolerance

73 de Jim, N2EY

376. FS: Johnson Viking Valiant - Excellent!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chuck O'Neal <coneal@ultranet.com>
Message-ID: <01bdef30$6d738d80$954406d1@default>
Source record: 130225
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Johnson Viking Valiant, looks new, in excellent,
all original, unmodified condition.
Factory wired unit, with manual copy. The best
one I've ever seen!!
Works perfectly. $495 or best offer. I will be
taking this rig to the
Rochester NH hamfest this coming weekend if it
doesn't sell here.
Prefer local pick up or delivery. Not sure if it
is too heavy for UPS??
73,
Chuck...K1KW

377. WTB: Nye MB-V A (or B) antenna tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: japalese@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981003225904.04703.00003111@ngol08.aol.com>
Source record: 130226

Please state price and condx.

73

378. WANTED: Manual for Heathkit GR-43A Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: gharmon@idworld.net
Message-ID: <3616e5e3.55526844@news.idworld.net>
Source record: 130227

Need original or copy of the manual for a Heathkit GR-43A TransOceanic
type receiver.

Thanks in advance.

gary

379. FS: Milittary Tuning Units, Handset, Phone Control

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jrubbo770@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981003231439.16370.00005753@ng-fc1.aol.com>
Source record: 130228

Following for sale:

-Military Tuning Units:TU-52 (6.35-8.0) & TU-54 (12-18MC) -both in good condition
for $10.00 plus shpg.
Will throw in TU-50 (4-5MC) & TU-53 for free because phenolic connector board in rear of these units is cracked.

-Military Handset 2B613, H-94/U, 1952, Conn. Tel. & Elec. Corp., new in box never
opened for $20.00 plus shpg.

-US Army Interphone Control Box, BC-606-D, Western Electric, 1942, new condition, $10. plus shpg.

Contact : Jerry Rubbo, 127 S Cedar Hollow Rd., Paoli, Pa. 19301

380. WTB: 24hr Clock

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Your Name <DSolomon@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6v6peq$6jq@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 130229

Looking to buy a used, low cost, 24 hour clock. Dial type.

Please e-mail direct to dsolomon@worldnet.att.net

381. ICOM Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: reedg@nwlink.com
Message-ID: <6v6pmtkmd1@texas.nwlink.com>
Source record: 130230
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,

What are reasonable prices for the following ICOM equipment in excellent condition?
1) ICOM IC-4KL linear
2) ICOM IC-4KL remote controller
3) ICOM PS-30 power supply
4) ICOM AT500 antenna tuner
5) ICOM IC-551D 6 meter xcvr
6) ICOM IC-751A xcvr

Gail
KC8V

382. Heathkit HW-101 for a beginner??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: wseward@megsinet.net
Message-ID: <6v6orm$c2r$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 130231

Is an Heathkit a good HF starter rig for a HF beginner? I'd love to hear what anyone has to say (both good and bad) about this rig. Also, what is the most you might pay for one in good condition...if you'd even buy one that is. Thanks!

--
-\/\/ard--KB9TFF
wseward@megsinet.net

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

383. Help Pac Comm TNC 220

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: delfin@psyconet.com.ar
Message-ID: <6v6leu$30q$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 130232

Hello and thanks for read my message and your help
I have a Pac Comm tnc-220 packet controller and problems to work it
I can receive packets ok, but I cannot work on transmission
When I turn on the tnc, the power and DCD leds lights on and the light of DCD
led extinguish after 2 seconds . Here, all is Ok.
When I run de soft on the screen display the message:
A
Pac Comm Tnc - 220 Packet Controller
AX 25 level 2 version 2.0
Features
Personal message system
Release 1.1.6 10/25/88 - 32 K Ram
Checksum $34
Cmd:
Heart character
C (Why these symbols? - I do not
know what means)
Heart character
C
Heart character
C
Heart character

Here, the bell sound long and at the top windows appears "TNC not ready" and
again the bell sound short and the message change to "Disconnected" at top
windows

Then, I can see the packets from others stations on the screen, but when I try
to make a connection, any led glow (except the power led). This means the tnc
do not transmit to the rig.

My tnc is attached to the PC by a serial cable RS 232 as follow:
PC TNC
1-----------1
TXD 2-----------2
RXD 3-----------3
RTS 4---- ------4 I checked all connections are Ok
CTS 5--- -- -----5
DSR 6----- -----6
SG 7-----------7 signal ground
DCD 8-----------8
DTR 20----------20
22----------22

When I check the Rs 232 status display these values:
8250 (MSR register)
Adress: $3e8
DTR - RTS - TERI - DDCD - DSR(6) - RG (22) - DCD (8) : 0 (for all)
CTS (5) : 1

Can you tell me what is happening and what can I do?
Thank you very much in advance for your help
Marcelo delfin@psyconet.com.ar

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

384. Re: Anyone still love the hobby

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Josh Humphries <jhumphri@bigfoot.com>
Message-ID: <3616F47F.C12F9CE3@bigfoot.com>
Source record: 130233
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

I'm new to the hobby
I'm 17
and I LOVE it what little of a taste I've had...
BTW..
i'm searching for equipment
i can't promise much money or tax deductions

73,

Josh Humphries KG4AFB

385. Tech America

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: T E I X E I R A <teixeira@ccnet.com>
Message-ID: <361700D2.26A3@ccnet.com>
Source record: 130234
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

I have used Tech America Mail order....No Sales Tax! They have excellent sales also....They are selling the Alinco Credit Card sized 2 meter & 70 cm ht with speaker mike for $79.

386. kenwood 830s tuning problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: guardm@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981004014232.06343.00006086@ng08.aol.com>
Source record: 130235

I have a kenwood TS-830S and it seems that when I tune through the bands the knob will move but the frequency will not move right away. It does move after a few seconds and if you go really slow it doesn't seem to skip any of the band. I can live with it, but it's a real pain in the butt to tune something in a hurry. Is this a common problem? Does anyone know how to fix this?
TNX
Mev KG9NF
Mev guardm@aol.com

387. Re: Fry's Electronics a "RIP OFF"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: psNOSPAM@adnc.com
Message-ID: <36181c0f.17354271@news.adnc.com>
Source record: 130236
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,ba.music,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Check out Fry's on-line employment application!
http://www.best.com/~braith/frys.htm

388. Bendix King LPH5141

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Morgan Chenier <m_chenier@cariboo.bc.ca>
Message-ID: <36172702.6404@cariboo.bc.ca>
Source record: 130237

I have a partial copy of the manual and can access the programing mode. But can this model do DTMF and how is the feature activated and used?

m_chenier@cariboo.bc.ca

389. FS: AEA PK-232 MBX in Pristine Condition

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: cosmic@nowhere.com
Message-ID: <36171887.44695291@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 130238

For Sale:

The PK-232 MBX is complete with Original Box, Packing Materials, Cables (one for Kenwood Transceiver), AEA Operating Manual, DOS Packratt Software and original HRO purchase receipt.

Hardly ever used, this controller is in pristine condition. Including the Packratt software, the total price when purchased new from Ham Radio Outlet was $364.90.

If you are interested in purchasing this piece of quality equipment, drop me an Email or give me a call with the price you are willing to pay. The highest offer takes the prize.

Sincerely,

Dick Fults
K6SX

rf@atomicpage.com
650-372-8079 Day or Evening

390. FS ICOM 737at KENWOOD ts850s/at

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: angelo diaz <rdia@suffolk.lib.ny.us>
Message-ID: <3617269F.83D3D9B5@suffolk.lib.ny.us>
Source record: 130239

Hello and Thanks for reading this!
My name is Rafael Diaz call is (kb2mym). I am a disabled ham and would like to upgrade my shack.
I have in very good mint shape ICOM ic -737 built in tuner dual antenna jacks,vox-unit ex1514, sp-21 speaker, hand mic, manual, bencher paddle black w crome. asking $800.00 will ship C.O.D. cash only (no checks)

next is a KENWOOD ts-850s/at w/ all has digital recorder, both filters cw,ssb, if-232 computer interface, sp-31 speaker, tr-2000 headset w foot peddle, mc-80 mic have both manuals operations and service.
note: mc-80 mic was not bought new by me, has a few marks when i bought it. i polished it up as best i could and came out really nice.
asking $1,300.00 will ship C.O.D. cash only (no checks)

i will pay shipping on both radios in lower 48
you can send you message o kb2mym@geocities.com or call me @
516-665-2667
from 10 am to 10 pm Mon. - friday EST

would also consider trading these two radios for a near new ICOM ic-756 w sm-20 mic
160 -10 m w 6 mtr and both filters cw ssb and sp-21 speaker.

i would do a straight trade
as that is the radio i plan on buying..
thank you all for reading this..

PS: for those of you who have bought 8877 matched set eimac tubes from me before in the past. i have been gotten notice that another case will be here soon. and i will keep the same price $450.00+ shipping each tube. if you want a matched set you will get a matched set for $900.00 + shipping. you know what they go for. those of you who have bought from me know me and the tubes are date marked 95 at that time, these will most likely be mark 96 but will post what year they are. those who bought know they had no problem's w tubes...
will post as soon i they arrive.. thank you

391. FS KENWOOD TS-440 AT MINT $850.00 BEST N1HHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gabriel G melo <n1hhf@110.net>
Message-ID: <6v79oh$880$1@stalker.oem.net>
Source record: 130240

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392. Re: Anyone still love the hobby

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: maestro@cix.co.uk
Message-ID: <6v7e6f$48i$5@plutonium.compulink.co.uk>
Source record: 130241
Cross-posted to: att.ham-radio,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.spa

On 1998-10-03 HITECH@EROLS.COM said:
HI Newsgroups: att.ham-radio,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.
HI amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dig
HI Just courious is anyone still enjoy the hobby? If so get on the
HI air and make some contacts encourage someone else to join the hobby
HI and realize it is a hobby and not a career. 73's DE W3OJ
HI PS. Help some young one along the way!!!!!!

Er, Yes. I have to scrape around and find substitute tubes, circuits, string, etc because I have not been earning for a few years. I find the discussions, tips, hints on these groups very helpful. I also learn a lot of "abstract" stuff like it's silly to use 6L6s just at the moment; but I know there are 101 tubes I can use instead, which have not been laid upon an altar by hi-fi magazines.

And suchlike.

73 de Bill, gm8apx

Timeo Danaos et dona ferentes

Net-Tamer V 1.12 Beta - Registered

393. re: I need help for my KAM interface !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dietmar Otterstaetter aus Betzdorf <DL4HAO@TalkNet.de>
Message-ID: <361742ED.FAD1D52D@TalkNet.de>
Source record: 130242

KAM @WW de:DL4HAO 04.10.98 09:30 5 1014 Bytes
re: I need help for my kam !
*** Bulletin-ID: 04A801DB0SGL ***

de DL4HAO @ DB0SGL.#NRW.DEU.EU (Dietmar)
to KAM @ WW

Hello dear KAM Users...
Some days ago, I asked for help abt. my KAM interface...
Here is some help which I received :

From: G0MSL@GB7TJF.#45.GBR.EU
To : DL4HAO@DB0SGL.#NRW.DEU.EU

Hello Dietmar, James from Glastonbury here.

I am not sure if your problem with the Kam is the same as I and
few other
hams here suffered a little while ago. There was 6 hams here that
bought
Kams at the same time and after about 7-8 years, they all had a
fault. It
was traced to the capacitors at the front 'drying' out???

There are 3 electrolitic caps on the front of the board. Try
replacing
them. We did and ours have all been OK since.

Best wishes, James G0MSL

...
I hope this is a help for other (old) KAM users.

Wish you all a nice time
vy 73 de Dietmar, (also eMail : DL4HAO@TalkNet.de)

(KAM) DL4HAO de DB0SGL>quit

394. Re: Fry's Electronics a "RIP OFF"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: roncook@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <361943c5.728938801@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 130243

On Sat, 03 Oct 1998 20:10:41 -0500, Unassigned <ceyoung@gte.net>
wrote:

>
>
>clintbrad4d@earthlink.net wrote:
>
>> In article <36127890.52A2@midusa.net>,
>> kb0yev@midusa.net wrote:
>>
>> > As a note you are "subjected to an inspection" when you leave a Sam's
>> > Club.
>>
>> And CompUSA...and Home Depot...
> Really? I shop both stores in Plano, Tx and have never been subjected to a
>search.
>
< snipped >

Interesting -- I shop at two local CompUSA stores (Danvers and Woburn,
MA) and two local Home Depot stores (Saugus and Danvers, MA). CompUSA
does check the receipt but rarely notices what is actually in a bag.
Home Depot has never checked any parcel I've carried into or from the
store.

Ron N1ZHI
roncook@att.net
cook@amsa.com <-- preferred
cooky@delphi.com

395. Looking for good ham-radio store in New York

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: fj@sni.dk
Message-ID: <3613e355.13795108@149.212.63.99>
Source record: 130244

Dr. OMs in New York

Next week I will be in New York, central part of Manhattan
(Walldorf-Astoria). Can anybody recommend a nice well assorted
ham-shop in this area?

Please send me a short note via e-mail tnx e-mail: fj@sni.dk

Best 73 de OZ2Q - Frits in Copenhagen -

396. Programming software for VHF radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: onexco@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <361758fd.59421198@news.swbell.net>
Source record: 130245

Does anybody know where you can find software for programming VHF radios like a Motorola Maxtrax? Thanks.

397. Re: Kenwood TS-570D S/N 00300075

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4bh@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <3617860a.1381743@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 130246

Shel,
You didn't say where you purchased the radio from, so I'm going to
assume it was new from a dealer. Contact who you bought it from and
ask them. Make sure it is OK to open the package and if the radio is
not what you ordered you can return it for exchange AT THEIR EXPENSE.

Gud luk
Ken
KK4BHOn Fri, 02 Oct 1998 23:30:34 -0700, "Sheldon C. Shallon"
<scs@ieee.org> wrote:

>Does this S/N have the G upgrade? Any other comments on this S/N?
>I ordered the TS-570D(G) and received this TS-570. I don't want to open
>the carton until I know it is what I ordered.
>
>Many thanks.
>Shel, W6EL
>--
>From Sheldon C. Shallon, Los Angeles, CA USA
>Please address any reply or new mail to scs@ieee.org

398. Re: Help Pac Comm TNC 220

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: ritzman@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981004074924.17713.00010495@ng66.aol.com>
Source record: 130247

Marcello:

Try the following:

Ctrl + C (hold the Ctrl key and letter C key down at the same time)

The screen should respond with:

cmd:

At this point enter the connect command (which is the letter c) a space and the callsign of the node you want to connect to.

Example:

cmd: c kb1chs

Press the enter key. The TNC should connect.

I will e-mail a file to you containing the Pac-Com commands as well as the internal jumper settings as they appear in my TNC-220.

73,
Steve
KB1CHS

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Steve Ritzi - KB1CHS
Portland, Maine
ritzman@aol.com
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399. FOR SALE - Kenwood HF TS-430S and MFJ Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: nomad2122@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6v7tdeubt1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 130248

Kenwood HF TS-403S transceiver with car mounting brackets.
MFJ Versa Tuner II (941D)

Perfect condition

Both for 300.00

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400. FS: Kenwood PS-52 Power Supply 110V 13.8v @ 20a

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: oalonso@pacificnet.net
Message-ID: <6v7uae$7f$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 130249

Kenwood PS-52 Power supply used by most solid state radios
(IE: TS-850, TS-570, TS-130, etc..). 20amp at 13.8 volts.
I sold my TS-850 and have no reason to leave it sit on the self.
The unit is only about 3-4 months old. Ham Radio Outlet sells this unit for
$279. Buyer payes shipping. This unit is currently on auction at eBay
Visit there site at:

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=33755388

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401. Visit Skywaves - The vintage set operator's site

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: N1QVE <harry@connix.com>
Message-ID: <36176E62.AC6D76AC@connix.com>
Source record: 130250
Cross-posted to: rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hi
If you are interested in operating old B/C radios, early radio theory, and more, visit Skywaves, my vintage site now entering its 3rd year on the web:

http://www.connix.com/~harry/radio.htm

Specializing in: Zenith TO, RadIII, AK20C, RA/DA & RC, Crosley 51, S38.
Kind regards & 73
Harry

--
Harry White
Yale School of Forestry and Environmental Studies
205 Prospect Street
New Haven, CT 06511
harry.white@yale.edu harry@connix.com

402. Where's the sweet spot?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jsm@n4vu.dyn.ml.org
Message-ID: <6v7q5f$ce3$1@n4vu.dyn.ml.org>
Source record: 130251

Just wondering if there's a consensus re: the best of the
non-synthesized all-solid-state transceivers with built-in digital
frequency display?

Yeah, I do realize the huge number of superb rigs that particular
description rules out . . .

73,
--
John Miller, N4VU Linux! Offense should be in
'96 base model MCA #70258 short supply; so much
"Shiroi Kuruma" DoD #1942 more is taken than given

403. fs tubes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: BOB BIEKER <n9tew@jorsm.com>
Message-ID: <3617771F.E2655F36@jorsm.com>
Source record: 130252
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homb
rew,rec.radio.shortwave

NOS TUBES - MATCHED PAIR OF 6JS6C TUBES PLUS A 12BY7A DRIVER (BULK PACK
RCA SILVER TONE) 64.00 (32.00 EACH). MATCHED PAIR OF 6146W OR 6JB6 PLUS
A 12BY7A DRIVER (BULK PACK RCA SILVER TONE) 36.00 (18.00 EACH) 6LQ6
32.00,6LR6 25.00, 6KD6 30.00, 6JG6 25.00,6LF6 OR 20LF6 40.00,6JT6
20.00.OTHER TUBES ARE AVAILABLE USED TUBES ARE AVAILABLE FOR 50% OFF.
ALL TUBES ARE TESTED . BEST TO EMAIL ME AT n9tew@jorsm.com

404. FS Motorola low split HT-90 @4

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: searay270@juno.com
Message-ID: <6v820h$6gb$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 130253

I have 4 matching 2 ch. HT-90 hand helds currently on 142 MHZ. No simplex channels at present. All batteries need replacement, but they all work with a PS. Rubber ducks are a little rough. Radios are in good condx with some light ID # etching on the plastic. No chargers. $175 + UPS shipping from 34241 for all four. Money back less shipping if not as represented. E_mail for more detailed info.

Thanks for reading.

Jack Myers W3RU
Sarasota, FL

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405. Re: Alinco DJ-C5 Mod Request

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Hong <jim@futurevision.net>
Message-ID: <6v7ulv$39m$1@supernews.com>
Source record: 130254

Thanks to all who e-mailed me the mod info.

Here it is for any one looking for it. I have done this mod and it works.

Open up the back of the radio and find the small loop of red wire, and cut
it. Close the radio back up and turn it on while holding the function key
and the M/W key. Thats all there is to it.
Have fun!

Jim Hong wrote in message <6upeck$r0p$1@supernews.com>...
>I'm looking for the mod for the Alinco DJ-C5 to expand the TX+RX
>
>Please e-mail to jim@futurevision.net or post to the NG
>
>Thanks in advance,
>
>Jim - KA8ZGP
>
>

406. Re: Heathkit HW-101 for a beginner??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: ham@cybercomm.net
Message-ID: <361774ec.721143@news.cybercomm.net>
Source record: 130255

Since they are built by ..someone???,
there reliability is sometimes questionable.
Perhaps a new ham wants to get on the air a bit, and not
be concerned with whether there is a dirty tube socket, or
a bad solder joint.
I have an SB303 built by an engineering professor. It is solid as a
rock. I also have an SB102 that just never seems quite right.

...Dave

On Sun, 04 Oct 1998 03:08:39 GMT, wseward@megsinet.net wrote:

>Is an Heathkit a good HF starter rig for a HF beginner? I'd love to hear what
>anyone has to say (both good and bad) about this rig. Also, what is the most
>you might pay for one in good condition...if you'd even buy one that is.
>Thanks!
>
>--
>-\/\/ard--KB9TFF
>wseward@megsinet.net
>
>-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

407. Anyone still use 2M packet??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: ham@cybercomm.net
Message-ID: <361775c9.941812@news.cybercomm.net>
Source record: 130256

Before I started fooling around with the internet, I had my 2 meter
rig hooked up to a packet TNC. It was kinda fun.
The PacCom unit broke, and I never got it fixed.
Is there still some packet activity going on???
...Dave

408. FS: Azden PCS-7500H 6 meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Michele S. Jarrett" <kb8qiz@bright.net>
Message-ID: <6v80mh$4r6$1@cletus.bright.net>
Source record: 130257

Hello and thank you for taking the time to read this.

I have for sale an Azden PCS-7500H 6 meter mobile radio. It runs with 5 watts or 50 watts out on 6 meter FM. It is in very good condition and for people who care about this sort of thing (like me), I am not a smoker. My selling price is $325 (the $25 is for shipping and handling). I will also sell a Kenwood DC power supply (model KPS-7) for another $50 bucks. That means, I will sell the whole package for $375.

If interested, please email me at kb8qiz@bright.net and I will get back with you as soon as possible.

Thank you once again.

73,
Michele (KB8QIZ) Jarrett
kb8qiz@bright.net

409. WTB: Kenwood TS-930, with broken or missing processor board

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris
Message-ID: <NEWTNews.907510556.11340.c_sieg@mecs.conknet.com>
Source record: 130258
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hi Folks,
I'm in the process of finishing up a redesign of the TS-930 uP board and am looking for a couple of rigs to use as test beds. I would prefer units that are in good shape, with the exception of the uP board of course, but I'm not that picky at this stage of the project. Also, if anyone is in need of a processor board I should have them available shortly. The new board includes a RS-232 computer interface and extra memory.

Thanks for your help,

-Chris WA3LDI
e-mail c_sieg@conknet.com

410. FS: Collins (RE) KWM-2A/516F-2/312B-4

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Randy B." <rbkb8iii@erinet.com>
Message-ID: <6v82bs$hr8@nntp1.erinet.com>
Source record: 130259
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I have for sale a (RE) KWM-2A with a 516-F2 power supply and a 312B-4 station console. All pcs. are in VGC. I'm asking $1100.00 for the package plus shipping.

Randy KB8III

411. Icom T8A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Derek Maxwell <maxwellw@comcat.com>
Message-ID: <36178BB2.97F93430@comcat.com>
Source record: 130260

Does the Icom T8A have CTCSS encode/decode ability. If not, is it availabe as an option. Thanks!

--
Derek Maxwell
maxwellw@comcat.com

412. Re: Heathkit HW-101 for a beginner??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: William Lee <n5wrx@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <6v82f7$83$1@samsara0.mindspring.com>
Source record: 130261

Go for it Ward. I used one for years. That radio is as tough as they come and you will learn a lot about operating a tube transmitter with it. You should be able to get one in good working condition with full output for around $150 - $250 with the power supply and microphone. Appearance is the key factor in pricing this radio. They used to be refered to as a poor mans Collins because they work much like a Collins KWM-2. As you progress and expand your abilitys and radio skills you will most likely outgrow the HW-101 and move on into the digital type radios but for now it would be a very good choice for a beginner who wants to do more than turn on a box and talk.

William Lee

wseward@megsinet.net wrote in message <6v6orm$c2r$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>Is an Heathkit a good HF starter rig for a HF beginner? I'd love to hear what
>anyone has to say (both good and bad) about this rig. Also, what is the most
>you might pay for one in good condition...if you'd even buy one that is.
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>wseward@megsinet.net
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>------------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

413. New ICOM 706MkII Microphone Gain Low?, Please Help.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Craig <cpu_nut@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <36178F07.3D90@yahoo.com>
Source record: 130262

I recently got an Icom 706MkII, and I need some help with a question:

In my opinion the Mic gain seems kind of low. If I have the compressor off, and the output power on (H)igh on HF SSB, I need to turn the Mic gain all the way to (H)igh and then talk very loud touching the Mic to get even minimal ALC action. If I turn on the compressor, then I can set the Mic gain to about 5, but I still need to talk louder than I would consider normal. I am using the stock hand Mic.

Is this just my radio, of is this common to 706MkIIs?

I only have a day left to swap it out at HRO, so any opinions are appreciated.

Thanks in advance,

Craig

414. WTB: Heath relay for SB-401

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: k9sqg@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981004110816.12558.00003376@ng11.aol.com>
Source record: 130263

This is a listing for a gentleman that does not have Internet access.

Wanted, Heath part number 69-40, 5 pole relay for SB-401, might also be present in SB-400. Please call Lee direct, after 4 PM Eastern time, 912-922-1860.

Thanks and 73.

Evan

415. Icom T8A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Derek Maxwell <maxwellw@comcat.com>
Message-ID: <36178EF7.F534742C@comcat.com>
Source record: 130264

Does the Icom T8A have CTCSS Encode/Decode? If not, is it available as an option. Thanks, for most of the repeaters in my area are tone controlled and i aminterested in getting the T8A.

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Derek Maxwell
maxwellw@comcat.com

416. fs/ KENWOOD TS 140s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Buddy Mclawhorn <buddymclawhorn@sprintmail.com>
Message-ID: <36178988.641E@sprintmail.com>
Source record: 130265
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Kenwood TS 140S HF rig.
Good condition. 100 watt, 10 - 160, Gen. coverage. IF shift.
With manual. (sorry no box) $550.00

Email buddymclawhorn@sprintmail.com

Buddy

417. WTB: Uniden HR-2510 in Northern CA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: castles@jps.net
Message-ID: <36179167.0@blushng.jps.net>
Source record: 130266

I would like to buy a HR-2510 from someone in Northern CA. Please e-mail me if you have a nice one for sale. Thanks, Don W6QEY

418. Re: WTB/Trade Yaesu FRG-7

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: deanntx@e-tex.com
Message-ID: <6v87lu$eg3$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 130267

In article <6uv4e9$f58$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
ccar@geocities.com wrote:
> Looking for a nice FRG-7 in very good condition.
>
> Thanks!
>
> ccar@geocities.com
>
> -----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own
>

I have one in mint condition and works perfectly. Asking $200.00 plus
shipping.

Leave email to deanntx@e-tex.com

-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

419. Yaesu FRG-7 For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: deanntx@e-tex.com
Message-ID: <6v889hfcg1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 130268

I have this receiver for sale and is in mint condition and works perfectly.

Asking $200.00 plus shipping.

Leave email to deanntx@e-tex.com

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

420. Re: Icom T8A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: roncook@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <36179637.5124073@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 130269

Yes, it does.

On Sun, 04 Oct 1998 10:52:34 -0400, Derek Maxwell
<maxwellw@comcat.com> wrote:

>Does the Icom T8A have CTCSS encode/decode ability. If not, is it
>availabe as an option. Thanks!

Ron N1ZHI
roncook@att.net
cook@amsa.com <-- preferred
cooky@delphi.com

421. Re: Anyone still love the hobby

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pewter Pot <{pewter}@{harborside.com}>
Message-ID: <01HW.B23CE1D401238D7F01360900@news.harborside.com>
Source record: 130270
Cross-posted to: att.ham-radio,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.spa

I'm still spending money on it, so I better be enjoying myself.

Seriously, I just bought my first HF radio, a Ten-Tec Scout. I
consider it motivation to upgrade, since with my Tech + licence
is a bit short in the HF privileges.

Today I built my first antenna, a long wire approximately 150 ft long.
Tomorrow I contemplate a 10m vertical. This to give me something
to do on the air while I try to relearn enough code to be
intelligible.

Am I enjoying myself. I don't know, I am too busy to notice. :)

On Sun, 4 Oct 1998 2:12:57 +0000, JOHN WARD wrote
(in message <6v6l5mlhj1@winter.news.erols.com>):
>
> Just courious is anyone still enjoy the hobby? If so get on the air and
> make some contacts encourage someone else to join the hobby and realize it
> is a hobby and not a career. 73's DE W3OJ
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>
> PS. Help some young one along the way!!!!!!
>
>

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Mikel Potts
{pewter}@{harborside.com}
http://www.harborside.com/home/p/pewter/index.html

422. Re: Vanity Automobile License Plates

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gil <W1GIL@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <361788CA.827ADE38@qsl.net>
Source record: 130271

I like that, Eric!

Regular vanity plates in the state of New Hampshire are an additional $25.00 over your registration fees. There is currently a debate in the legislature about "special interest" plates. The last proposal I saw was to require a $5000.00 fee and 7500 signatures to cover the cost of setup and ensuring there was sufficient interest so that every small group would not be able to obtain them.
(We don't really need a "Ferret Breeders of NH" and similar plates.")

I appreciate the info about NY and will forward it to my Representatives.
Might be a solution to our problem.

Gil

EricS61 wrote:

> Robert,
> The newly designed Amateur Radio license plates for NY are not considered
> a "vanity" plate anymore, but fall under the category of Emergency Services.
> Thus the reason one no longer get's charged the "Vanity" fees of the past.
> The process to get them is a simple phone call to Albany followed by mailing
> in a copies of you Amateur Radio License, Vehicle Registration, and $18.
> During the "Vanity" days, you had several forms to fill out, and I believe it
> cost $40 plus a renewal fee when it came time for reregistration.
>

423. 0-10 db attenators for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Gass KB4UG <wildbob@shcircuit.com>
Message-ID: <3617AA86.6A03@shcircuit.com>
Source record: 130272

I have some Wavetek and Telonics attenuators for sale. They are rotary drum
type and have BNC connectors on them. They are 0-10 db in 1 db steps. They
are mounted in a steel box (about 5 x 8)that is open on the bottom and has
N female connectors. The N female connectors attach to male BNC connectors
using double shielded RG58. These were used in a TV factory to set chan 14
signal levels for testing the UHF tuners. Price is 25.00 each, shipped
CONUS.

Bob KB4UG

424. F.S.: Yaesu 990 AC-DC base Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Schuckert <mikes@newulmtel.net>
Message-ID: <361799BB.46E0@newulmtel.net>
Source record: 130273
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

This radio works and looks well. It has no wear marks on its face. I
will not state mint condition because that phrase means an in box
condition which has never been opened. The radio does however look close
to new. It is a 4 year old radio.The price is $1250.00 Mike.....
e-mail to above address. Thanks

425. Re: Vanity Automobile License Plates

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: summitrt@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981003202205.25996.00002141@ng116.aol.com>
Source record: 130322

I have my call sign on my truck and get asked if I am a fan of "Run DMC" since my call is N2DMC. The new NY ham plates do look good and cost $10. extra every two years to register. They are not considered vanity plates. The best vanity plate I have seen is
"IMOKRU".

Bob

426. Henry 2KD on WARC Bands?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: darrell.earnshaw@sap-ag.de
Message-ID: <6vb72riuf1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129975

Has anyone tried the Henry 2KD amplifier on the WARC bands? Will it work, and if so, what are the (rough) dial settings?

Thanks,

Darrell.

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427. Re: Anyone still love the hobby

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim <amcastmis@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <361911EC.A7A3CA04@earthlink.net>
Source record: 129976
Cross-posted to: att.ham-radio,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.spa

Hi Curt,

I've noticed similar things with some of the various nets and some operators in general. Personally, I never use the DX nets, I'd rather work them on my own. Anyone can work DX if the guy is waiting to hear you. If you can't, you'd better be thinking of a new antenna system. However, in the support of these nets, they do tend to lesson the QRM on the bands by keeping things a bit more orderly. I've learned to just ignore the attitudes of some of these people. I think that maybe a lot of them are bitter old men (not to say that all old men are bitter, hell, at 47 I guess I'm considered an old man HiHi) who long for the good old days of tubes, crystals, AM and resist change and things they don't personally like at all costs. For instance, this last weekend during the Cal QSO party, on every band I operated someone would show up and throw a carrier on top of my cq's. Since I have a modern radio with auto notch they weren't very successful in bothering me but they might have chased away a few trying to call me. I'm sure it wasn't directed at me personally since I've never made an enemy on the air (that I'm aware of). I'm sure it was just some dork who doesn't like contests since he's no good at operating that mode and figured that he'd single handly run everyone off the band. It didn't work. The contest continued without his approval. Probably someone who tells the same story to the same guys on the same frequency at the same time everyday and just didn't know what to do for and entire day without his 'sked'. Pretty sad person in my opinion! I don't understand it anyway, everyone knows when the contests are (if they read QST) and could easily make arrangements to move their skeds way 'up' the band where most contesters don't go anyway. Just arrogance and stubbornness in my humble opinion. A few contests ago I heard one old coot literally screaming at someone to move off 'his' frequency. The poor guy eventually did, only to have someone else move in a bit later and start calling cq contest so he gained nothing! When there's a contest, the bands are crowded, get over it guys!

Jim
Call withheld to avoid future carriers that might be directed at me personally

Curt M. Breneman wrote:

> JOHN WARD wrote:
> >
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> > make some contacts encourage someone else to join the hobby and realize it
> > is a hobby and not a career. 73's DE W3OJ
> >
> > PS. Help some young one along the way!!!!!!

>
> Folks,
>
> Just yesterday I ran into one of those things that give newcomers the
> impression that HAM radio operators can be elitist and exclusionary -- I
> was on the 14,247 kHz DX net on 20m, going through the rotation as usual
> when I got really slammed by one of the net control guys -- just for
> giving the DX station my name and QTH! It wasn't as if I was conducting
> an extended rag-chew QSO either -- The whole thing was over in less than
> 30 seconds. Apparently, it is only acceptable to give call signs,
> signal reports and 73's to DX stations on the DX net. Nevertheless, the
> language and tone in the rebuke was so completely out of proportion and
> uncalled for that I won't repeat it here. I have only been back in
> amateur radio for a month (after a 25 year hiatus), and it really gave
> me a cold feeling to think that other people just getting into HF might
> get this kind of treatment as well. People have to remember that lives
> don't depend upon the procedures used to work DX... We should be
> working towards maximizing the cooperation and pleasure of all amateur
> operators, or else we're all going to lose out. If I hadn't known that
> this was something of an aberration, I would have developed a bitter
> feeling about ham radio in general and HF in particular. As it was, it
> soured the experience for the rest of the day. I realize that nerves
> were a little ragged due to the QRM problems stemming from the
> California QSO Party, but that doesn't excuse rude behavior that is
> detrimental to the hobby as a whole.
>
> Curt M. Breneman
> KC2EBP

428. VALVE DISPOSAL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Wigley <rambler@globalnet.co.uk>
Message-ID: <6vb3cn$4do$1@newnews.global.net.uk>
Source record: 129977

Two 813 vales with one base for sale these are new and unused.
Matched pair 6146B P.A valves (FT101 transceiver amongst others)
Three PL 509 TV Line output valves
The following are brand new and boxed
12AU7, 6AU8, EB91, ECC81, 3S4, ECF80, EF86, EF81,ECC82, ECC91, EF91, IT4,
IS5,IR5

G4RVU Qthr Derby

429. FS WINDOWS 98 NEW FRENCH VERSION N1HHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gabriel G melo <n1hhf@110.net>
Message-ID: <6vb3pq$n9e$1@stalker.oem.net>
Source record: 129978

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430. Re: Anyone still love the hobby

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don W6JL <Don_Huff@hp.com>
Message-ID: <361916D1.3EA4@hp.com>
Source record: 129979
Cross-posted to: att.ham-radio,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.spa

JOHN WARD wrote:
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> make some contacts encourage someone else to join the hobby and realize it
> is a hobby and not a career. 73's DE W3OJ
>
> PS. Help some young one along the way!!!!!!

John OM,

I am happy to answer this question. YES!
After 43 years of being continously active on the air, I am still of the opinion that ham radio is the world's best HOBBY (and I have a few others to compare it with, too). I am on the air daily, CW mobile, and will be back on from my (new) home QTH as soon as I get my tower re-planted and the HF arrays back up on top. I'm a CW op mostly, but enjoy FSK too. I run homebrew XMTRs and RCVRS as well as older gear (in my experience, homebrewing has never been easier, cheaper, or more fun than it is today, contrary to what I hear from those who do not engage in it). Also, there are an awful lot of excellent ops out there, which (still) makes ragchewing such a pleasure. CU on the air.

73,
Don, W6JL

431. Re: Repair info needed-Tempo One

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5dh@rtis.ray.com
Message-ID: <6vb6fr$5cm@sf18.dseg.ti.com>
Source record: 129980

In article <361911DE.4631@iland.net>, jmul@iland.net says...
>
>A friend of mine has a Tempo One that transmits a hum on his audio.
>He tried a different power supply and that didn't help. Anyone have
>experience with this problem and could advise me of what needs to be
>done to alleviate the problem, or at least a starting point? Any info
>will be greatly appreciated,thanks.

One simple thing to check is to make sure the mic connections are good.
A bad solder connection on the shield will cause hum on the audio.

Another possibility is RF getting into the mic circuit. Make sure the
rig and all station accessories are well grounded, and make sure the
antenna VSWR is below about 2:1.

It is sometimes possible to get RF into the mic even if the grounding
is good due to near field intensity. Try adding ferrite beads on the
mic audio lead inside the mic plug, and perhaps a 0.01 uF cap to ground.

Dean / K5DH

432. Re: Repair info needed-Tempo One

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Grenden Prostille <obaobe@lellmel.net>
Message-ID: <6vb7e7$aa4$1@news3.mr.net>
Source record: 129981

This sort of thing is almost always a mike grounding problem. Check the internal connection in the mike, the mike cord and the connector into the rcvr. Last, check the connection inside the rcvr. I'd bet anything, it's in the mike circuit somewhere.

John wrote in message <361911DE.4631@iland.net>...
>A friend of mine has a Tempo One that transmits a hum on his audio.
>He tried a different power supply and that didn't help. Anyone have
>experience with this problem and could advise me of what needs to be
>done to alleviate the problem, or at least a starting point? Any info
>will be greatly appreciated,thanks.

433. WTB: BC9000XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tony Heatwole <heatwole@shell.clark.net>
Message-ID: <6vb7jc$3u0$5@clarknet.clark.net>
Source record: 129982

Hello. I'm interested in getting a BC9000XLT base scanner. All I require is that the scanner works 100% and is at least a 7/10 cosmetically, and that it comes with a manual and a power cord. I would prefer to trade for the scanner, but will consider a trade/money agreement. Here is what I have for trade:

-RS 4 Channel Microphone Mixer
-RS Stereo Pre-Amp
-RS PRO-43 Handheld Scanner
-RS Powerhorn 5w Directional External Speaker
-RS Handheld 1-1300 MHz Frequency Counter
-Panasonic BC-4C AA/D Battery Charger

I can provide conditions, and what comes with each item on request. Please let me
know if you interested in trading.

Nat Heatwole
heatwole@clark.net
KB3CBW, General

434. Want to BUY: 2 @ 572b Pull or what have you but GOOD and reasonable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Murray Neece" <kc5mdm@iglobal.net>
Message-ID: <36191FD2.674D4ABD@iglobal.net>
Source record: 129983
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Please emai with info, Ihave two soft ones, dont care about brand but full out put please...Thanks Murray

435. Re: Tech America

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <6vb8di$nd7@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 129984
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

In article <3617069A.70A@nomail.com>, Jones <Jones@nomail.com> wrote:
>T E I X E I R A wrote:

>> I have used Tech America Mail order....No Sales Tax! They have
>> excellent sales also....They are selling the Alinco Credit Card sized 2
>> meter & 70 cm ht with speaker mike for $79.

>In Phoenix they had a full page ad in the Phoenix Republic with a
>circulation of 500,000+ and that ht was prominently pictured. I suspect
>they will sell many to non hams. Thats a good way to get the bands
>populated....

Well, do the automobile ads prompt unlicensed drivers to buy cars?
Will the highways be populated with unlicensed drivers due to the
car ads? Do car salesmen check to see if a buyer is licensed?
Jeff KH2PZ

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436. 2 meter beam info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: no8rf@juno.com
Message-ID: <361d23aa.3985251@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 129985

I have a 2 meter 11 ele beam, have no idea who makes it so maybe
someone can tell me, also unkown age of antenna but in great shape.
The antenna is in two sections, I was going to use pvc sleeve to join
the two sections together but do not know if it will support the
weight also still need a way to mount to a mast, what is part I need
and can any bracket made for a beam mount work ?

James

437. TH-27A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: ca1nrideline@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <361920d0.3255005@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 129986

This radio has been sold, thanks for the interest

438. Re: Tech America

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: T E I X E I R A <teixeira@ccnet.com>
Message-ID: <36192D5A.5825@ccnet.com>
Source record: 129987
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

I agree that the FCC should require a license to buy Ham gear that will transmit..... but for know there is no law against buying Ham gear without a license. There is if is used..... The FCC has said they will be
increasing enforcement.

dt

Jones wrote:
> In Phoenix they had a full page ad in the Phoenix Republic with a
> circulation of 500,000+ and that ht was prominently pictured. I suspect
> they will sell many to non hams. Thats a good way to get the bands
> populated....

439. QRP TRANSMITTERS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bull-Feathers@mailcity.com
Message-ID: <6vbcf9rsc1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129988

Some really fun 40 meter CW QRP transmitters
are available from DWM Communications. And
they are completely assembled! You can find
more info at:

http://www.glr.com/peanut

WA5PQL dedicated an entire web page on how he put
together a complete QRP station using the "Peanut
Whistle 2". You can see his comments and a link
to DWM Communications main index page by checking
out:

http://home.earthlink.net/~philatchison/qrp.htm

Happy QRP'ing!!

73, Bull

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http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

440. President Lincoln

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: no8rf@juno.com
Message-ID: <36192d03.671923@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 129989

To the person looking for the President lincoln radio it is in fact at the follow address http://www.bills2way.com/ price is 299.95 and even has a mod page to go to, if you can't find it go to your search engine and just type bills2way and it will come up, I was just there so know the address is good, they also have a toll free order line so try information at 1-800-555-1212.

James

441. For Sale!- Yaesu FRDX-400SD.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pinky and The Brain <odin@webspan.net>
Message-ID: <6vbbmo$bub@news.webspan.net>
Source record: 129990
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Unit is 'Ratty' but functional with all options. Cabinet is repainted Black and has small, capped hole drilled in front panel. $100.00 U-Ship. Matching speaker available $25.00

442. WTB. Heathkit SB634 console

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: rmarsh@wsvn.com
Message-ID: <920148CF13003601.E807F313B12BA497.1CE6370AA805E37A@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 129991

Need SB 634 to match my SB 104 it does not have to be "mint"
remarsh@juno.com

443. President Lincoln /bills2way

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: no8rf@juno.com
Message-ID: <361930e5.1665176@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 129992

Her is the toll free order line and main line to Bills 2 way like I
stated they have the President Lincoln plus can do mods there for you.

Order line is 1-888-710-4094
Questions 1-408-782-0064

address http://www.bills2way.com/

James
NO8RF

444. Re: IRS "Recruiting?"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Daniel Hicks, Jr." <w8mmq@juno.com>
Message-ID: <6vbc4o$5l9@news.voyager.net>
Source record: 129993
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.radio.free,alt.radio.pirate

Fine! Fine!!
To all of you losers who wrote, correcting me on the guy's uniform, I say ... that you did exactly what I wanted you to do.

This post was nothing more than a ploy to attract more visitors to the site, and it has worked, better than I expected. Of course the guy is wearing a Marine uniform, it said so right on the IRS web site!! The story was about Marine recruiter Sgt. Sam Fidelis. So, you can stop email me telling me how much you hate the site, how much you hate me, and how stupid I am ... it was a simple trap and you fell for it.

By the way, thanks for the many hits (that counter is really rising now).

Dan/W8MMQ
w8mmq@juno.com

Daniel Hicks, Jr. wrote in message <6v966c$7hu@news.voyager.net>...
>October 4, 1998
>
>An IRS "agent" in a police uniform? A trip to the IRS web site over the
>weekend revealed an IRS "recruiter" in what appears to be a police
>uniform. That picture, and much, much more, at the growing W8MMQ web
>site.
>
> http://www.qsl.net/w8mmq/
>
>You will also find links to the new and much improved Radio Free Lansing
>web site, which contains great free radio news, information, and links.
>
>73 de,
>Dan/W8MMQ
>w8mmq@juno.com

445. FS NEW DSP-59Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alan Caplan <alan.caplan@cwix.com>
Message-ID: <KiaS1.875$nj4.374092@news.cwix.com>
Source record: 129994

Brand new DSP-59Y never used. Fits into Yeasu SP-5 or SP-6 speaker. ONLY. I used one of two in my SP-5 with FT-1000D. $200 plus $10 for shipping. Retail price is $389 AES Cat. Save enough to buy a speaker cabinet.

One SP-5 speaker fair condition, screws missing, no box can supply copy of manual. $50 retail is about $150

Alan Caplan K4AVQ & P40AV ex: W0RIC
14020 140th Court
Apple Valley, MN 55124-9422
612-431-5070

ex: Sales Manager Timewave and Hy-Gain 82-92

446. Kenwood TH-79A Mods?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mordock <webmaster@austinoem.com>
Message-ID: <eGaS1.740$5l2.932573@news3.ispnews.com>
Source record: 129995

I am looking for a mod that will allow me to use the x-repeater feature in
VHF-VHF mode.
Any help would be greatly appreciated...
Thanks
kc5nkg@io.com

447. Sale: AR-3500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Granter <ve1dxg@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <361919FC.D4541D29@hotmail.com>
Source record: 129996

Hi all,
I have a Ranger AR-3500 with power supply for sale. Asking $400. This radio is in very good condition. For more info visit http://www.angelfire.com/ca2/patonplace/ or email me at: ve1dxg@hotmail.com.

Dave

448. Sale: TEN-TEC Argosy II

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Granter <ve1dxg@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <36191A9C.B937A4A8@hotmail.com>
Source record: 129997

Hi all,
I have a TEN-TEC Argosy II with power supply for sale. Asking $500.
This radio is in really good condition. For more info visit
http://www.angelfire.com/ca2/patonplace/ or email me at:
ve1dxg@hotmail.com.

Dave

449. FS ICOM 745 Mint condition

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: mts@plix.com
Message-ID: <6vbl02$c1t$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129998
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For sale mint condition IC745, with electronic keyer and FM options. This radio is a 9.5 of 10 not a scratch and has been factory updated and aligned.

It operates from 100Khz to 30Mhz (Rx) and is 160M to 10M (Tx). I can have it modified for MARS/CAP operation if needed. Has all modes (LSB, USB, CW, AM(rx only), RTTY (FSK) and FM). Has I.F. shift and Pass band tunning (PBT) 16 memory channels, split, notch filter, variable AGC and noise blanker, VOX with variable delay and speech compressor.

A real nice rig for $525 which includes ground shipping in the Cont. US.

You won't be disappointed by this rig.

Any questions or if you want a picture emailed to you, please let me know.

Thank you for stopping by.

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

450. Re: FS: Yaesu VX1R accessories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: jerw@usa.net
Message-ID: <361a45e7.1403942@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 129999

Thanks for all the interest. Most of the items have been sold or
promised to a buyer.

The only thing left is the CT-44 Mic adapter. Make an offer if you
wish to buy this item.
Thanks,
Jerry W8UPP

451. Re: Anyone still love the hobby

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Branch <k4nr@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <01bdf0b4$e3d4de40$2dae1b26@default>
Source record: 130000
Cross-posted to: att.ham-radio,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.spa

Curt,

That's the problem with most DX nets--only interested in a 59 and a QSL. I'm not knocking that, but if you want more, try calling CQ or look for DX stations other places on the band. Seems like the phone pile-ups have been rather unruly lately. Try CW--it's a bit (just a bit at times) more civilized.

73 de Tom, K4NR

Curt M. Breneman <brenec@rpi.edu> wrote in article <3617BDA5.32BE@rpi.edu>...
> Just yesterday I ran into one of those things that give newcomers the
> impression that HAM radio operators can be elitist and exclusionary -- I
> was on the 14,247 kHz DX net on 20m, going through the rotation as usual
> when I got really slammed by one of the net control guys -- just for
> giving the DX station my name and QTH! It wasn't as if I was conducting
> an extended rag-chew QSO either -- The whole thing was over in less than
> 30 seconds. Apparently, it is only acceptable to give call signs,

//snip//

452. FS: Loaded FT-1000MP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: edvanc@skypoint.com
Message-ID: <6vbja8sos1@shadow.skypoint.net>
Source record: 130001
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

For sale or trade plus cash, for mint high SN Icom IC-756.

Ft-1000MP, SN 7G190052, purchased new 2/21/98.
Package includes:
All five optional IF filters;
Collins 500Hz mechanical filter for the sub-receiver;
TCXO-4 referenc oscillator;
FH-1 remote control pad for rig and contest keyer;
MD-100A8X microphone;
Boxes, manuals, hand mike, plugs.
All as new, still in warranty, no problems, dust, or hassles.
$3000 cash.

Call Ed, W0VC, 651-636-0108 or email edvanc@skypoint.com.

453. 1999 Flying Horse Callbook CD-ROMs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: mklein!@voicenet.com
Message-ID: <JvcS1.62$wV1.260679@news2.voicenet.com>
Source record: 130002

Interested in the best deal on the best CD? Email KC3NE:
mklein@voicenet.com

454. WANT: IC 280 manual or allignment instructions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: 207Lillypads@Juno.com
Message-ID: <6vbkjg$5h5$2@news.ncal.verio.com>
Source record: 130003

Looking for manual (copy ok) or other instructions on alligning the ICOM IC 280 2M FM xcvr. I have a TX which needs work.

Ed

REPLY INFO:
==========
Return address modified to prevent automatic SPAM response.
TO REPLY: remove the "lillypads" from my return address.
==========

455. Kenwood TH22AT Mods??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: psNOSPAM@adnc.com
Message-ID: <361a53a0.8637987@news.adnc.com>
Source record: 130004

Are there any mods for a Kenwood TH-22AT?

Please romove "NOSPAM" to reply via e-mail.

456. Mods for Icom 2710H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: psNOSPAM@adnc.com
Message-ID: <36195354.8562640@news.adnc.com>
Source record: 130005

Are there any mods for an Icom IC-2710H?

Please romove "NOSPAM" to reply via e-mail.

457. Re: New ICOM 706MkII Microphone Gain Low?, Please Help.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Clarke <w2blc599@radiolink.net>
Message-ID: <361959ca.0@news3.ibm.net>
Source record: 130006

I tried the mod (taking the rubber diaphragm out) and it did bring the audio level up, but it still sounded trashy. No lows at all. That is why I went to the SM6. I don't operate mobile, just portable - so the larger mike isn't a problem.

--
Bill Clarke W2BLC
W2BLC@radiolink.net

458. force 12 antennas any good??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: bigham@nbnet.nb.ca
Message-ID: <36195860.1145959@allnews.nbnet.nb.ca>
Source record: 130007

Hello
After a long separation from my wife and loosing my hf beam in the process,i was interested in the c-3 from force 12.
Does anyone have any comments on this subject?
thanking you in advance
marc
ve9yj

459. Re: 2 meter beam info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Louis Bybee <louisb@datacomm.com>
Message-ID: <36195B1F.1963F03A@datacomm.com>
Source record: 130008

Depending upon how you mount the antenna, there could be a lot of force at that joint. Try holding the two boom sections with the joint centered in your hand, and then lift the assembly off the ground trying to keep the joint straight. You will have to provide the necessary strength in that joint. Take a look at the clamp that comes with a commercial beam. They work great and allow clamping to a vertical pipe, all in the same fitting.

Louis

J. Pratt wrote:
>
> I have a 2 meter 11 ele beam, have no idea who makes it so maybe
> someone can tell me, also unkown age of antenna but in great shape.
> The antenna is in two sections, I was going to use pvc sleeve to join
> the two sections together but do not know if it will support the
> weight also still need a way to mount to a mast, what is part I need
> and can any bracket made for a beam mount work ?
>
> James

460. Re: New ICOM 706MkII Microphone Gain Low?, Please Help.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Clarke <w2blc599@radiolink.net>
Message-ID: <36195b7f.0@news3.ibm.net>
Source record: 130009

This has nothing at all to do with mike gain. But it sure does move the transmit frequency around. It is a means of moving your SSB signal up or down in frequency at the receiving end - resulting in more lows or highs, as you chose by moving the Q4 setting up or down. A little goes a long ways with this setting and you will need a listening station to comment on the effect (a trusted friends would be the best judge).
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Bill Clarke W2BLC
W2BLC@radiolink.net

461. Fry's Electronics a "RIP OFF"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: bren.doreck@ac.COM
Message-ID: <86256694.00716734.00@amrhm1102.ac.com>
Source record: 130010

I was at Fry's the other day and made a purchase. Following this thread's comments, I looked at the back of the receipt. What is states is that any purchase over $500 will be refunded by the corporate office in 14 days. It doesn't say anything about not immediately crediting your credit card or giving cash back for purchases less than $500. Maybe California law gives them more avenues to be able to hold on to your cash, but in Texas this is how the return policy reads. As for a 30 day return policy, doesn't Radio Shack have the same? I think that they have a similar policy for large dollar returns, but I could mistaken on this point.

By the way, I don't stop for the bag snooper to look in my bag either. Why should I wait in another line for Skippy to look in my bag and say "Ok" for me to leave the store? I don't have the patients for that.

73
Bren
KC5GWA

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462. KDK Manual Anyone?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thomas C Sefranek <tcs@cmcorp.com>
Message-ID: <361958E0.7DB24BA5@cmcorp.com>
Source record: 130011

We, (Wolf KA1VOU)
Is looking for a manual for a KDK FM-2030.

I'd be glad to pass on any information to him.

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Thomas C. Sefranek WA1RHP
ARRL Instructor, Technical Specialist, VE Contact.
http://hamradio.cmcorp.com/41_Repeater/repeater.html
http://hamradio.cmcorp.com/inventory/Inventory.html

463. Re: Tech America

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <361967A1.3C1D@onramp.net>
Source record: 130012
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Gary Coffman wrote:
>
> On 3 Oct 1998 14:07:27 -0400, jsm@n4vu.dyn.ml.org wrote:
> >Will White (wcw@asu.uswest.net) wrote:
> >
> >> BTW, what has been others' experience shopping at TechAmerica: they are
> >> opening a new retail outlet here (PHX metro) this weekend, and from
> >> their catalog they look like almost Mouser or Digi-Key with a
> >> storefront.
> >
> >Atlanta was the site of one of the first two stores. I don't know of
> >anyplace else you can find that many little components, over the
> >counter, with no hassle or minimum order. I hope they prosper.
> >
> >With Radio Shack's increasing focus on consumer goods (and de-emphasis
> >on components), I wonder if Tandy plans eventually to split the
> >product line between RS and TA.
>
> I like TA, and I shop there, but remember that it *is* Radio Shack.
> Don't expect the employees to know their stock. They're as likely
> to give a "do you want fries with that" response as to be helpful.
> Spend some time learning the store and its stock and you'll be
> able to find what you need. They do stock an incredible array
> of parts.
>
> Gary
> Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
> 534 Shannon Way | We break it |
> Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

I orederd some 2, 6, and 10pf NPO caps from them. Listed in the
catalogue as .1 lead spacing. What arrived was .2 lead spacing, not
useable in my application so I sent them back. Called to get the credit
on my account and the clerk said I needed to talk to a tech rep and she
got him on the line. I explained the problem and he wanted to know what
was wrong with the voltage(duh). I explained "Nothing, with the
volatage" and asked if he was familiar with the caps, Reply was "Sure
they are non-polarized capacitors" When I explained what NPO meant he
huffily said "Give him the credit and hung up"

Fry's does not have a corner on the dumb market.
--
Clif Holland KA5IPF
Owner of AVVid, an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center

Click on the following or call 1-800-214-5779
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

464. Re: Tech America

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: andy <acorbin@roanoke.infi.net>
Message-ID: <36199557.1451@roanoke.infi.net>
Source record: 130013
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

J
> Well, do the automobile ads prompt unlicensed drivers to buy cars?

Can't answer that question.

> Will the highways be populated with unlicensed drivers due to the
> car ads?

Already are around here.

Do car salesmen check to see if a buyer is licensed?

They do around here. Before I was allowed to test drive the last car we bought, they wanted to see my driver's license. In Virginia, if a person with a license suspended for DUI reasons is caught driving, the car is impounded for 30 days. Storage fees run about $12-15 a day, plus the tow bill. Not many car lots want to get stuck with that.

Andy
WD4KDN

> Jeff KH2PZ
>
> --

465. Re: IRS "Recruiting?"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Steve J. Quest" <Squest@voyager.cris.com>
Message-ID: <6vbqd7$4fi@chronicle.concentric.net>
Source record: 130014
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.radio.free,alt.radio.pirate

In alt.radio.pirate Daniel Hicks, Jr. <w8mmq@juno.com> wrote:
> October 4, 1998

> An IRS "agent" in a police uniform? A trip to the IRS web site over the
> weekend revealed an IRS "recruiter" in what appears to be a police
> uniform. That picture, and much, much more, at the growing W8MMQ web
> site.

> http://www.qsl.net/w8mmq/

Looks to me like the old style USMC Marine Corps dress hat and
uniform from around 1940-50. The text looks like it was added
electronically using an artist program or similar.

sq

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-<Squest@concentric.net>------\ ((|)) Amendment1 Congress shall make
==============================> /_\ no law abridging the freedom
Pirate Shortwave Broadcasting-/ /_/\ of speech, or of the press.

466. HI, looking for advice on radio make/model

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <jeepguy@geocities.com>
Message-ID: <6vbovl$7eu$1@shiva.direcpc.com>
Source record: 130015

Hi,
I have read through the last 300 or so headers and not seen anything along these lines, so here's my post. I recently passed my Technician exam and am waiting to see my call show up. In the meanwhile I'm doing my research to figure out what kind of radio to buy. My primary interest in Ham radio is data, voice, and ATV. I'm really a newcomer so excuse the silly questions....

1) From what I can figure out voice is on 440-450mhz and 144-148(2 meter). It appears that there is also some packet on those frequencies. I want my first radio to be a mobile that can be mounted in my Jeep Wrangler. Because the wrangler is less than ideal for security I'm thinking of trying to find a radio that can be mounted in the secure trunk. As long as it is small, securable, and not too flashy, I should be able to hide it in a good place near the driver's seat.

2) Am I targeting the right frequencies for what I'm interested in? I remember when I used to play with CB that alot of guys would have 10 meter radios as well as CB. I'm not too terribly interested in CB, but, it would be very useful to be able jump down to those frequencies on the highway. Is that a pipe dream? or do some radios have that ability?

3) I think I have seen some auto-repeater equipment. If i'm guessing correctly this stuff can act as a repeater to something like a HT (handheld). Is this correct?

4) Is there a web-site that might be able to answer these kinds of questions? I have had a hard time finding one...

Thanks,
Brian G.
Houston, TX
Jeepguy"nospam"@geocities.com

Remove "nospam" to reply please.

467. Re: Tech America

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: andy <acorbin@roanoke.infi.net>
Message-ID: <36199644.7F67@roanoke.infi.net>
Source record: 130016
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

T E I X E I R A wrote:
>
> I agree that the FCC should require a license to buy Ham gear that will
> transmit..... but for know there is no law against buying Ham gear
> without a license. There is if is used..... The FCC has said they will
> be
> increasing enforcement.
>

There are some Ham equipment dealers who will not sell to an unlicensed person. I know that AES is one of them. They will make an exception if they can verify the radio will be a gift. A few years back, my wife got an HT for me and ordered it through AES. They wanted my callsign and verified her name, my name, and the information before they would ship it.

I personally like their stance in this regard and I myself subscribe to it. I have refused several sales of amateur transmitting equipment because the person could not produce an amateur license.

Andy
WD4KDN

468. Re: WTB SB-10

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Earl <w9juc@juno.com>
Message-ID: <361975B4.73BCE9A2@juno.com>
Source record: 130017
Cross-posted to: att.ham-radio,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.spa

Hi John,

I still have the sb-10 I built in 1959 with original manual, cable
connectors et al.

Make me an offer.

73

Rich

W9JUC

JOHN WARD wrote:

> looking for working heathkit SB-10 to convert am station to ssb email me
> w3oj@juno.com

469. Off-topic CB question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Timmers <john_timmers@mindlink.bc.ca>
Message-ID: <36197ADC.45CDDEDC@mindlink.bc.ca>
Source record: 130018

Is there a resource somewhere that will tell me what Channel 1 on a CB rig equates to on a HF radio, and additionally for Ch.2, 3, 4...etc ? I hear truckers talking on VHF frequencies from time to time, and then mention that they're going to talk to someone else on Ch 38 (or whatever, etc) on their CB radios, and I wonder which frequency that would be on my HF mobile radio.

Thanks for any info, and sorry if I've offended anyone with CB talk here ;-)
--
Regards:
By the way, this message may or may not contain binary data
and/or binary data by-products
Selfish Website http://mindlink.bc.ca/john_timmers

470. Re: For Sale!- Yaesu FRDX-400SD.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Denley <bdenley@erols.com>
Message-ID: <6vbuh4$2jo$1@winter.news.erols.com>
Source record: 130019
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Pardon my lack of knowlege on this item. What is it???
Brian

Pinky and The Brain wrote in message <6vbbmo$bub@news.webspan.net>...
>Unit is 'Ratty' but functional with all options. Cabinet is repainted Black
>and has small, capped hole drilled in front panel. $100.00 U-Ship. Matching
>speaker available $25.00
>
>
>

471. WTB Icom UX-14, computer control option

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: klimasewski@mail.dec.com
Message-ID: <36193528.50EA@mail.dec.com>
Source record: 130020

Looking for a UX-14 option for a Icom R71A. This is also used with several of the other ICOM radios for computer control.

The option goes inside the radio.

If you have one for sale please email me.

Ken, N1KK

2nd email: n1kk@worldnet.att.net

472. manual needed: SOMMERKAMP TS-275DX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: ludello@tin.it
Message-ID: <361944bb.837290@news.tin.it>
Source record: 130021

I ACCEPT ANY TIP AND/OR TRIKS ALSO

473. Anyone miss MRC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOHN WARD <HITECH@EROLS.COM>
Message-ID: <6vc16vsaf1@winter.news.erols.com>
Source record: 130022
Cross-posted to: att.ham-radio,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.spa

Just wondering anyone miss maryland radio center in laurel maryland dont know what to do on saturdays if only more people had made purchases locally and left the mail order to those who need to use it maybe we still have a place to go on Saturday :-(de W3OJ

474. Re: Heathkit HW-101 for a beginner??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOHN WARD <HITECH@EROLS.COM>
Message-ID: <6vc1j8$278$1@winter.news.erols.com>
Source record: 130023

yes I started with a hw101 enjoy
wseward@megsinet.net wrote in message <6v6orm$c2r$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>Is an Heathkit a good HF starter rig for a HF beginner? I'd love to hear
what
>anyone has to say (both good and bad) about this rig. Also, what is the
most
>you might pay for one in good condition...if you'd even buy one that is.
>Thanks!
>
>--
>-\/\/ard--KB9TFF
>wseward@megsinet.net
>
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475. Kenwood TS-570DG S/N 00300075

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Sheldon C. Shallon" <scs@ieee.org>
Message-ID: <361984B2.2DD7@ieee.org>
Source record: 130024

Many thanks to all who responded to my query as to whether my Kenwood TS-570D S/N 00300075 is the G version.

The short answer is Yes.

It was difficult to tell from the outside of the carton because the model was shown on a sticker as "TS-570 D." However, the sticker also had "G K" in the upper left corner. One respondent said the "G" means it is the G version.

Once I opened the carton it became obvious. The nameplate on the back of the radio says "TS-570D G." However, the front of the radio and the cover of the Instruction Manual both say "TS-570D." But the manual's description of the menu, and the menu itself, include "Enhanced" menu items 47 through 51. I am told that that the earlier non-G radios did not have these extended menu items.

And yes, I like the radio very much.

73,
Shel, W6EL

476. HP 435B Pwr Mtr Manual Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Flowers <jflowers@ezo.net>
Message-ID: <6vc42q$lmu@poppy.ezo.net>
Source record: 130025

Thanks.

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Jim Flowers <jflowers@ezo.net>

477. FS: Uniden HR 2600

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Grandstaff <grandmhg@gocougs.wsu.edu>
Message-ID: <6vc7ou$g9d$1@supernews.com>
Source record: 130026
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

For Sale: Uniden HR 2600 10 meter radio.

Chipswitch processor gives 30 memory channels, transmits/receives on 10,11 &
12 meters (continuous 24.800- 29.999 Mhz), CB channels 1-40, programmable
scan/seek, split
frequency operation. Choice of orange, green, blue or red display (green
installed).

Uniden manual, Chipswitch manual, original packing

$200 plus shipping

Contact: Mark grandmhg@gocougs.wsu.edu

478. Outbacker PERTH HF mobile antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan <cslc82@email.mot.com>
Message-ID: <36184CD9.D176A21B@email.mot.com>
Source record: 130074
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Outbacker PERTH HF mobile antenna....single antenna
covers 75, 40, 30, 20, 17, 15, 12, and 10 meters
with quick-change coil taps. Very rugged 8-bander, with standard
3/8 x 24 threads. Good condition, with manual.
$150 shipped FEDEX to your door (U.S.)

479. MFJ 949D VERSATUNER II

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan <cslc82@email.mot.com>
Message-ID: <36184D35.65A1E78D@email.mot.com>
Source record: 130075
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

MFJ 949D VERSA TUNER II

MFJ 949D Versa Tuner II tuner:
300 watts
160-10
Built in dry dummy load
Cross needle meter (fwd/refl/SWR)
2 Pos antenna switch + D/L
New condition, with manual
$90 shipped

480. IBM 4019 SELL OR TRADE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan <cslc82@email.mot.com>
Message-ID: <36184DB8.86802C3A@email.mot.com>
Source record: 130076
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Like new IBM (Lexmark) 4019 Laser Printer, great shape, works fine.
With Post Script ROM card and two toner cartridges.
$200 + freight shipped FEDEX to your door (U.S.), or will consider
trade for amateur equipment.

481. TRIEX H470 70' TOWER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan <cslc82@email.mot.com>
Message-ID: <36184E32.301052C9@email.mot.com>
Source record: 130077
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

TriEx H470 70' tower for sale.
This is a 4 section guyed tower,
including guy wires, turnbuckles,
equalizer plates, owner's manual,
etc. The tower recently lost a guy
anchor and was pulled over by the
other guywires.
It is now telescoped to about 20', and
is ready for pickup in the Kansas City
area. It weighs around 500#.
The tower needs a new base plate, and
the bottom section legs need to be sleeved
about 3' up from the base. Other than this
the tower is in good shape and was recently
painted. If you can weld, this tower can
easily be salvaged (I don't have welding
equipment or skills). $250, pickup only.

482. Re: Grundig YachtBoy 400 vs. Sony ICF-SW7600G

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: wplanck@netusa1.net
Message-ID: <6v9ujr$s0k$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 130078
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

Barry, have you tried computer speakers with the 7600G? I've had good success with them on my Bearcat 3000xlt handheld and Sangean ATS818. They couldn't cure the awful SSB audio on the ATS909 though. The ATS909 sounded awful through its own speaker too on ham SSB only. Bill K9KZ

> I have both. The Sony uses 4 batteries, is better made, easier to tune,
> more sensitive and selective...but it is true it doesn't sound as good
> as the YB400, but I use earphones if that is important.
>

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483. FS Kenwood TW-4100 A (SOLD)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gregg Erlenbusch <Gregg.E@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01bdf022$4003ff40$7ce0490c@default>
Source record: 130079
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,houston.forsale,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Item Has Been Sold To Richard Hajinlian" <RHAJINLI@us.oracle.com>
Thanks For All Responses Gregg E.
W5IDX Houston, Texas

I Have A Kenwood Dual Band 2 Meter-440 Mobile Rig TW-4100A With Mic & No
Mounting Bracket Along With A Copy Of The Manual. Also The Radio Has
Factory Tone Board And DCL System. 250.00 + shipping From 77065
I Saw A Used One At AES For Around 375.00 A While Back.

I Have Attached 2 Pictures (Not The Best)

Specs Are As Follows
Freq 144-148
440-450 (Un Modified)
Tone Board For Repeater Access
Modes FM & F3E & F2D For DCL (Computer)
Power 13.8 V
Weight 3.97 Lbs
Dimensions 5-29/32" X 2" X 8-7/16"
Power Output High 144 MNhz 45 Watts 440 Mhz 35 Watts
Power Output Low 5 Watts & Totally Adjustable
Code Transmission Speed 1200 bits/second +- 2X10-4
DTMF

73's W5IDX Houston--
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484. Re: Vanity Automobile License Plates

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: psNOSPAM@adnc.com
Message-ID: <361856bf.6542148@news.adnc.com>
Source record: 130080

Here in California they're non-vanity amateur radio plates: a one-time
fee of $21.

Peter
W2PWS

On Sun, 04 Oct 1998 11:40:12 -0400, Gil <W1GIL@qsl.net> wrote:

>I like that, Eric!
>
>Regular vanity plates in the state of New Hampshire are an additional $25.00 over
>your registration fees. There is currently a debate in the legislature about
>"special interest" plates. The last proposal I saw was to require a $5000.00 fee
>and 7500 signatures to cover the cost of setup and ensuring there was sufficient
>interest so that every small group would not be able to obtain them.
>(We don't really need a "Ferret Breeders of NH" and similar plates.")
>
>I appreciate the info about NY and will forward it to my Representatives.
>Might be a solution to our problem.
>
>Gil
>
>EricS61 wrote:
>
>> Robert,
>> The newly designed Amateur Radio license plates for NY are not considered
>> a "vanity" plate anymore, but fall under the category of Emergency Services.
>> Thus the reason one no longer get's charged the "Vanity" fees of the past.
>> The process to get them is a simple phone call to Albany followed by mailing
>> in a copies of you Amateur Radio License, Vehicle Registration, and $18.
>> During the "Vanity" days, you had several forms to fill out, and I believe it
>> cost $40 plus a renewal fee when it came time for reregistration.
>>

485. Re: FOR SALE - Kenwood HF TS-430S and MFJ Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: k6eg@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981005014132.03736.00004243@ng-fb1.aol.com>
Source record: 130081

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>
> Kenwood HF TS-403S transceiver with car mounting brackets.
> MFJ Versa Tuner II (941D)
>
> Perfect condition
>
> Both for 300.00
>

is this The TS-430S? or TS-440s?
Still avalable? tnx Ed k6eg
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486. Re: Difference between ADI AT-600 and AT-204?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: marc_k@walrus.com
Message-ID: <6v9m2f$j1r$2@alice.walrus.com>
Source record: 130082

ccom@murlin.com wrote:
: I heard that the 204 was made for radio Shack but was pulled from
: shelf go to
: http://adi-radio.com/amateur/radios/specifications/204.html
: for info on it
: sjk1@usa.net (Steve King) wrote:

: >What is the difference between the ADI AT-600 and AT-204? Is the
: >AT-204 the aborted Radio Shack dual-band HT and the other the regular
: >ADI release?
: >
: >Thanks,
: > Steve

One difference is that the 600 is PC programmable, and the 204 is not.

487. Re: Question about MAHA MH-101 Rapid Charger

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: marc_k@walrus.com
Message-ID: <6v9nc4$j1r$3@alice.walrus.com>
Source record: 130083

Dave Martindale (davem@groucho.cs.ubc.ca) wrote:
: jsm@mindspring.com writes:
: >The ads have sure fascinated me, and I have just one question you may
: >be able to answer. I can imagine how different packs could be
: >accommodated electrically, but how are the physical connections made
: >to line up on a "universal" charger?

: The charger has two "pin blocks" near its left end. There is also
: a latch on the front of the charger that lets you open and swing
: the entire left end of the charger (about 20% of its length) back
: out of the way. This "left end" is really a mechanical clamp for
: the pin blocks.

: When you've opened up the clamp, the pin blocks are free to move
: closer together or farther apart, as well as up and down. You take
: the battery pack and place it on the top of the charger, where it is
: held in place by a large magnet. You push the pack against a plastic
: rail, which provides an alignment edge. Then you adjust the two
: pin blocks so the contacts mounted on the blocks are lined up with
: the charging contacts on the pack.

: The pin blocks have contacts both on their top and right side, so
: you can make them line up with battery packs that have contacts on
: either the end or the face. There is also a polarity reversing
: switch, so either pin block can be positive. Once you've done
: all the adjustments to make the charger's pins match the contacts
: on your pack, you close the clamp (the left end of the charger) again.
: This clamps the pin blocks against some rubber, preventing them from
: moving any more.

: At this point, you just put a battery pack on the charger, slide it
: until it makes contact with the pins, the charger beeps to tell you it
: saw the pack, and it begins charging.

: So if you have only *one* shape of pack to charge, you set up the
: pin blocks once and leave it. The MAHA charger isn't *quite* as
: convenient as a drop-in fast charger, but not much worse. However,
: if you have a bunch of different packs with different charging contact
: configurations, you can spend your life readjusting the pins to make
: contact with each pack.

: There is another choice, though. The charger has a 2-pin Molex connector
: on the other end which is designed for charging radio-controlled model
: car battery packs. The connector is sometimes called a "Tamiya connector"
: after the maker of those cars. If you have an HT with the charging contacts
: on the bottom, you can build your own "drop in" charging cup using brass

: screws or something similar to contact the battery charging contacts.
: Then wire this to a cable with the Molex connector on the end, and
: plug into into the MAHA charger. This is more difficult if the charging
: contacts are on the back, though.

: In summary: a "drop in" charger, which uses cups customized for the
: particular device being charged, is the most convenient. In some cases,
: the manufacturer provides interchangeable cups, so more than one sort
: of radio/battery can be charged (e.g. Yaesu's NC-50 charger).

: The MAHA "universal" charger is less convenient, but still works pretty
: well if you can set up the pins and leave them in one configuration.
: It's quite a bit more of a pain if you have to change the pins every
: time you go to charge something.

: Dave

As far as "drop-in" chargers go..I like the W&W Master Charger...the cups
are swappable-and the unit works with NiMH as well as with Ni-cads.
The MC-1 is a slow(4-8 hour) constant current type charger.
The MC-2 is a fast (.5-2 hour) Delta-V type charger.

They both use the same cups, so if you change models(or buy another one,
the investment in the cups is preserved).

488. 2m/70cm cost vs HF rigs.....?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Darren Shields <KB9RXG@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <36186404.276F2151@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 130084

O.k. folks. I know this is probably elementary information to you all but I just gotta know. Just what is it that makes a vhf all mode rigs so all fired expensive?? For instance, the Icom 820H is a dual band vhf all mode rig. 2 bands vs say an average HF rig with 9 bands all mode. WHY???? Is the fact that the icom 820 can compensate for doppler THAT big a deal that we sit by and accept whatever price the manufacturer imposes?? I ask this because I look a a feature packed rig like the 706 or the 746&756 and see a package where a ham really gets a lot more band for their buck. I would truly appreciate someone taking the time to explain it all to this still wet behind the ears haven't had my ticket a year yet ham.

Thanks much all!
Darren
KB9RXG
73

489. ft990 manual wanted..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: ken.g4mpq@virgin.net
Message-ID: <36185a8a.481047@news.virgin.net>
Source record: 130085

Does anyone have a workshop manual for the FT990 FOR SALE please? The 24.5Mhz and 29Mhz sections are registering output current but no output. Sounds like the LPF unit but what a job to get at! A manual would be very helpful if someone can help. Thanks de ken/g4mpq

490. Re: Yaesu FT-920 Price Reduction..?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan K Nelson <kf6knb@usa.net>
Message-ID: <6v9qsg$k8f$1@news-2.news.gte.net>
Source record: 130086

Greg Combs wrote in message <36186592.66D2@flash.net>...

>I was wondering if you would happen to know if the FT920 and the
>FT1000MP have the same PA Transistors? I am thinking about getting a 920
>just want to make sure it has enough humph tp drive my amp. Would you
>happen to know the number of the transistors ? The ft1000 uses a pair of
>2sc2879,s Thanks
>
> Greg

The FT-920 uses a pair of MRF-255's. Your question is a valid one, my 920 is at Yaesu right now due to apparent low SSB average power.

After shipping the rig to them twice for this complaint, I decided to take it to them in person for the third time. I went to Yaesu in Cerritos with my rig on Friday and spent some time at the bench with their Tech explaining that although the scope shows 100 % on envelope peaks, an inline bird 43P showed an average of 20-30 watts. This was with the speech processor at about 2:00 and the mike gain wide open. If you whistle into the mike or inject a test tone, it will do 100 watts plus on SSB as well as all other modes, but you can talk at the top of your lungs directly into the mike on SSB and it will only do 20-30 watts at most.

They said this was normal for the rig. I told them it was not acceptable because it would only produce 200-300 watts output on my Ameritron 811H, but both my TS-850 and my IC-706 will produce 800 watts plus on the same amp with a long "H-e-l-l-o" (this is with the ALC line disconnected on all 3 rigs). After some time discussing this issue with them I convinced them to hook it up on their bench Quadra amp to see what it would do. They did so, and guess what? Yep, 200-300 watts out.

After about an hour of testing, the tech admitted that they had several complaints regarding this issue and had contacted Japan for assistance but had not heard from them on this complaint yet.

This is not to say that the rig is bad. For the price, it is a super value. Everything on it works great with this one exception. The radio seems to get out well, I get 5-9 reports into Europe and Asia about 90% of the time even without the amp, and the audio reports are excellent. Hopefully this third trip to Yaseu will correct this problem now that they have seen the issue first hand.

This problem is more of an annoyance than a serious issue, and I intend to keep the rig whatever the outcome of Yaesu's findings. Their Tech said he would sit down with the service manual and schematics and see if he couldn't find a way to increase the average SSB power regardless of the factory

tune-up settings.

On the other hand, if your amp requires more than 30-40 watts average drive for full output I would suggest that you try the rig with your amp before you buy it so that you won't have any unpleasant surprises.

73,

Dan K Nelson - KF6KNB

491. Re: Isotron Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: wizard@connectnet.com
Message-ID: <907568642mnewswizard@connectnet.com>
Source record: 130087

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>
> Is there anybody out there in the RF ether that has had an occasion to
> use any of ISOTRON's antennas? I would like your personal opinon, not
> the GREAT REVIEWS as published in a couple or three Amateur Radio
> magazines.
>
> Will Sheffield
> N7THL
> E-mail N7THL@juno.com

Will,

I was running a couple of Mizuho 15 meter SSB rigs (15M 1W XTAL con-
trol {VXO} SSB Walkie-Talkies mounted in a mobile mount with an extra VXO
and a 15 W linear amp, cute little Japanese kit sets) and needed more
range than the telescoping whips that came with the walkie-talkies. I had
NO ROOM for ant's, so I got a couple of 15M Isotrons. I had a hell of a
Time getting the SWR/tuning figured out, as they were really set up for
mast mount at roof top heights. I couldn't get them to act at all like
the very sparse manual said they would or to tune like they said. I called
called alph Bilal and he asked a bunch of questions and made a few recom-
mendations and I did, as best I could what he said. I still couldn't fig-
ure out if I had them right. I hooked one of the little rigs up to the
Isotron, thru a SWR meter and a Bird wattmeter and cranked it up in the
middle of the General phone band, saw that the SWR had come down to 1.3
to 1 and called CQ from my central Utah QTH. I was immediately called
back by a W6 in San Diego who gave me a 5-9 and said that I was the
strongest signal he had worked that day. I cut off with him to rotate
the ant 90 degrees, to see if the "omnidirectional" thing was true.
It was, I called CQ again and another L.A. area W6 came back and gave
me another 5-9, saying that that was hard to believe, as he was running
150W and rarely got a 5-9 from Utah. The band was actually just beginning
to open up for that day and I called CQ again and over the next 2 hours
worked Spain, Italy, Mexico, Colombia, South Africa, and Hawaii. The
worst report I got was S8 and most were higher. I installed the other
set/isotron in Baja California and used to talk back and forth, just
like a telephone daily for the next 3 years. I had very little time
and was mostly using the sets to talk to the family (Ex-wife and kids),
however in the few spare moments I worked over 40 countries and 36
states (with 12.5 indicated watts out) during those 30 months.

I later bought the 20M and 40M Isotrons and used them regularly to
talk from Saudi, Turkey, and Israel to Wash. D.C. and to Australia
with 120 Watts SSB and CW coming out of a "Fly-Away" (Transceiver in

a aluminum brief case) and had totally reliable comms the whole time, choosing the appropriate time of day, of course. In Israel I had use of a 3 element beam ant (Tuned to 1.12 to 1 without the antenna tuner in the circuit). In switching from that ant to my Isotron I got at the most a 1 to 1.5 decrease in s units and usually a "no difference" from the U.S. stations and never a difference from the Aussie station. The Isotrons were hooked in parallel and mounted on a pair of stacking (concentric) 36" long fibreglass tubes with an internal, down the hollow tube), 1"wide braided ground conductor hooked to the toilet water pipe on the second floor of the building I was roomed in, and the poles setting on the floor with the ants acting as towel racks. On a dry day all was well, but on a humid day the whole thing dropped about 50-100 KHz at resonant freq, due to moisture in the towels.

Isotrons, yeah, I have 6 of them today and they work great. I have a whole bunch of really good antennas and I can tell you, as an old old QRP'er, ants make the difference far more than power. I won't even take the time to run up my automatic 70 ft ex-military mast or throw out one of my special Desert storm "on the ground" Eyring antennas, I just pull out a camera tripod and screw on a 36" photo light extension and mount the Isotrons and go the the races.

492. FS: HTX-100 or trade for GPS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: jordan@santanet.com
Message-ID: <6va1i0$ur7$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 130088

I have an excellent condition HTX-100 10 meter rig from Realistic for $125 plus shipping. Looking to trade for a good GPS reciever, handheld.

Let me know what you have and maybe we can deal.

Paul Jordan
KL0AN
Fairbanks, AK

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493. FS: Yaesu VX1R accessories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: jerw@usa.net
Message-ID: <3619981a.9079963@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 130089
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I have several accessories for the VX1R radio for sale. All are
original Yaesu equipment and are new in original packaging.

E-DC-15 Mobile DC adapter/charger HRO: $39 My Price: $30
CT-44 Mic adapter HRO: $13 My Price: $8
CSC-71 soft case HRO: $20 My Price: $15
FBA-20 AA Alkaline Battery case HRO: $23 My Price: $18
CN-3 SMA to BNC Antenna adapter HRO: $9 My Price: $6

Or take everything for $70.
US sales only, and shipping is on me.
If you are interested, please contact me at jerw@usa.net or call
818-882-0101 after 6PM PST. My QTH is Los Angeles, California.
Thank you.
Jerry Wang
W8UPP

494. IC-821H PL Tone Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Joel B. Black" <jbblack@wwisp.com>
Message-ID: <6va9c6$2vr$1@supernews.com>
Source record: 130090

I just recently purchased an IC-821H (this past Thursday it came to the house). I plan on using this radio for terrestrial VHF/UHF and satellite work. However, over the weekend, I decided to test it on some local repeaters (just 2m). I frequent four repeaters. Of the four, two require a PL tone. I can "hit" all four repeaters; however, and this is odd, of the two requiring a tone, I can only "hold" one of them. After about 3 seconds, my signal drops out of the repeater. The repeater I can "hold" on to has a PL of 118.8. The repeater I cannot "hold" on to has a PL of 91.5. I have done the following in an attempt to rectify the situation:

1. Reset all settings in the radio CPU and start fresh (done at least four times).

2. Take the radio to a know good mobile installation.

3. Take the radio to a second (and different) mobile installation.

4. Adjust mic gain and output power.

5. Take radio to mobile installation that has an inverter and use the Astron PS.

The above did not occur in any particular order and some occurred multiple times (see 1.). I am to the point of sending the radio back and getting another one. I have the equipment at work to measure frequency, but I don't have a service manual. This radio is less than a week old and I don't really want to "dive" into it at this point.

If anyone has had a similar problem or heard of another having a similar problem, let me know. I prefer e-mail. Thanks in advance.

Joel B. Black, KS4AW
jbblack@wwisp.com

495. FS KAM ALL MODE VER 8.0 $225.00 N1HHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gabriel G melo <n1hhf@110.net>
Message-ID: <6va9s5tfi1@stalker.oem.net>
Source record: 130091

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496. FS KENWOOD TS-440 AT MINT $850.00 N1HHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gabriel G melo <n1hhf@110.net>
Message-ID: <6vaa2nugq1@stalker.oem.net>
Source record: 130092

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497. Daiwa CN-101L cross needles meter new.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: morinm@csdgs.qc.ca
Message-ID: <6vad8sbkd1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 130093

Brand new in the box.
Covers 1.8 to 150 mhz.
It is lighted with cross needles.
Measures PEP and AVERAGE power on 3 scales up to 1.5 KW.
Picture available on request.

Asking $70. U.S. shipped.

73 de Michel Morin
VE2CJW

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498. Re: Kenwood TS-570D S/N 00300075

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Wheeler <w7ox@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3618B474.5474BA6B@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 130094

Shel,

Call Kenwood in Cerritos, CA.

Assuming you bought it new, I would assume the box would ID it as a "G".

I had my original unit upgraded to a "G" and the difference is well
worth having.

Phil

499. Call Sign screensavers - free demo

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sam Alfano <sam@alfano.comNO>
Message-ID: <6vagtq$g82$1@nntp.gulfsouth.verio.net>
Source record: 130095
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Simply the coolest thing for all hams with computers. This amazing 3D screensaver features high-end graphics and is self-installing. It will dazzle you when you see it. Proudly display the call sign you worked so hard to achieve!

Please download the free demo at http://www.alfano.com/w5sn/ Once you see it, you'll definitely want one for yourself, and your custom screensaver will be e-mailed to you.

W5SN

500. Re: Anyone still use 2M packet??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ralph Encarnacion <aa5yc@bga.com>
Message-ID: <3618c92c.0@feed1.realtime.net>
Source record: 130096

Sure there is. I use mine to log into the dx packet cluster.
Ralph AA5YC

WB2TBB wrote in message <361775c9.941812@news.cybercomm.net>...
>Before I started fooling around with the internet, I had my 2 meter
>rig hooked up to a packet TNC. It was kinda fun.
>The PacCom unit broke, and I never got it fixed.
>Is there still some packet activity going on???
>...Dave

501. Re: icom at-130 antenna tuner question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3641cb36.195422438@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 130097
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.radio.amateur

On Sun, 04 Oct 1998 19:52:04 GMT, aaronurbain@bigfoot.com wrote:

>The question: I want to use only the pcr1000 and the at130 and leave the 710
>off. I can wire power to the at130 but have no understanding of how to
>invoke the tuning operation, or what the at130 expects as instructions from
>the control cable. Does the 710 transmit at very low power and the at130
>tunes to that fq, or does fq data arrive on the control cable and TX signal
>is generated from within the at130? Please advise so I might save precious
>amps.

The tuner requires a transmitted signal in order to autotune (5 to 10 watts),
so I'm afraid you're stuck flipping on the transceiver and invoking the tuner
in this application. You only need do this when you make a major frequency
excursion, so you don't have to tolerate the transceiver and tuner current
draw all the time. Your alternative is to use a manual tuner, which draws
no current at all, and can be tuned merely by listening for peak signal in
the receiver (for this application).

Gary
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502. Re: Anyone still love the hobby

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Reed Park <reedpark@nbnet.nb.ca>
Message-ID: <3618D9B6.117EC941@nbnet.nb.ca>
Source record: 130098
Cross-posted to: att.ham-radio,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.spa

Hi John

Well, to answer your question as quick as possible. YES !
I am still on the air, first licensed in the early 1960's. Been
on the air ever since. I still build some gear, but not as much as
I used to. I have a shack full of Heath kit gear that helped teach me
soldering techniques, as well as trouble shooting. I enjoyed it so
much that I did make it a career. Just retired after 34 years as
a communications/radio technician. Worked on UHF and VHF
radios, handheld, mobile, base stations, repeaters etc. Also was
involved in data communications.

I won't begin to think that I could build a solid state SSB multiband
transceiver from scratch, but I do enjoy building regulated power supplies
and various shack accessories as well as various antenna's.

It was and still is a GREAT HOBBY, and the interest even put
food on the table and clothes on our backs. We, being my wife
and daughter.

I think we get out of a hobby, just exactly what we contribute
to it. I have had the pleasure of making friends all over the world
via HF on many different modes. I hope to continue on doing
so for at least another 30 years. I'm 55 now, so there is a good chance.
Not to mention all the new friends I have made by helping instruct
during the Ham Classes every year to help others become Hams.

As far as getting on the air, I do every day. Even if it's just for a quick
single contact. I also put some vintage gear on the air (made in 1943)
on November 11th. Of course it is on CW, and I issue a special colour
certificate and QSL card for anyone brave enough to have a 2-way contact
on 40 meters with me. I take great pleasue using that particular piece of
equipment (an old army WW II # 19 set) as it is also 55 years old.
We both still function, after all that time.

7 3 John
Reed

JOHN WARD wrote:

> Just courious is anyone still enjoy the hobby? If so get on the air and
> make some contacts encourage someone else to join the hobby and realize it
> is a hobby and not a career. 73's DE W3OJ
>

> PS. Help some young one along the way!!!!!!

--

ARROW Research (Avro CF-105)
Reed Park
252 Gauvin Road
Dieppe, New Brunswick
Canada E1A1M1

Amateur Radio VE1NU
WW II, # 19 SET user
I.C.Q. # 4138282

503. Re: Fry's Electronics a "RIP OFF"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: T E I X E I R A <teixeira@ccnet.com>
Message-ID: <3618DC21.31B7@ccnet.com>
Source record: 130099

Those times I shopped at Fry's I just walk out the door. Not once has
their security tried to stop me.... That would take too much
effort......

504. Re: Yaesu SP-6 Speaker Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: mjgilbert.NOSPAM@wcom.net
Message-ID: <3618dbd2.6192193@news.compuserve.com>
Source record: 130100

What do they do - not much.

There is a high and a low filter. They simply cut a few khz out from the top and bottom of the audio, it can make the signal more pleasurable to listen to but does nothing to aid in the ability to pull out signals from noise or adjacent signals. Do not confuse them with anything as usefull as a good IF filter or a reasonable DSP. They are just 'audio' filters - period.

Matt
K8KDR

On Sun, 4 Oct 1998 22:29:19 -0500, "JJ Smith" <jjsmith@ipa.net> wrote:

>Can someone please help the newest Ham in the Russellville, AR area???
>
>I am looking to buy an SP 6 speaker and need to know exactly what
>filters the unit has... I know it has two controls on the front, with
>several
>positions on each, but what do they do???
>
>Any help will be greatly appreciated.
>
>Thanks for your time...
>
>KD5FGY
>
>

505. SUGGESTIONS FOR HI POWER TUNER?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: cslc82@email.mot.com
Message-ID: <361cdde8.249840902@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 130101

I'm interested in opinions on "the best" high power tuner. I've been using a Drake MN2700 for years and like it a lot, but am shopping for another tuner for a 2nd rig.

Am interested in something very conservatively rated, very well built and durable, and something flexible enough to match wide impedances of balanced and unbalanced feedlines.

Have been shopping for an automatic tuner, but apparently none of the amateur manufacturers make a unit that handles 2+KW (no, I'm not running that much power).

Suggestions/comments welcomed!

Thanks and 73,

Dan

506. Re: Fry's Electronics a "RIP OFF"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3648e62d.202326764@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 130102
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

On 3 Oct 1998 14:07:27 -0400, jsm@n4vu.dyn.ml.org wrote:
>Will White (wcw@asu.uswest.net) wrote:
>
>> BTW, what has been others' experience shopping at TechAmerica: they are
>> opening a new retail outlet here (PHX metro) this weekend, and from
>> their catalog they look like almost Mouser or Digi-Key with a
>> storefront.
>
>Atlanta was the site of one of the first two stores. I don't know of
>anyplace else you can find that many little components, over the
>counter, with no hassle or minimum order. I hope they prosper.
>
>With Radio Shack's increasing focus on consumer goods (and de-emphasis
>on components), I wonder if Tandy plans eventually to split the
>product line between RS and TA.

I like TA, and I shop there, but remember that it *is* Radio Shack.
Don't expect the employees to know their stock. They're as likely
to give a "do you want fries with that" response as to be helpful.
Spend some time learning the store and its stock and you'll be
able to find what you need. They do stock an incredible array
of parts.

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507. FS: Iocm UT-67

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steven Ross <stevenross@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <3618E0C0.1C2@earthlink.net>
Source record: 130103

Tone decode unit. $35 + shipping

Steve Ross, N1IBS

508. Re: Problem with Cushcrft beam

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom McDermott <mcdermot@NOSPAM.aud.alcatel.com>
Message-ID: <3618EC71.64A5@NOSPAM.aud.alcatel.com>
Source record: 130104
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

One possibility to consider is arcing of the traps, the matching
network, or possibly the elements to the boom or mast (if they are
insulated).

I have a shunt-fed tower, and had a problem with the matching capacitor
arcing-over at high power. This solicited reports of distorted audio
when running higher power. I opened the weather-proof box, and my XYL
could see the cap arcing. Replacing the capacitor with a vacuum
variable (which has much higher breakdown voltage) completely cured that
problem.

Different tribanders are constructed differently, some insulate the
elements from the boom and mast, others don't. Also, check the traps
for evidence of arcing internally. Have had this problem on one
commercial
multi-band yagi. Ended up wrapping teflon sheeting around the coil to
eliminate the breakdown path.

-- Tom, N5EG
n5eg@tapr.org

Mike Pendergast wrote:
>
> I am using a Cushcraft 3-element tribander and have suddenly developed a
> problem with garbbled transmissions. I get good signal reports with my
> vertical antenna and I get good signal strength reports on the beam but
> the voice can not be understood. The problem just started one week ago.
> Does anyone have any suggestions on what the problem is and what migth
> be done to cure the problem. The only change I have made in my shack is
> that I have moved my computer closer to my rig and feed lines. Could
> this be the problem?
> I would appreciate any help on this. Thanks a lot
> Mike KT4AN

509. Re: New ICOM 706MkII Microphone Gain Low?, Please Help.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: cwt851@megsinet.net
Message-ID: <3618c005.188252859@news.megsinet.net>
Source record: 130105

I'm a little confused as to what setting the carrier balance to -200 will have to do with the audio gain. It seems the manuals on the new rigs are not as in depth on the operation of the units as they used to be.

510. Mic & Mic Connector Info for HW101

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Adam B. Kanis" <adam-kanis@uiowa.edu>
Message-ID: <3618EDE7.D6A4F6E8@uiowa.edu>
Source record: 130106

hi folks,

A blind ham in our area has decided to get back on HF, and wants to use his HW101. His problem is that he doesn't have the mic anymore, and doesn't know the specs on it.

Could you tell me what type of mic it used (dynamic , crystal, elecret) and also the name (and maybe a source) of the mic connector. thanks much for your help. He isn't concerned about having original heath eqpt, and would be willing to use any mic that would work.

--adam, n2brt

511. Re: 2m/70cm cost vs HF rigs.....?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3649ee6d.204438923@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 130107

On 5 Oct 1998 06:18:23 GMT, Darren Shields <KB9RXG@worldnet.att.net> wrote:
>O.k. folks. I know this is probably elementary information to you all
>but I just gotta know. Just what is it that makes a vhf all mode rigs
>so all fired expensive?? For instance, the Icom 820H is a dual band vhf
>all mode rig. 2 bands vs say an average HF rig with 9 bands all mode.
>WHY???? Is the fact that the icom 820 can compensate for doppler THAT
>big a deal that we sit by and accept whatever price the manufacturer
>imposes?? I ask this because I look a a feature packed rig like the 706
>or the 746&756 and see a package where a ham really gets a lot more band
>for their buck. I would truly appreciate someone taking the time to
>explain it all to this still wet behind the ears haven't had my ticket a
>year yet ham.

Consider that you're getting 24 MHz of ham band coverage with the
820H/821H, but only 7.1 MHz of ham band coverage with the IC746/756.
And consider that the IC821H is *full duplex* while the IC746 isn't, ie it
is essentially 2 radios in one cabinet. And also consider that the (real)
market size for the IC821H is smaller than for the IC746, so it benefits
less from economies of scale. (It's a specialty radio made primarily for
the satellite crowd.)

The VHF/UHF multimodes are in low demand, so they have to charge
more than for a radio with a higher sales volume in order to recoup R&D
and other overhead costs. (Fixed overhead has to be spread over fewer
units, so each unit has to show a higher return in order to cover those costs
and still make a profit for the manufacturer.) If this sort of radio were in
higher demand, volume production could reduce the unit cost. But the
market size for these radios is actually only a few thousand customers
worldwide, so unit cost remains high.

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512. Re: Help: Removing HF Noise in Toyota Pick Up...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: M Johnson <silversq@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3618F2F5.966CD256@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 130108
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hi Bart,

How does it vary as you drive? Does it relate to speed of the vehicle or to engine speed? If you shift to neutral while driving and let the engine idle does the noise go away or does it only reduce as the truck slows down?

If it only relates to the speed of the truck it could be tire generated static. That can be fixed.

73
Mark
AB0HJ

Bart Hackemack wrote:

> I am looking for some information regarding suppressing what appears to
> be
> ignition noise in my 1992 Toyota Pick Up. I am running an IC706-MKII in
> the PU.
> I can only work signals approximately S9 or higher while driving, on all
> bands.
>

513. FS-Dentron GLA1000 HF amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <jmul@iland.net>
Message-ID: <36190F17.12FA@iland.net>
Source record: 130109
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I am listing For Sale for a friend of mine, a Dentron GLA1000 HF amplifier, 15-80 meters, 450+ watts out. In great condition, has 10m mod info included, although has not been done. He wants $200 plus the shipping for the amp. Email direct if interested, thanks.

514. Re: TS-520 question.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: ve6inm@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6vb15v$8eg$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 130110

In article <6v5pak$q1p$1@n4vu.dyn.ml.org>,
jsm@mindspring.com wrote:
> NSacon (nsacon@hotmail.com) wrote:
> > Can the TS520 run off 12 vdc without the optional PS? When I bought the
> > radio the guy I bought it from said that the 12 vdc supply was built-in but
> > the manual seems to say that some optional PS is needed. What's the story?

If you are using a TS-520 and not any model of '520 with a suffix, then the DC-DC inverter is in the rig. Take a look at the rear apron, and if there is a 3"x3" black module sticking out about 1-1/2", the inverter is there. Depending on which suffixed '520 (S, SE, D, etc.) you may have, the inverter may or may not have been supplied from the factory or it could have been added as an option after manufacture. But, in a nutshell, if you have a TS-520, it DOES have the 12VDC inverter supplied at manufacture. 73 de VE6INM

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515. Repair info needed-Tempo One

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <jmul@iland.net>
Message-ID: <361911DE.4631@iland.net>
Source record: 130111

A friend of mine has a Tempo One that transmits a hum on his audio. He tried a different power supply and that didn't help. Anyone have experience with this problem and could advise me of what needs to be done to alleviate the problem, or at least a starting point? Any info will be greatly appreciated,thanks.

516. FM transmitter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: s <shalev@topnet.co.il>
Message-ID: <3618F832.D37C80FF@topnet.co.il>
Source record: 130112

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Hello I would like to build a small FM transmitter
can somebody send me a draw circuit
shalev@topnet.co.il
thank you
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517. Experience with Yaesu Atas-100 Antenna System

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Plat <richard-plat@home.com>
Message-ID: <36189C28.EE3F953F@home.com>
Source record: 130113

Does anyone have experience with using the Yaesu Active Tuning Atas-100 antenna system with the Yaesu 847 as a base station antenna and if so what kind of ground plane did you use as a substitute for the auto body. I have had fair results using my copper roof molding equal in total to 40 square feet as a ground plate but found that the mechanical tuning system did not always work properly. Would like to share experience.

Richard Plat KF6RJJ
RICHARD-PLAT@HOME.NET

518. Re: TS-520 question.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wayne Irwin <w1ki@arrl.org>
Message-ID: <6vatuoagb1@mgate.arrl.org>
Source record: 130114

Hi,

There are a couple differences between the original '520 and the "S" model. Sensitivity was reduced a bit on the lowest HF bands on the "S" model. WWV is received on 15 MHz on the "S" model vs. 10 MHz on the original. The "S" model also has a provision for installing one other band segment in the AUX position.

As shipped from Kenwood, the rig was not configured for 12 volt operation. Kenwood sold the "DC brick" for about $70.00 - I built mine for about $15.00 and it works great.

Mine is over 21 years old and still runs good even though I rarely use it these days.

Hope this helps...

Wayne K. Irwin, W1KI

ARRL/VEC

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NSacon wrote in message <01bdef19$fb1dd8a0$d05833d1@default>...
>Its a TS-520S with no little black box on the back of the radio. Does this
>mean that it won't run on 12 vdc? Why would th ts-520 work but not the
>520S. I thought the only difference was the speech processor?
>
>The manual has the wiring diagram for the 12 vdc power connector.
>
>Anthony C. Cash <tonycash@worldnet.att.net> wrote in article
><36167065.30AC8898@worldnet.att.net>...
>> If it is just TS520 and not an S or SE it should run on 12 volts.
>> If it has a little black box on the back of the radio with 2 large
>transistors
>> (that you can see through the vents) inside it, then it will run on 12
>volts
>> DC.
>

519. wanted: diagrams for mocom 45 vhf radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tracy Rankin <ve9dwf@nbnet.nb.ca>
Message-ID: <6vavbv$ct3$1@garnet.nbnet.nb.ca>
Source record: 130115

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Looking for diagrams for a mocom 45 vhf radio.
please send info to ve9dwf@nbnet.nb.ca
or dmallet@nbnet.nb.ca
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520. Re: Call Sign screensavers - free demo

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Raj VE6RAJ <Iam.not@home.com>
Message-ID: <36190329.BD55AA4D@home.com>
Source record: 130116
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

How about in Win 95 right click on desktop, choose properties, select screen saver, choose 3D Text, enter you call sign, choose the style and type of font, colours, textture and movement; click OK. All for free.

VE6RAJ

Sam Alfano wrote:
>
> Simply the coolest thing for all hams with computers. This amazing 3D
> screensaver features high-end graphics and is self-installing. It will
> dazzle you when you see it. Proudly display the call sign you worked so
> hard to achieve!
>
> Please download the free demo at http://www.alfano.com/w5sn/ Once you see
> it, you'll definitely want one for yourself, and your custom screensaver
> will be e-mailed to you.
>
> W5SN

521. Re: FS KENWOOD TS-440 AT MINT $850.00 BEST N1HHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dale Powell <powell@ptialaska.net>
Message-ID: <6vav8gnir1@news.ptialaska.net>
Source record: 130117

Why so cheap?

Gabriel G melo wrote in message <6v79oh$880$1@stalker.oem.net>...
>*******
>
>

522. Re: Kenwood TS-570D S/N 00300075

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: siamk@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981005135527.03212.00001416@ng128.aol.com>
Source record: 130118

Hey guys,

Just in passing, anyone ever compare the TS 570 rx with the IC 746? I've been hearing that the 570 has one great rcvr. Just wondering about your opinions.

Mike
K2TPZ
Newport News

523. Re: IC-T7A mods?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Yeh <jimluke@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <36190FFB.D840E106@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 130119

I have heard that it's do-able from software, but have no actual fact yet. Also, someone once send me (presumably) diagram on how to mod it, but unfortunately I can't print that file.

Jim

merlin willis wrote:
>
> Hi....
> Has anyone found the mod that will let me tx from 430-440 mhz.yet?
>
> email or post.....thanks
>
> 73
> Merlin, KB6TNP

524. VALVE DISPOSAL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Wigley <rambler@globalnet.co.uk>
Message-ID: <6vb385$49r$1@newnews.global.net.uk>
Source record: 130120

Two 813 vales with one base for sale these are new and unused.
Matched pair 6146B P.A valves (FT101 transceiver amongst others)
Three PL 509 TV Line output valves
The following are brand new and boxed
12AU7, 6AU8, EB91, ECC81, 3S4, ECF80, EF86, EF81,ECC82, ECC91, EF91, IT4,
IS5,IR5

G4RVU Qthr Derby

525. TS 930S SALE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Wigley <rambler@globalnet.co.uk>
Message-ID: <6vb3a5$4bd$1@newnews.global.net.uk>
Source record: 130121

For sale - Kenwood transceiver TS 930S This was one of the last models to be made and is in excellent condition. Absolutely no mods or repairs carried out - open to any inspection/test
Has 500 hz c.w filter fitted. but no internal A.T.U

G4RVU Derby (QTHR)

526. For sale: Cubic Communications Astro 102-BXA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: patddd@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6vb6t0$ik5$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 130122

For sale: Cubic Communications Astro 102-BXA Looks to be in ok condition with matching. PSU-6 power supply, PowerSupply power cord cut off at the end..
Fully solid state Transeiver made in the 80's ..
Make me an offer...
Any Questions Email patddd@hotmail.com
Thank you.

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527. Re: IRS "Recruiting?"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: k0hb@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6vb8mg$lh9$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 130123
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.radio.free

w8mmq@juno.com wrote:

> October 4, 1998
>
> An IRS "agent" in a police uniform? A trip to the IRS web site over the
> weekend revealed an IRS "recruiter" in what appears to be a police
> uniform. That picture, and much, much more, at the growing W8MMQ web
> site.

The graphic is a spoof of an old armed forces recruiting poster. The guy in the foreground is in a Marine Corps uniform, not a police uniform. Your WWW site sucks, by the way. Some 'patriot' who can't even recognize a USMC uniform!

Hans

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528. Re: FTV-650 6M Transverter Tube Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: w4nti@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6v95r5ume1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 130156
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

In article <6v8cr0meq1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
nw2m@qsl.net wrote:
> Greetings,
>
> I am ready to add the information on my web page about the FTV-650 6 Meter
> transverter, but I have one question.
>
> The PA tube in the transverter is a 2001. Is this tube available, and/or,
> what is a substitute?
>
> Could I get a copy of the tube characteristics from someone with a tube
> manual.
>
> Thanks in advance,
>
> Al, NW2M
>
> PS: And thanks for the inputs/copies of the 6JS6C tubes :-)
>
> http://www.qsl.net/nw2m/ft101.html
>
> -----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own
>
The 2001 is the Japanese version of the 6146. A good replacement would be
a 6146B or the mil version, 8298A. Also the 6146W will also work.

Class AB1 Class AB2
CCS ICAS CCS ICAS
Plate Voltage 600 750 600 750
Grid No.2 Voltage 250 250 250 250
Plate Current (Max.Signal) 175 220 175 220 Ma.
Plate Input (Max. Signal) 90 120 90 120 Watts.
Plate Dissipation 27 35 27 35 Watts.
Grid 2 Input(Max. Signal) 3 3 3 3 Watts.
Grid 1 Circuit Rdsistance .1 .1 .03 .03 Megohm

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Dan/W4NTI

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529. Re: New ICOM 706MkII Microphone Gain Low?, Please Help.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4bh@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <36183021.44931785@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 130157

Craig,

The stock handmike is designed for mobile operation. It has a noise cancelling rubber diaphram between the mike opening and the element. This is mainly for reducing the background noise found under mobile conditions. I also had to talk very loud directly into the mike to get sufficient modulation. There was a mod posted on the newsgroups several months ago on how to remove this diaphram, which I did. I don't believe this mod is ICom approved, but it did improve my audio. Those who use the ICom desk mikes don't have this problem since these mikes have preamps.

73's es gud luk
Ken
KK4BHOn Sun, 04 Oct 1998 11:06:47 -0400, Craig <cpu_nut@yahoo.com>
wrote:

>I recently got an Icom 706MkII, and I need some help with a question:
>
>In my opinion the Mic gain seems kind of low. If I have the compressor
>off, and the output power on (H)igh on HF SSB, I need to turn the Mic
>gain all the way to (H)igh and then talk very loud touching the Mic to
>get even minimal ALC action. If I turn on the compressor, then I can
>set the Mic gain to about 5, but I still need to talk louder than I
>would consider normal. I am using the stock hand Mic.
>
>Is this just my radio, of is this common to 706MkIIs?
>
>I only have a day left to swap it out at HRO, so any opinions are
>appreciated.
>
>Thanks in advance,
>
>Craig

530. Re: Yaesu FRG-7 For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: deanntx@e-tex.com
Message-ID: <6v98eo$2mr$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 130158

In article <6v8thh$i3j$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
AMFONE@CONCENTRIC.NET wrote:
> In article <6v889hfcg1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
> deanntx@e-tex.com wrote:
> > I have this receiver for sale and is in mint condition and works perfectly.
> >
> > Asking $200.00 plus shipping.
> >
> > Leave email to deanntx@e-tex.com
> >
> > -----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
> > http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own
> >
> wow what a deal.. its worth about $75.00 if mint

Hmmmm. Well, you better look around, for they are goin for as high as $350,
and most are going for around $200. Thanks for the input, all is welcome.

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>

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531. WTB: PRO-2042/PRO-2035/BC9000XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tony Heatwole <heatwole@shell.clark.net>
Message-ID: <6v97q8$7fj$5@clarknet.clark.net>
Source record: 130159

Hello. I'm interested in getting a BC9000XLT, PRO-2042, OR PRO-2035 base scanner. All I require is that the scanner works 100% and is at least a 7/10 cosmetically, and that it comes with a manual and a power cord. I would prefer to trade for the scanner, but will consider a trade/money agreement. Here is what I have for trade:

-RS 4 Channel Microphone Mixer
-RS Stereo Pre-Amp
-RS PRO-43 Handheld Scanner
-RS Powerhorn 5w Directional External Speaker
-RS Handheld 1-1300 MHz Frequency Counter
-Panasonic BC-4C AA/D Battery Charger

I can provide conditions, and what comes with each item on request. Please let me
know if you interested in trading.

Nat Heatwole
heatwole@clark.net
KB3CBW, General

532. Re: FS: UHF CAVITY FILTERS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: ligosa@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981004215025.03738.00003867@ng-fb1.aol.com>
Source record: 130160

please email JPG

Chris

533. Re: FS: 3KV PLATE POWER TRANSFORMER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: ligosa@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981004215440.03738.00003870@ng-fb1.aol.com>
Source record: 130161

I'll take it. Please email me a phone I have questions.

Chris
ligosa@aol.com

534. Mot DTMF mics

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: ilonka00@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <36182a19.203807289@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 130162

We have several Mot. DTMF mobile mics, HMN1010, HMN1014, iIn
like-new condition. $40 each plus freight.

535. Mot HKN8036B GP300 Battery Eliminator

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: ilonka00@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <361a2a88.203918939@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 130163

New, unused HKN8036B Battery Eliminator
for GP300. Mock battery attaches to
GP300, has coil cord with cigaratte
light plug for 12VD power. Integral
3A fuse. $40 + freight

536. Trimble GPS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: ilonka00@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <361c2af5.204027936@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 130164

Trimble Navigation "Placer 400" GPS receiver with two
magnetic mount "fog" antennaa, cigarette lighter power
cable, RS232 cable, manual. New, unused, $200 + freight.
Specs and digital pix available at
http://www.trimble.com/cgi/mpprod.cgi/pd_tc007.htm

537. STX SPEAKER MIC'S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: ilonka00@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <361e2c0a.204304584@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 130165

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STX remote speaker/mic's $35 each + freight.
All items guaranteed in good cosmteic condition
and fully operational.
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538. STX BATTERIES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: ilonka00@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <36202c42.204360695@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 130166

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STX high capacity batteries $35 each + freight.
All items guaranteed in good cosmteic condition
and fully operational.
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539. STX RAPID CHARGERS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: ilonka00@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <36222c70.204406551@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 130167

STX signle unit rapid desk chargers $45 each + freight.
Guaranteed in good cosmteic condition and fully operational.

540. CARL: I lost your shiiping address!!! MOUSIE@N-JCENTER.COM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: mousie@n-jcenter.com
Message-ID: <36182398.1112151@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 130168

MOUSIE@N-JCENTER.COM

541. Want Heathkit paint - who sells it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: no9z@prairienet.org
Message-ID: <NDWR1.400$dE1.1178236@firefly>
Source record: 130169

I guess the subject covers it. I want to repaint the case for a SB220 amp and get it looking like new. Anyone have a supplier for the paint?
I want the light green stuff.

73
Lynn
--

542. Problem with IC-746 - Need some information from service manual...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Seth Miller <seth.miller@NOSPAMworldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3618370B.1CA8A159@NOSPAMworldnet.att.net>
Source record: 130170

I'm looking for someone with a service manual for an Icom IC-746 who can answer a question for me. If you have one, I would greatly appreciate a response via email.

In advance, my question involves a minor problem with my own '746. Even though the transmitter frequency is spot-on (verified via an HP service monitor feed by a GPS timebase - and let me tell you that the 746 is STABLE), on FM receive the receiver seems to be actually tuned about 2 kc high of the frequency readout, or in other words, cleanest signal is obtained by tuning 2 kc below the frequency of the transmitting station. This has been verified with a service monitor, the sinad figure improves by more than 10dB when the 746 is tuned 2 kc below the signal generator output frequency. This is uniform across the bands on FM (and yes, I'm sure that the RIT is turned off!!). FWIW, receive operation on CW/SSB seems fine.

Since the radio works perfectly in all other respects I'm guessing that this is just a simple alignment issue, and I'd rather take care of it myself than go through the bother of sending it in. Hence my desire for the alignment instructions from the service manual...

Again, would greatly appreciate any help if you happen to have one lying around...

Thanks -

- Seth N6BMB

(Please remove the 'NOSPAM' text from my return address in order to send a personal reply. I apologize for the inconvenience.)

543. Re: Yaesu FT-920 Price Reduction..?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: ronfisher1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981004232350.03715.00005959@ng103.aol.com>
Source record: 130171

Hi Seth,
Not sure for the drop but I think they thought the 847 was going to going to take over.I know I was happy about it as I bought one and love it.It is one of the most under priced radios for what you get.The only other accessaries I got was an AMfilter and desk mic.
The dsp is fantastic!!

73s, Ron KA1SRZ

544. Non-Ham Vanity plates

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: wmunsil@aztec.asu.edu
Message-ID: <6v9hqe$6n$1@news.asu.edu>
Source record: 130172

In AZ there was - and maybe still be - a plate commemerating the lost Indian tribe, the FUGAWE.

And no, that's why the HAM police officer asked the folks about WE3FLY. He had never heard of any WE calls either.

I have applied for - among others - WW7ATV and WN7ATV.

Bil
N7AOU
Hopefully my new call is on the way.

--

Lernu La Internacian Lingvon, Esperanto. 1-800-ESPERANTO, soc.culture.esperanto, www.esperanto-usa.org, Esperanto SIG.

545. Re: Grundig YachtBoy 400 vs. Sony ICF-SW7600G

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: nmp4846@garnet.acns.fsu.edu
Message-ID: <6v9hng$6m2$1@news.fsu.edu>
Source record: 130173
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

I have a Grundig YatchBoy 400, and it works Great. It also does have SSB.
I beleive Grundig just came out with a new version "Grundig Yatchboy 400 PRO",
something like that. You might want to check it out. The tag price is around
$200.

In article <3613E1D2.F91B45D9@mindspring.com>, adamm@mindspring.com says...
>
>I'm about to buy my first shortwave radio. I'm looking at the Grundig
>YachtBoy 400 and the Sony ICF-SW7600G, but I don't know enough to decide
>which one is better. My price limit is US$200.
>
>The Sony has SSB. Is that very important?
>
>Any advice would be greaty appreciated.
>
>Thanks,
>AM
>

546. Wanted: DJ-190 Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Denison <mjd@ntr.net>
Message-ID: <361ADEB5.B916C1A1@ntr.net>
Source record: 129876

I have an Alinco DJ-190 (no frills model) and I can't find my user's manual. Should anyone have one they would be willing to either sell or copy for me, I'd be very appreciative.

Please respond via email only as I may not have a chance to check back in to this newsgroup soon.

TIA,
Joe Denison
N9ZLI

547. Opinions Wanted on Antenna Tuners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin Fisher <klfisher@compusmart.ab.ca>
Message-ID: <361ae4e8.0@ntnews.compusmart.ab.ca>
Source record: 129877

I am looking for an antenna tuner. I have decided on maybe a MFJ 949E
or the Vectronics VC300DLP tuners.

I am interested in hearing why I may choose one over another ?

Are there any other tuners that may be in a similar range that may be worth
considering.

I am running Kenwood TS140S with 20m dipole ..

Thanks
Kevin Fisher VE6OXR
Edmonton Alberta Canada
klfisher@compusmart.ab.ca

548. Looking for Tekscope THS720/730

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oscar Vera <overa@slip.net>
Message-ID: <361A8AF5.D0111E65@slip.net>
Source record: 129878

hi,

Loking for a Tektronix Tekscope THS720/730 handheld scopemeter. Any
help greatly appreciated.

PLease forward other newsgroups that might be of help.

thanks,

me :)

549. Antenna grounding

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Brien P. Crotty" <Brien.P.Crotty.1@nd.edu>
Message-ID: <361ADF8B.2CED229B@nd.edu>
Source record: 129879
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have what is probably a pretty stupid question. I just received a Comet SBB2 Antenna, Comet RS-820 antenna mount, and a length of Comet CK3M coaxial antenna cable that terminates in about 12 inches of very thin cable so that it won't screw up the weather stripping on my car.

My question is where do I attach a grounding wire to this contraption? Do I put a grounding wire between the metal washer and the nut that allows the attachment of the actual antenna connector at the end of the coax to the mount? It doesn't appear that there is anywhere on the mount itself to hook up a ground for the antenna, nor on the antenna itself.

I also note that the RS-820 came with what appears to be a 3.75 inche long stainless steel piece of metal about 1/16th of an inch thick. What is this for?

Thank you,

Brien
KB9TLL

550. Wire Icom mic for a Yaesu

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark White <"markw(NOJUNK)"@iconnect.net>
Message-ID: <361B08A4.1550@iconnect.net>
Source record: 129880

Does anyone know off the top of their head what pins I need to change for an amplified Shure desk microphone which is currently wired for an Icom/kenwood and I have a Yaesu 757 GX2?

Thanks, Mark White

551. How to power a mobile rad

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5vnu@lunatic.com
Message-ID: <39004.692.uupcb@lunatic.com>
Source record: 129881

Jeannie posted re;

JE>.@SUBJECT:How to power a mobile radio for a base station?? N
JE>.@FROM :jeannie@NOSPAM.lansol.com N
JE>.@MSGID :<3613f2bb.16696247@news.flashcom.com> N
JE>From: jeannie@NOSPAM.lansol.com
JE>Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc
JE>Subject: How to power a mobile radio for a base station??
JE>Date: Thu, 01 Oct 1998 21:30:27 GMT
JE>Message-ID: <3613f2bb.16696247@news.flashcom.com>

JE>Hi,

JE>Just bought myself a mobile Yaesu FT-5100 from the last swap meet to
JE>use a base station (per recommendations from this NG). How in the
JE>world do I get power to the radio?? It comes all the accessories and
JE>cables for the car. No AC adapter or anything of sorts.

JE>The manual mentions an optional FP-700 power supply/speaker for base
JE>station operation. I called the local Ham shop and they want $200.00
JE>for it. Ouch!! I can't afford that. The manual also says that it
JE>requires 13.6VDC and at least 12A. The DC transformers they sell at
JE>Radio Shack only rated at 0.5A.

JE>Please help... 73, Jeannie

JE>** remove NOSPAM if reply by e-mail **

HI-
Hope the new rig does work out in fullfiling your needs. The unit you bought was intended for use in a vehical and that is the reason it had no provisons for operation from 117vac in your house etc. The power supply which you require for the unit may be a much cheaper unit than the one made by Yaseu and if you do not mind a car battery sitting in your house or other fixed location. That is what I am using, powering both vhf/uhf and hf rigs from the same battery. I have a charger which runs to charge up the battery and which I turn off when I am using the systems so as to avoid ground loops and hum problems. The battery works great. There is some attendent danger due to the acid etc and the fumes. Use in a well ventalated location and put the battery in a battery box such as sold for use in a boat or RV installation..or simply set it in a non-conductive tub or wash pan which is big enough to hold it and which you can peridoicly wash out with a bit of water and baking soda.

If you want to buy a used power supply that will alow you to operate from the AC line without the problems that batteries cause; then you should expect to pay $25-100 for a good used supply of adequate current capacity.

I have a couple of lambda lab supplies that are 13.8 vdc at 60 amps each that I was fortuante enough to get from a computer dealer who thoght any voltage other than 5vdc was odd...g But as I said, I just use a battery since I can count on it being there when I need to use it. A typical car battery is not as good as a deep-cycle battery in this application, but I generaly get about 3 yrs life out of one and that is all they do in the vehical. Over a long time; the batteires do cost more than the PS designed to be run off of AC.

. OLX 2.1 . People don't plan to fail, people fail to plan!

552. DUAL BANDERS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: HRE <hamradio@wizzards.net>
Message-ID: <361AE82B.224F@wizzards.net>
Source record: 129882

ALINCO
~~~~~~~
DR-570T * Deluxe Dual Band VHF/UHF Mobile ~ W/ Wide Band Rcvr.
Has Build in Duplexer / Mobile Bracket, DC Cable, DTMF Hand Mic.
This Radio is Really Clean was used in ham shack...
No Manual ! Just $249.00

ICOM
~~~~~~
IC-32AT * Deluxe H/Duty 2/440 dual Band Hand Held Xcvr.
Very Easy to Use, Can be modded to Xmit Wide Band / Out of Band
5 + Watt Hand Held . Has the Best Audio of Any HT / Low Intermod.
Very Clean and Works Great / Battery Pack, Dual Band Rubber Duck,
and ICOM Leather Case.
This is a Top Quality H/T VERY Hard to Find USED ! Just $239.00

IC-3200H * FM DUAL BAND VHF/UHF MOBILE XCVR.
2 Meters 50 Watts & 35 Watts 440 Mhz. / Manual, DC Cable
DTMF Hand Mic, Mobile Bracket. - LIKE NEW !
Sale Priced Just $249.00

YAESU
~~~~~~~
FT-470 * Deluxe Dual Band 2 / 440 Hand Held Xcvr. W/ Charger, 2 FNB-17
Battery packs, Duck Ant. MH-18 Speaker Mic. / Very Clean $195.00
No Manual, Estate Radio / Manual was Lost...

FT-530 * Deluxe Dual Band 2 / 440 Hand Held Xcvr. W/ Charger,
2 FNB-25 Battery Packs, MH-29 Digital Speaker Mic, Dual Band Duck Ant.
Very Clean $325.00 / No Manual, Estate Radio Manual was Lost..

Joe Reaves / N6fra (541) 479-1212

http://www.wizzards.net/hamradio
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553. LOOK !!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: HRE <hamradio@wizzards.net>
Message-ID: <361AECCC.5A12@wizzards.net>
Source record: 129883

http://www.wizzards.net/hamradio

554. Re: Icom IC-U16 Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Chris M. Bridges" <"n4fan@shelby.net"@shelby.net>
Message-ID: <6vjn6plrq1@news.shelby.net>
Source record: 129884

George Guillory wrote:
>
> Would the person who wanted the manual for the Icom IC-U16 contact me.
>
> I found one.
>
> George, KC5HBT
> guillory@blkbox.com

I wasnt the one looking, but could you please tell me how you go about
programming a U16.
Thanks
Chris
n4fan@shelby.net
--
Chris M. Bridges
n4fan@shelby.net
http://www.shelby.net/n4fan

555. Re: Repair info needed-Tempo One

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Carroll <w0ex@scan.missouri.org>
Message-ID: <6vdgmhkiu0@208.207.71.143>
Source record: 129925

>

Don't believe anyone has suggested checking the tubes or trying direct
replacements. A cathode-filament short in a vacuum tube can introduce
60hz hum without causing other problems.

> John wrote in message <361911DE.4631@iland.net>...
> >A friend of mine has a Tempo One that transmits a hum on his audio.
> >He tried a different power supply and that didn't help. Anyone have
> >experience with this problem and could advise me of what needs to be
> >done to alleviate the problem, or at least a starting point? Any info
> >will be greatly appreciated,thanks.
>

556. Re: Problem with Cushcrft beam

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Carroll <w0ex@scan.missouri.org>
Message-ID: <6vdgv2$l0t$0@208.207.71.143>
Source record: 129926
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Tom McDermott wrote:

> One possibility to consider is arcing of the traps, the matching
> network, or possibly the elements to the boom or mast (if they are
> insulated).
>

Spiders like to get into the weep holes in traps and spin webs, which then accumulated moisture, from humitity in the air if no other source.Then when you turn up the wick, a very nice internal arc within a trap can occur, which can severly damage or destroy it. Pretty well causes a rebuild to be necessary.

Dick W0EX

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>
>
> I have a shunt-fed tower, and had a problem with the matching capacitor
> arcing-over at high power. This solicited reports of distorted audio
> when running higher power. I opened the weather-proof box, and my XYL
> could see the cap arcing. Replacing the capacitor with a vacuum
> variable (which has much higher breakdown voltage) completely cured that
> problem.
>
> Different tribanders are constructed differently, some insulate the
> elements from the boom and mast, others don't. Also, check the traps
> for evidence of arcing internally. Have had this problem on one
> commercial
> multi-band yagi. Ended up wrapping teflon sheeting around the coil to
> eliminate the breakdown path.
>
> -- Tom, N5EG
> n5eg@tapr.org
>
> Mike Pendergast wrote:
> >
> > I am using a Cushcraft 3-element tribander and have suddenly developed a
> > problem with garbbled transmissions. I get good signal reports with my
> > vertical antenna and I get good signal strength reports on the beam but
> > the voice can not be understood. The problem just started one week ago.
> > Does anyone have any suggestions on what the problem is and what migth
> > be done to cure the problem. The only change I have made in my shack is
> > that I have moved my computer closer to my rig and feed lines. Could

> > this be the problem?
> > I would appreciate any help on this. Thanks a lot
> > Mike KT4AN
>

557. Tech America $99 variable power supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dennis Hennigan <dennis@top.monad.net>
Message-ID: <6vdh05$ih9$1@news.monad.net>
Source record: 129927

Thinking of purchasing the 0-30VDC power supply listed in their last flyer.
Any comments???
Dennis

558. Re: force 12 antennas any good??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Reichow <gjr1@po17.rv.unisys.com>
Message-ID: <361A6528.1B7C@po17.rv.unisys.com>
Source record: 129928

marc cormier wrote:
>
> Hello
> After a long separation from my wife and loosing my hf beam in the
> process,i was interested in the c-3 from force 12.
> Does anyone have any comments on this subject?
> thanking you in advance
> marc
> ve9yj

It is my understanding that the C3 is an
excellent performer.
Gary - KN0V

559. Re: Caps Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "W. Edwin Lambert, Jr." <ma_locksmith@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <OBgGtZU89GA.131@upnetnews02.moswest.msn.net>
Source record: 129929

Yes, he's right. Try Digi-Key 1-800-344-4539.

Part number P10163-ND is $8.04 each and 10 for $68.01. It's a 220 @ 450.
The also have 180 @ 450 at a slightly lower cost.

Ed Lambert
Jim Allen wrote in message <361A2484.1005@cup44ux.cup.hp.com>...
>I'm in need of quantity 8 of 200MFD at 450V axial electrolytic
>capacitors. I've called all the usual sources. Anyone know of a
>inexpensive source for these?
>
>Thanks,
>
>Jim
>
>KQ6LB

560. Re: IRS "Recruiting?"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@groucho.cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <6vdj3j$jhb@groucho.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 129930
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.radio.free,alt.radio.pirate

"Daniel Hicks, Jr." <w8mmq@juno.com> writes:
>This post was nothing more than a ploy to attract more visitors to the site,
>and it has worked, better than I expected. Of course the guy is wearing a
>Marine uniform, it said so right on the IRS web site!! The story was about
>Marine recruiter Sgt. Sam Fidelis. So, you can stop email me telling me how
>much you hate the site, how much you hate me, and how stupid I am ... it was
>a simple trap and you fell for it.

>By the way, thanks for the many hits (that counter is really rising now).

Strange. I can imagine someone with a web site feeling happy that their
site is getting a lot of traffic because people find the content useful
or interesting.

But it takes someone twisted to be proud of wasting other peoples' time
looking at something that they were misled about.

I guess if you can't get attention for doing something worthwhile,
people will try to get attention for doing something useless.

Dave

561. IC-xx71-ram-adapter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: klimasewski@mail.dec.com
Message-ID: <361A529F.19A1C472@mail.dec.com>
Source record: 129931

Has anyone built the ram adapter by DG8FZ?

This allows you to read the Battery Ram in a Icom R71A and other Icom radios as
a 2764 eprom.

Ken, N1KK

562. FOR SALE - - - ICOM IC-725

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: N4UJF <brockway@rose.net>
Message-ID: <361A5933.5FB4@rose.net>
Source record: 129932
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

Full power compact all mode HF rig covers all ham bands 160-10 meters.
Has been modified for full coverage transmit. Has AM-FM accessory board.
Comes with hand mic, power cord and full documentation. $550.00

Also available: New MFJ 969 300watt antenna tuner and G5RV antenna for
only $150.00

Will accept payment by major credit card for immediate shipment.

Bruce Brockway N4UJF
912-377-8256
brockway@rose.net

563. Wanted: IF232C interface-knwd850

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmg@tntech.edu
Message-ID: <Xnqw+mCEQuM8@gemini.tntech.edu>
Source record: 129933

I am looking of a good used IF232C computer interface for a Knwd
850. Might also be interested in 270hz filter

73
Jeff, AC4HF

564. Re: Fry's Electronics a "RIP OFF"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: tcrpe <tcrpe@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <GDtS1.1583$M4.477624@news.giganews.com>
Source record: 129934
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,ba.music,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Tom Currie wrote in message <3619FC77.7329@worldnet.att.net>...
>tcrpe wrote:
>>
>> Carl Zwanzig wrote in message <6v32an$5qo@maguro.epr.com>...
>>> Actually, Yes, I do find it objectionable. I object to the
>>> assumption that I MAY have stolen something.
>>
>> Carl,
>>
>> It is not done on the supposition that YOU stole anything. It is
>> done to prevent the common scam where an EMPLOYEE working in concert
>> with a friend, posing as a CUSTOMER sells said friend and item worth,
>> say, $600, for the paltry sum of, say, $20.
>
>And just what does that make the "friend"?

A theif and co-conspirator.

>Tapdance all you want, but
>the exit check is based on a management decision to treat all customers
>like shoplifters in the hope of discouraging the few who might have such
>intentions.

Believe that if you wish, but it sure sounds cynical. Or do you have
something to hide when you leave the store?

>> This is a very common scam at all high volume stores, and if not
>> interdicted, results in higher prices to the legitimate customers.
>
>And there are ways to deter and prevent such crimes. The foremost of
>which is simply prosecution when the crime is detected.

That's exactly the point. They are trying to "detect" the crime. Why is
that so hard for you to understand?

>Most "high
>volume stores" use computerized cash registers on which the checker
>cannot even enter a price at all, getting the price from the computer
>based on scanning the Universal Product Code (UPC) barcode. It would be
>possible to skip scanning an item, but it is very tricky to enter a
>false price into any such system from the register.

It is very easy to manually enter a UPC number. It is done every time the
scanner fails to read the number properly. Duh.

>> The existence of the exit check (aka "the final indignity") alone
>> mitigates much of this inside theft. That's why they do it.
>
>If anyone is stupid enough to believe that exit checks deter the kind of
>theft you describe, then they deserve both the losses they would be
>taking and the costs of the totally ineffective "precaution."

Explain to me why, in your estimation, someone would "deserve" to be stolen from. How does that work? What's next? He deserved to be shot? She deserved to be raped? These are, after all, crimes aren't they?

>I have yet to see any store where a routine exit check was more than a
>count of items (and usually a very sloppy count at that). A line by
>line comparison of each item with the register receipt COULD catch some
>of the kind of theft you suggest -- at an enormous cost to the retailer
>(far more than the cost of such theft) and would ensure that the company
>went bankrupt for lack of customers unless they held an absolute local
>monopoly on some completely essential product.

Well, I hate to confuse you with the facts, but Fry's is hardly bankrupt. And based upon the pricing they offer and the traffic and sales they generate, they appear to be doing quite well. Based upon your criteria.....

The facts do no support your position. Since you dislike Fry's so much, and claim to have all the answers, when are you opening your store?

565. Re: Call Sign screensavers - free demo

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Miles <jmiles@pop.removethistomailme.net>
Message-ID: <361A6888.FA1@pop.removethistomailme.net>
Source record: 129935
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Raj VE6RAJ wrote:
>
> How about in Win 95 right click on desktop, choose properties, select
> screen saver, choose 3D Text, enter you call sign, choose the style and
> type of font, colours, textture and movement; click OK. All for free.
>
> VE6RAJ
>
> Sam Alfano wrote:
> >
> > Simply the coolest thing for all hams with computers. This amazing 3D
> > screensaver features high-end graphics and is self-installing. It will
> > dazzle you when you see it. Proudly display the call sign you worked so
> > hard to achieve!
> >
> > Please download the free demo at http://www.alfano.com/w5sn/ Once you see
> > it, you'll definitely want one for yourself, and your custom screensaver
> > will be e-mailed to you.
> >
> > W5SN

That damned Bill Gates with his evil Micro$oft monopoly again... how in
the world can anyone else compete in the call-sign screen-saver market,
if he is allowed to give them away for free?!?? Call Janet Reno! Call
Ralph Nader! Call Ken Starr!...

(hey, if the strategy works for Netscape...)

-- jm KE5FX

Note: My E-mail address has been altered to avoid spam
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566. Re: FS or Trade: Kenwood TH-G71A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jorge Carminati <jcar@cvtci.com.ar>
Message-ID: <361A6AD4.65A7349B@cvtci.com.ar>
Source record: 129936

Can you tell me why do you want to make that trade ?.
Jorge.

Girardk716 wrote:
>
> I have forsale a Kenwood TH-G71A dualband ht. Id like to trade it for a Yaesu
> FT50RD. I am asking $225.00 plus shipping and i'll throw in a speaker mic.
>
> Thanks

567. FS KENWOO TS-440 AT MINT $850.00 N1HHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gabriel G melo <n1hhf@110.net>
Message-ID: <6vdq4h$1j8$1@stalker.oem.net>
Source record: 129937

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568. Re: WTB TVRO Dish

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Levstik <donl@sh-gpl.ti.com>
Message-ID: <Pine.HPP.3.91.981006141456.15397A-100000@yoda.sh-gpl.ti.com>
Source record: 129938

On Tue, 6 Oct 1998, K.R.Burtchaell wrote:

> WTB 8 to 10ft TVRO dish.Must be useable at Ku band as I want to use it
> for 10Ghgz EME.Ken W6GHV
>
>

You might try placing a classified ad in the newspaper. A friend of mine did this last year and received nearly 100 phone calls from people wanting to get rid of their big dishes. The majority of the calls were from people wanting to give him their dish for free if he would come and take it down!

Don Levstik WD5JBC
e-mail: d-levstik@ti.com

569. Re: SW Broadcasters who QRM the ham bands

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <6vdr0u$pbb@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 129939
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.broadcasting.open,alt.radio.broadcasting,alt.radio.free,alt.radio.internet,alt.radio.pirate,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <36166B5B.7F58@rol3.com>,
Station Manager <steven.willers@rol3.com> wrote:
>Howdy from rainy Switzerland
>
>Many thanks to all who kindly sent me reports on last weeks
>tranmissions.
>Looks like 3985Khz and 7120Khz are coming in very well all over Europe.
>Wonder if any listeners can pick up our signal in the USA?!
><snip>
>That's all from me until next week.Enjoy life and keep on living.

We have a very effective weapon we use against SW broadcasters who
invade our Region 2 ham bands - we call it CBRambo (aka CBBimbo,
Drew, Spew, et al). We air-drop it onto your transmitter site
and have it stick pins in your transmission line, thus causing
your transmitter to melt down (of course, the CBRambo also melts,
but that is of no concern to us - it will quickly reappear under
a different AOL screen name).

PLEASE KEEP YOUR TRANSMISSIONS OUT OF THE REGION 2 HAM BANDS!! Alter
your antenna radiation pattern, if necessary.

Sincerely,
Jeff KH2PZ / KH6

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570. WTB:Saber mobile adapter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al <K6DJP@postoffice.pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <361A7506.ED989094@postoffice.pacbell.net>
Source record: 129940
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I am looking to buy a SVA for a Motorola Saber.Must include the display
microphone
with full key pad.
Al

571. Re: ADI AT-201 HP battery question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: sjk2@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6ve3h5$uu2$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129941

In article <35FF3F30.8C13D602@worldnet.att.net>,
KB9RXG@worldnet.att.net wrote:
> I have the previous model, the AT-200. When the light goes out the batt is
> charged. If you leave it on longer it will overheat. Don't let it over heat.
> That will affect batt life. An option is one of the auto chargers that MAHA
> sells which stops charging when you have a full can. Hope this has helped

According to the tech support at Premier/ADI, the light on the wall blob means
nothing, i.e., there is no cut-off circuit. He says to charge the battery for
11 hours then disconnect.

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

572. Re: Call Sign screensavers - free demo

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: (unknown)
Message-ID: <361b7fe8.100646005@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 129942
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

On Tue, 06 Oct 1998 16:43:45 GMT, clintbrad4d@earthlink.net wrote:

>In article <361c2817.78162186@news.mindspring.com>,
> (Ryan) wrote:
>
>> I don't download exe files from strangers.
>
>Really? You've never tried a Shareware program unless you intimately know the
>author? You don't download anything at all fromthe Internet?
>
> - Clint Bradford
>
>-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

You got it. Nothing.

573. Re: Kenwood TS-570DG S/N 00300075

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: cmjk2og@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981006164032.29979.00004054@ng54.aol.com>
Source record: 129943

Another happy ending!
73,
C. Jespersen K2OG

574. WTD: TH-415 manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: radio@copland.udel.edu
Message-ID: <6vduq2$26q$1@copland.udel.edu>
Source record: 129944
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Wanted - manual for a Kenwood TH-415 or TH-215.

Please contact Mark Modica, WB8QEE at

88 Green Tree La
Hiram OH 44234

tel 440 834 8873

Do NOT e-mail here. Tnx

575. FT: 6KD6, 6JS6C (N.O.S)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: oldradio@webtv.net
Message-ID: <12427-361A77AF-11@newsd-141.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 129945

Hi,

I need two 1L6's. I have a 6KD6 and a 6JS6C (both N.O.S, both G.E) a 6G5 (ST) eye tube (N.O.S) and a 6JS6C used (tested strong) Sylvania. If you are interested please e-mail me.

Thank you,

Kelly Molles

576. F/S KENWOOD GEAR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: HRE <hamradio@wizzards.net>
Message-ID: <361A81CD.E03@wizzards.net>
Source record: 129946
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

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TS-690SAT * Deluxe General Coverage HF + 6 Meters All-Mode Xcvr.
0 to 100 + Watts Out / Manual, "Auto Antenna Tuner", DC Cable
Hand Mic, "ALL LIKE BRAND NEW" / NONSMOKER / Just $959.00

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Hand Mic, "Just Like NEW" In Factory Box... Just $1395.00

SP-23 * Matching speaker for the TS-450 & 690 / Very Nice $65.00

MC-60 A * Deluxe Kenwood Desk mic / New $145.00

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TM-255A * Deluxe 50 watt 2 Meter All-Mode Xcvr. W/ Manual
DC Cable, DTMF Hand Mic./ Super Clean / Works Great $499.00
Looks like the Kenwood TS-50-S...

TM-241A * 2 meter 50 watt FM mobile Xcvr. W/ Manual, Mobile Bracket
DC Cable and DTMF Hand Mic. / Like New Just $169.00

TM-2530 * Deluxe 2 Meter 30 watt FM Mobile Xcvr.
Factory Box, Manual, DC Cable, Hand Mic.
20 Memories, PL Sub-Tone Board / Just Replaces the Lithium Battery
No Mobile Bracket / Never Used Mobile / Super Clean $159.00

TR-7950 * Deluxe 50 Watt 2 Meter Mobile Xcvr. in Factory Box.
SUPER Nice Condition / Manual, DC Cable, Hand Mic.
With TU-9 Tone Encoder / PL Board $149.00

DFC-230 * Deluxe Digital Memory VFO & Freq. Controller
WORKS With TS-120-S / TS-130-S / TS-530-S / TS-830-S Xcvrs.
Gives you Memories, Freq. Scan, Dual Vfo's and More... RARE ITEM !
W/ Manual & Cables / Works Great ! JUST $125.00 / no mic.
Price With a NEW MC-43S 8-pin UP-DOWN Scan hand mic. $175.00

MB-100 / Mobile Mounting Bracked - TS-120-S & TS-130-S
in factory box... Like New $40.00 / Rare Item !

YK88C-1 * 500hz. CW Filter $95.00 Plug-in.

YG-455C-1 * 500hz. CW Filter 2nd. IF. $125.00 Plug-in.
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International Filter Corp. YG-455C - $110.00 Works in
Kenwood TS-450/690/850/570/870 * Easy Solder-in.

W & W Associates PB-33 Long life Battery pack
for the Kenwood TH-22at H/T $45.00 NEW / SHIPPED !
only one at this price...

PG-2W * DC Power Cable for Kenwood H/T'S / NEW = $16.00

ME-1 * Memory Expansion Unit * for Th-28a & 78a H/T NEW = $25.00

MB-430 / Mobile Mounting Bracket - TS-430/440/450/570/Radios
USED $29.00 / "New in Box = $45.00"

Joe Reaves / N6fra at HRE...
http://www.wizzards.net/hamradio

577. F/S ICOM GEAR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: HRE <hamradio@wizzards.net>
Message-ID: <361A82D6.52DD@wizzards.net>
Source record: 129947

FOR SALE / ICOM EQUIPMENT
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IC-PS-15 * Matching Power Supply for IC-271/740/745/751 Type Xcvrs.
H/D 20 Amp P/Supply in Factory Box / Like New $119.00

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Made to Run Mobile Radios / or anythimg at 8 Amps / NEW $150.00
In Factory Box / Like New $ 49.00

IC-2AT * 2 Meter Hand Held Xcvr. Thumb Wheel Tuning 140 - 150 Mhz.
BP-3, Wall Charger, Rubber Duck / New DC-1 Adapter
This is an Oldy But Goody, Very Clean $125.00

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Very Easy to Use, Can be modded to Xmit Wide Band / Out of Band
5 + Watt Hand Held . Has the Best Audio of Any HT / Low Intermod.
Very Clean and Works Great / Battery Pack, Rubber Duck and Leather Case
This is a Top Quality H/T VERY Hard to Find USED ! Just $239.00

IC-3200H * FM DUAL BAND VHF/UHF MOBILE XCVR.
2 Meters 50 Watts & 35 Watts 440 Mhz. / Manual, DC Cable
DTMF Hand Mic, Mobile Bracket. - LIKE NEW !
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FL-52A * 500hz. CW Filter / 2nd. IF $119.00
FL-103 * 2.8Khz. SSB Wide Filter $75.00
MB-12 * Mobile Mounting Bracket / IC-71A $35.00
MB-18 * Mobile Mounting Bracket / IC-740/745/751 $40.00
OPC-118 * 24 pin to Din/Din Interface Cable $15.00 Ea.
IC-SM-6 Desk mic. $65.00 - Very Clean !
IC-SM-8 Deluxe Double Cable Desk Mic. $95.00 - Like New
DC-1 * DC Adapter - Pack for the IC-2at / 3at / 4at / SALE $29.00 / NEW
HM-9 * Deluxe Speaker/Mic. * New $40.00 / Demo $30.00

ICOM IC-706 * NEW Accessories * SALE *
OPC-581 * Separation Cable / NEW = $56.00
OPC-25 * H/D DC Cables for Most Model HF Radios $27.00
OPC-596 * Accessory plug with wires $29.00
OPC-589 * 8 pin Mic. plug to Jack Adapter Cable / NEW = $33.00
OPC-599 * 7 + 8 Pin to 13 Pin adapter / $62.00
MB-62 * Mobile Mounting Bracket / NEW = $22.00
Only one each at this price.
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NEW * MFJ 300 Watt Antenna Tuners on Sale NOW !!!
MFJ-948 = $119.00 * SALE !
MFJ-949E = $139.00 * SALE !
MFJ-259 = $200.00 * SALE ! HF/VHF Analyzer
In stock Now...

Joe Reaves / N6fra at HRE...
http://www.wizzards.net/ahamradio
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578. FS or TRADE UHF HT600 TBand

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: joen001@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981006165916.03736.00004696@ng-fb1.aol.com>
Source record: 129948

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FS or TRADE:
2 UHF HT600s in great condition.
T Band (467-503Mhz)
6ch, 4watt
w/o chg.

$150 each
Trade for /\/\ot HT/Mobile, UHF/VHF/800 of similar value.

Thanks - JoeN001@aol.com
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579. FS: Good 8874 ceramic tubes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Murray Neece" <kc5mdm@iglobal.net>
Message-ID: <361A831E.9EF93B0F@iglobal.net>
Source record: 129949
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Murray's Radio Ranch: Buy Sell Trade Swap Amateur Radio (Ham Radio) Equipment

I have a small supply of good commercial pulls in 8874s....Gauranteed to be good and full output...$175 each or 3 for $450.....references and money back if not satisfied. 73 Murray

580. SP 6 Speaker, SP 8 Speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: JJ Smith <jjsmith@ipa.net>
Message-ID: <6ve085$d6j$1@news.ipa.net>
Source record: 129950

Thanks for all the help on the SP 6, but I think I am
going to go with the Yaesu SP 8 speaker instead,

Do anyone have any comments on this unit??

KD5FGY

581. Tektronix 2235 100Mhz Scope $400

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: mts@plix.com
Message-ID: <6ve9k5$8f9$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129951
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

This Tek 2235 is in very good condition, fully functional, just upgrade shop scopes, so this goes at a bargin price, $400 shipped in the Con. US.

Picture(s) (jpeg) available on request by email.

Any questions, please email.

Thank you for stopping by.

-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
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582. FS: Tektronix 2235 100Mhz Scope $400

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: mts@plix.com
Message-ID: <6ve9l6$8fh$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129952
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

This Tek 2235 is in very good condition, fully functional, just upgrade shop scopes, so this goes at a bargin price, $400 shipped in the Con. US.

Picture(s) (jpeg) available on request by email.

Any questions, please email.

Thank you for stopping by.

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583. FS: Yaesu FT-301S HF qrp xcvr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3bj@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6ve9gd$8dd$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129953
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale: Yaesu FT-301S HF qrp xcvr. Classic, rare, black face tranceiver, covers 160, unusual for a qrp rig. Excellent condition, purchased from original owner. Installed options include CW filter and crystal filter for RF speech processor. Cosmetically a 9 out of 10, electrically a 10 out of 10. Original manual and DC cord included.

$320 shipped

Alan, N3BJ
Bent Mountain, VA

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584. WTB- Kenwood TS-940SAT keyboard

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: icstars@nmia.com
Message-ID: <361c93e8.7189721@news.nmia.com>
Source record: 129954

Need to buy this keyboard, new or in excellent condition.

Thanks, KB5XE

585. FS Standard C568A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alan Caplan <alan.caplan@cwix.com>
Message-ID: <zjwS1.517$0Z4.479594@news.cwix.com>
Source record: 129955
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

Standard HT C568A 2 meters, 440 MHz, & 23 cm. Has 200 channel module installed, wall charger, short rubber duck, 7.2 vdc 700mah battery. Extra battery same type, CSA Computer Controlled Rapid Charger, Diamond RH77CA long antenna 5/8. Original boxes, manuals. Very good condition. Hardly used due to wife finding a house at the bottom of a hill. Can not hit any repeaters unless using the mobile rig.

This is the BEST INTERMOD PROOF handheld on the market and the best sounding. Already programmed for every repeater I could think of.

C568A Sells in AES for $539 List $699 mine $400
CMU-161 200 channel memory AES$46.95 List $48.95 included
CSA-181AB Desk rapid charger List $82.95 AES $69.95 $50.00
$24.95 Throw in a free Larson KG-2/70-B

2/440 thru the glass antenna. My car has all curved glass. AES sells for $95.95 Free with handheld or $45.00 separate

$741.75 AES total price asking $500.00

Alan B Caplan K4AVQ & P40AV (Aruba) ex: W0RIC since 1954
14020 140th Court
Apple Valley, MN 55124-9422
612-431-5070 home/office
e-mail alan.caplan@cwix.com or alan.caplan@mci2000.com

EX: Sales Manager Hy-gain 1982-92, Timewave until 4/98

586. Re: Anyone still love the hobby

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: J EDGAR MCDERMOTT <ns5n@erols.com>
Message-ID: <361AA27A.7C5E8AE7@erols.com>
Source record: 129956
Cross-posted to: att.ham-radio,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.spa
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: vcard.vcf

I truly miss not being able to operate like I did when I was first licensed. The enthusiam has not waned, but the QTH has. Since moving to Virginia, I have only been able to operate during FD. I love it, but it isn't ragchewing, and that is a great part of the hobby for me. I miss the all nighters working into Asia and Europe. I miss sharing historical events with people from other walks of life. I hope to be able to someday move into a QTH that I can at least string a wire up.

--
J Edgar/NS5N sends>>>

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

587. RCA CR 88b

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: col <ddd@tref.nl>
Message-ID: <6ve093$g0l$1@reader1.wxs.nl>
Source record: 129957

I am looking for manual of the RCA cr-88b short wave reciever 1938!

E-mail
djcwaalwijk@tref.nl

588. F.S. DRU-3 OR TRADE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: graham dyer <grahmd@interlog.com>
Message-ID: <361AA9AC.DDAA981E@interlog.com>
Source record: 129958

for sale kenwood dru-3 digital recorder new in box $200.00 cdn or trade
for a sm-20 icom microphone.

graham va3gjb ....905-836-0052 or e-mail

589. Re: Anyone still love the hobby

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Sikes <rwsikes@mediaone.net>
Message-ID: <361ABAB1.817FDB01@mediaone.net>
Source record: 129959
Cross-posted to: att.ham-radio,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.spa

Welcome to the Electromagnetic Spectrum!

I just got started myself (got my call sign, KB1DHC, last week). Lot's to enjoy.

Bob Sikes

Wakko Warner wrote:

> I just got in to the hobby, not on the air yet but I passed the no code tech
> tests. and am waiting for a call sign.
>
> I got an HT and have been using it as a scanner and listening to the nets on 2
> meter and 70 cm. I'm looking at a booster for the car and further down the
> line a base or repeater at home, that is far off though.
>
> Eric
>
> JOHN WARD wrote:
>
> > Just courious is anyone still enjoy the hobby? If so get on the air and
> > make some contacts encourage someone else to join the hobby and realize it
> > is a hobby and not a career. 73's DE W3OJ
> >
> > PS. Help some young one along the way!!!!!!
>
> --
>
> Name: vcard.vcf
> vcard.vcf Type: VCard (text/x-vcard)
> Encoding: 7bit
> Description: Card for Eric

590. Re: WTB FT101E tubes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Schuckert <mikes@newulmtel.net>
Message-ID: <361ABD7A.4C8B@newulmtel.net>
Source record: 129960
Cross-posted to: att.ham-radio,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.spa

JOHN WARD wrote:
>
> looking for output tubes of the ft101-e if you have any to spare contact me.
> thanks
6dq6?

591. 220 HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: EARL <cart1@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <361ABC88.572ADB9@hotmail.com>
Source record: 129961

1-220 IC-03AT
2- LARGE BATTERY PACKS
1-DROP IN QUICK CHARGER
$250.00 PLUS SHIPPING
E-MAIL OR 702-646-6453

592. WTB Kenwood MC 80 or 85

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: ian McCloy <ian_mccloy@bc.sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <6veem0hsm1@news.bctel.net>
Source record: 129962

Still looking for a good used MC 80 or 85.
If anyone has one that they want to part with. Please
let me know.

Tnx
Ian Ve7ira

593. 220 MOBILE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: EARL <cart1@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <361ABEB0.15178545@hotmail.com>
Source record: 129963

1- 2/220 IC 2330A MOBILE
BOX AND MOB. BRACKET FOR $400

594. FT-470 & FT-530

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: HRE <hamradio@wizzards.net>
Message-ID: <361AC7E8.768B@wizzards.net>
Source record: 129964
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

YAESU 2/440 DUAL BAND Hand Helds, FOR SALE !!!

FT-470 * Deluxe Dual Band 2 / 440 Hand Held Xcvr.
W/ Charger, 2 - FNB-17 Battery packs, Dual Band Duck Ant.
MH-18 Speaker Mic. / No Manual, Very Clean $195.00

FT-530 * Deluxe Dual Band 2 / 440 Hand Held Xcvr.
W/ Charger, 3 - FNB-25 Battery Packs, MH-29 Digital Speaker Mic,
Dual Band Duck Ant, No Manual, Very Clean $325.00

Joe Reaves / N6fra at HRE... (541) 479-1212
http://www.wizzards.net/hamradio

595. Re: FOR SALE - Kenwood HF TS-430S and MFJ Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: HRE <hamradio@wizzards.net>
Message-ID: <361AC942.645E@wizzards.net>
Source record: 129965

K6EG wrote:
>
> >
> Kenwood HF TS-403S transceiver with car mounting brackets.
> MFJ Versa Tuner II (941D)
>
> Perfect condition
>
> Both for 300.00
> Still avalable? tnx Ed k6eg /

is this The TS-430S? YES, I DID THE Same Thing
I corrected that guys error to 430-S
The Ad for that Equipment "WAS NOT MINE" ...
I just added a fix to his typo errors...
Joe at HRE...

596. Re: Vanity Automobile License Plates

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan <n7wpd@inconnect.com>
Message-ID: <6vehms$1cl$1@news.inconnect.com>
Source record: 129966

That's a good. I once saw a hunter driving a truck and the plate said:
"IRIGHTI". It took me forever to figure out that it meant "right between
the eyes". Duh!

Dan

Wakko Warner wrote in message <36183918.595147F8@mediaone.net>...
>I was going to get "UBUIBME" but I guess someone thought of that I was
>declined.
>
>Eric
>
>SummitRT wrote:
>
>> I have my call sign on my truck and get asked if I am a fan of "Run DMC"
since
>> my call is N2DMC. The new NY ham plates do look good and cost $10. extra
every
>> two years to register. They are not considered vanity plates. The best
vanity
>> plate I have seen is
>> "IMOKRU".
>>
>> Bob
>
>
>

597. FS: GP300 UHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan <n7wpd@inconnect.com>
Message-ID: <6vefa6$p7$1@news.inconnect.com>
Source record: 129967
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

1ea Motorola GP300 UHF, 2ch.

MDL - P94YPC20A2AA
SRL - 174FUJH058
Manufactuer Date: 5-29-94

Radio cover is looks like it was in a construction enviroment. RF board looks clean. The battery is bad. No charger. Radio does powerup and gives the normally powerup tone, but other than that, operational condition is unknown.

Best offer over $100 includes shipping.

Reply to email if interested.

Dan

598. A SITE TO SEE !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: HRE <hamradio@wizzards.net>
Message-ID: <361ACB97.1440@wizzards.net>
Source record: 129968

This is a Real Good Ham Radio web site to add to your Bookmarks...

http://www.wizzards.net/hamradio

599. FS: Alinco Credit Card Radio DJ-C1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jonathan Kaplan <jonk@jskent.com>
Message-ID: <VvAS1.449$Cf.488776@news6.ispnews.com>
Source record: 129969

Hi all,
I won this radio in a raffle, but I'm saving my $$$ for the new Kenwood
HT+TNC. This DJ-C1 was opened and used for one day.
Never even registered. Basically, brand new in the box. Will let it go
for $75+ shipping. I'll even include the plug adapter I bought for $20,
which turns the micro plug on the top into a standard dual mini-plug.

email me at jonk@jskent.com

73
Jonathan ko6xs

600. Virtual Reality hamshack

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: WebMonkey <address@below.com>
Message-ID: <361AD3BA.1A6A@below.com>
Source record: 129970
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

my first attempt at a VR movie for the web is online at the link below.
it's a view of my hamshack.

just click the nav button marked my shack on the homepage.
it's 350k m/l so let it load before getting bored ;-)
usually takes 2 minutes to load completely

thanks for your time/feedback
--
A.C. Curtis
KBï¿½WLF

mailto:demoman@rollanet.org
http://www.rollanet.org/~demoman

601. wtb Icom FL100, FL101

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Hurst <hurstjsj@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6vekov$2nk$1@news-1.news.gte.net>
Source record: 129971
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Hi, need a CW filter for my IC726. Thanks, & 73, John, KU6X

602. For Sale YAESU 990

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Schuckert <mikes@newulmtel.net>
Message-ID: <361AD2E9.B09@newulmtel.net>
Source record: 129972
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.hamradio.swap,rec.radio.swap,rec.ham-radio

RADIO IS PERFECT WORKING CONDITION. NO FACE WEAR LOOKS LIKE NEW. Price
is $1250.00
mikes@newulmtel.net

603. WTB:4cx250B tubes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: WebMonkey <address@below.com>
Message-ID: <361AD992.6F00@below.com>
Source record: 129973
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

looking to get a few 4cx250B tubes or 8930s
inexpensive would be nice =]
screen bypass sockets could come in handy also
email below
--
A.C. Curtis
KBï¿½WLF

mailto:demoman@rollanet.org
http://www.rollanet.org/~demoman

604. Re: Opinions on dual band ht's...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jay A <jltmn@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <361adb9a.0@news1.ibm.net>
Source record: 129974

I think that if someone would come out with an HT which didn't require carrying the owner's manual around with it, they'd really have something unique.

Jay
W6DXR

Sigint man wrote in message <19981006222339.18857.00004585@ng30.aol.com>...
>
>Hello,
> I'm looking at the new (?) crop of ht's, and would like some feedback from
>users of Kenwood's and Icoms. I gave up on Yaesu when they "downsized" the
>newer models. I have had a Standard 528A, but want to get away from bells and
>whistles I won't ever use. Thanks for your time.
> Ed Hutton N3KEX+

605. Re: Yaesu FRG-7 For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: deanntx@e-tex.com
Message-ID: <6vbsq7oje1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 130027

> WHEW!!! Must be gold lined!!!

If you are not interested, then why post anything???? Are you just wanting everyone to see how you are??

I guess there must be one in every crowd. I know one thing, I would never post such a message when you have something for sale just for the sake of being sarcastic. God Bless you sir, and have a fine day. You will be in my prayers.

Dean

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606. Re: Ant, 3000W amp and tuner for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: KF4OUZ <kf4ouz@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <36197537.31BDD26E@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 130028

What do you have? Give us a description.

Brian Scott Lewis wrote:

607. Re: Is My Kenwood TS-570D the G Version?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: KF4OUZ <kf4ouz@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <361976D8.FB3E9028@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 130029

open the box and find out. the g manual has a picture of a radio on it.
and the extra menu numbers .

Sheldon C. Shallon wrote:

> I ordered a TS-570D(G). Today UPS delivered TS-570D S/N 00300075. Is
> this the G version? Any other comments on this S/N? I have not yet
> opened the carton.
>
> Any info will be much appreciated.
> --
> From Sheldon C. Shallon, Los Angeles, CA USA
> Please address any reply or new mail to scs@ieee.org

608. FS HRO 5

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: WA1DCP <vital@gate.net>
Message-ID: <01bdf0d2$b4b06760$07adb5cd@jer>
Source record: 130030
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

HRO 5 with matching speaker ,Coil box , and dog house power supply.Coils
A-F in very good cond. includes original manual.
$600

609. HRO 500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: WA1DCP <vital@gate.net>
Message-ID: <01bdf0d3$320b29c0$07adb5cd@jer>
Source record: 130031
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

HRO 500 with repainted case.(gray) This is a low ser# and works very good .
in Good cosmetic cond. $700

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Please reply to email at vital@gate.net
Email is not checked daily

610. Re: Mic & Mic Connector Info for HW101

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: WB3KJX <wb3kjx@pc-intouch.com>
Message-ID: <01bdf0d0$78eb6b00$26c6d4cf@default>
Source record: 130032

The manual just says to use a "high impedance" mic. I've used a D-104 for 25 yrs with great results. Thats high impedance and crystal element. The mic connector is an Amphenol 80MC2M (haven't found a source yet). The audio + goes to pin #1, and the ground to the body of the connector. If you have a PTT switch, pin #2 switches to ground for Xmt. Good luck!

73's Scott WB3KJX

611. Re: Mic & Mic Connector Info for HW101

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: WB3KJX <wb3kjx@pc-intouch.com>
Message-ID: <01bdf0d2$6835da00$26c6d4cf@default>
Source record: 130033

You can find the mic connector for $3.00 at www.therfc.com under Microphone Connectors.

Scott WB3KJX

612. FS NCX 3

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: WA1DCP <vital@gate.net>
Message-ID: <01bdf0d3$92e21e20$07adb5cd@jer>
Source record: 130034
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

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NCX 3 with matching speaker power supply. Working order
$135
--
Please reply to email at vital@gate.net
Email is not checked daily
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613. FS NC303

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: WA1DCP <vital@gate.net>
Message-ID: <01bdf0d3$cdaee9c0$07adb5cd@jer>
Source record: 130035
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

```
Restored NC303 in very good cond. $275 plus shiping
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Please reply to email at vital@gate.net
Email is not checked daily
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614. FS HT37

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: WA1DCP <vital@gate.net>
Message-ID: <01bdf0d4$21eaa240$07adb5cd@jer>
Source record: 130036
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

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HT 37 in fair to good condition $115 plus shiping

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Please reply to email at vital@gate.net
Email is not checked daily
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615. FS HT32a

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: WA1DCP <vital@gate.net>
Message-ID: <01bdf0d4$f1159b60$07adb5cd@jer>
Source record: 130037
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

```
Very nice condition HT32a (one knob has a chip in it) $225
--
Please reply to email at vital@gate.net
Email is not checked daily
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616. Re: Off-topic CB question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick <rickmuddSP@teleport.com>
Message-ID: <ANfS1.22218$K02.13131235@news.teleport.com>
Source record: 130038

Heck, I can't remember the exact frequencies but they are around 27.?? Just dial through from 27.00 through 27.99 and you'll find them. You won't have any trouble at all...no sir, no trouble at all...very distinctive...

John Timmers wrote in message <36197ADC.45CDDEDC@mindlink.bc.ca>...
>Is there a resource somewhere that will tell me what Channel 1 on a CB
>rig equates to on a HF radio, and additionally for Ch.2, 3, 4...etc ? I
>hear truckers talking on VHF frequencies from time to time, and then
>mention that they're going to talk to someone else on Ch 38 (or
>whatever, etc) on their CB radios, and I wonder which frequency that
>would be on my HF mobile radio.
>
>Thanks for any info, and sorry if I've offended anyone with CB talk here
>;-)
>--
>Regards:
>By the way, this message may or may not contain binary data
>and/or binary data by-products
>Selfish Website http://mindlink.bc.ca/john_timmers

617. Re: Call Sign screensavers - free demo

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5egg@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6vc1g8$26o@sjx-ixn6.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 130039
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

In <36190329.BD55AA4D@home.com> Raj VE6RAJ <Iam.not@home.com> writes:
>
>How about in Win 95 right click on desktop, choose properties, select
>screen saver, choose 3D Text, enter you call sign, choose the style
and
>type of font, colours, textture and movement; click OK. All for free.
>
>VE6RAJ
>

I did this in just a few seconds after reading your post it looks
rather nice.

TNX 73 Jerry

618. FS:RADIOSHACK HTX-202

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmhoos@maxminn.com
Message-ID: <6vc0lp$uf8$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 130040

For sale HTX-202 all standard accs. belt clip, antenna, 2 battery packs, one ni-cad rechargeable and other uses 6 AA's will include a speaker mike with clip on back.

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
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619. Re: Mods for Icom 2710H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Quinn <mdquinn@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <njgS1.630$2K1.461219@news2.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 130041

YEP ! see ftp://ftp.qrz.com/mods/ic2710.gif

Peter W. Singer wrote in message <36195354.8562640@news.adnc.com>...
>Are there any mods for an Icom IC-2710H?
>
>Please romove "NOSPAM" to reply via e-mail.

620. WTB: High power relays

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb9sikk@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981006002914.10083.00007174@ng06.aol.com>
Source record: 130042

Looking for some relays. DPDT or DPST 240vac @ 20 amp rating. need to be 120 vac coil. Let me know if you have one and price.

Thanks,
K-K
KB9SI

621. FS - Larsen AD-2/70 Dual Band Antenna Coupler - New $25 (HRO $63.70)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: dwills@northlink.com
Message-ID: <3619ac3c.8905232@news.northlink.com>
Source record: 130043
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf.uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

For Sale - Larsen Model AD-2/70 Dual Band Antenna Coupler. New in package - $25 shipping included. I have a several of these left.

This is a dual frequency duplexer that permits simultaneous operation in both VHF and UHF. This is designed for the 2 meter and 70 centimeter bands, but is useable on commercial VHF and UHF bands.

Crossband isolation is -50dB VHF @ 430 MHz and -60dB UHF@140 MHz. Power input is 200 watts max. Size 1.77" H x 2.63" W x 3" L

This will allow two separate antennas on a dual band radio or one dualband antenna on two separate radios.

I just noticed, HRO is getting $63.70 for these.

622. IC-2GXAT Programming Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: bgwatson@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <3620a90b.126203538@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 130044
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I have two questions about the Icom IC-2GXAT:

1. How do you enter PL frequency? I understand how to turn on and off the encoder and decoder, but cannot figure out how to set the tone frequency.

2. It seems to get into a mode where pressing the Function button on the side of the radio does nothing. What is happening, and how do you correct this?

Thanks VERY MUCH for any help you can give me!

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Brad Watson
MailTo:bgwatson@earthlink.net
WWW: http://home.earthlink.net/~bgwatson/
ICQ: 174987 Pager: http://wwp.mirabilis.com/174987
CCRA: http://home.earthlink.net/~bgwatson/ccra/

623. Re: Off-topic CB question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Richard L. Vecera" <vecera@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <3619B314.68258FCD@ibm.net>
Source record: 130045

John,

If I remember correctly, CB channel 40 is 27.405 MHz. Count down in
10kHz steps and get them all. The four or five channels around channel
23 don't follow the sequence.

Dick

Rick wrote:
>
> Heck, I can't remember the exact frequencies but they are around 27.?? Just
> dial through from 27.00 through 27.99 and you'll find them. You won't have
> any trouble at all...no sir, no trouble at all...very distinctive...
>
> John Timmers wrote in message <36197ADC.45CDDEDC@mindlink.bc.ca>...
> >Is there a resource somewhere that will tell me what Channel 1 on a CB
> >rig equates to on a HF radio, and additionally for Ch.2, 3, 4...etc ? I
> >hear truckers talking on VHF frequencies from time to time, and then
> >mention that they're going to talk to someone else on Ch 38 (or
> >whatever, etc) on their CB radios, and I wonder which frequency that
> >would be on my HF mobile radio.
> >
> >Thanks for any info, and sorry if I've offended anyone with CB talk here
> >;-)
> >--
> >Regards:
> >By the way, this message may or may not contain binary data
> >and/or binary data by-products
> >Selfish Website http://mindlink.bc.ca/john_timmers

624. NEED INFO FOR ATAS-100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: blenne <f5lrg@hol.fr>
Message-ID: <3619C1A4.12406CDC@hol.fr>
Source record: 130046

Hello,
Is anybody has got informations to "pilot" the ATAS-100 antenna from
Yaesu.
I have readen that it needs to apply a voltage in order to move the
tunable whip but I have'nt got features of this voltage.
Is anybody can help me ???

Thanks et best 73

Bruno - F5LRG

625. Sale Or Trade: Kenwood, Yeasu & Misc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gregg Erlenbusch <Gregg.E@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01bdf0fd$b97cd500$03e0490c@default>
Source record: 130047
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I Have From An Estate Sale Several Pieces Of Equiptment (As Follows)
All Equiptment Is Clean & Works Fine. All Prices Are Plus Shipping From
77065
(Trades May Be Possible On Most Items)
73's W5IDX Gregg E.
Houston, Texas

TS-520 Kenwood HF
SP-520 Still In Original Packing & Shipping Boxes (As New)
A/C & D/C Power Cords
Manual
MC-35S Microphone Total Package
275.00 + Shipping

TS-830S Kenwood HF
Shure Desk Microphone
Manual & Repair Receipt
Radio Back From Kenwood 6-9-1997 For Alignment, Cleaning & New Driver Tube
Total
Package 475.00 + Shipping

FT-227R Memorizer 2 Meter Mobile Yeasu
Mounting Bracket
Power Cord
Manual
YM 23 Microphone With Key Pad

Total Package 100.00 + Shipping

The Interface Kantronics
Manual
25.00 + Shipping

SWR & Power Meter Midland 23-136
Instructions
15.00 + Shipping

SWR & Power Meter CAL-RAD
New In The Box With Papers
20.00 + Shipping

2 Heathkit Hybrid Phone Patches HD-15
Only One Has The Original Manual
One Has A Copy 35.00 & 30.00
Respectfully + Shipping

Dentron Super Tuner Plus
Manual
145.00 + Shipping

Field Strength Meter Heathkit HD-1426
Manual
15.00 + Shipping

144/440 Mhz Swr/ Power Meter Radio Shack 19-320
15 Watt & 60 Watt Range RSU 10508018 25.00
+ Shipping

Job-Com Hand Held Radios
No Chargers & May Need Batteries 45.00 A
Pair + Shipping

Please Contact Me Via E-Mail For Any Additional Info Or Pictures
W5IDX@earthling.net
Or Gregg.E@worldnet.att.net

------------------Sold Items------------------
Dentron Amplifier
TR-9130 All-Mode
Kenwood Power Supply
Hustler 20 & 75 Meter Mobile Antennas
Misc Tubes
Drake Watt Meter
SP-930 Speaker
Van Gordon 80 Meter Dipole
Morse Key
Coax Switches
Misc Coax Jumpers
Heath Electronic Keyer

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626. Re: Off-topic CB question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: warchief@triax.com
Message-ID: <warchief-0610980053170001@spk-47.cet.com>
Source record: 130048

In article <ANfS1.22218$K02.13131235@news.teleport.com>, "Rick"
<rickmuddSP@teleport.com> wrote:

>
> John Timmers wrote in message <36197ADC.45CDDEDC@mindlink.bc.ca>...
> >Is there a resource somewhere that will tell me what Channel 1 on a CB
> >rig equates to on a HF radio, and additionally for Ch.2, 3, 4...etc ? I
> >hear truckers talking on VHF frequencies from time to time, and then
> >mention that they're going to talk to someone else on Ch 38 (or
> >whatever, etc) on their CB radios, and I wonder which frequency that
> >would be on my HF mobile radio.
> >
> >Thanks for any info, and sorry if I've offended anyone with CB talk here

Hey, no one is offended here. He he he... anyway, you wanted the CB
frequencies and here they are.

CB CHANNELS TO FREQUENCIES
1 26.965 21 27.215
2 26.975 22 27.225
3 26.985 23 27.255
4 27.005 24 27.235
5 27.015 25 27.245
6 27.025 26 27.265
7 27.035 27 27.275
8 27.055 28 27.285
9 27.065 29 27.295
10 27.075 30 27.305
11 27.085 31 27.315
12 27.105 32 27.325
13 27.115 33 27.335
14 27.125 34 27.345
15 27.135 35 27.355
16 27.155 36 27.365
17 27.165 37 27.375
18 27.175 38 27.385
19 27.185 39 27.395
20 27.205 40 27.405

I got this from a list, and looking over it quickly, it seems that 23 to
26 don't seem to follow in logical order. Since I didn't compile the
list, I would check these to make sure if this is a typo or what.. But
good luck and many hours of listening enjoyment to you!

627. IC706MKII (SOLD!)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: stu <stu@harborcom.net>
Message-ID: <3619DF07.4495B672@harborcom.net>
Source record: 130049
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.swap,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,scott@harborcom.net,robh@ncweb.com

Greetings,
The radio has been SOLD! Thanks to EVERYONE who had interest. 73,
Stuart KB8VIY

628. FREE Advertising for your equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: jenal_com@xoommail.com
Message-ID: <3619ed2f.16243273@news.m.iinet.net.au>
Source record: 130050

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Advertise your equipment in the Radio - Amateur section of our Free
Classifieds Ads site
http://jenal.com/malls
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629. TRADE Icom T-7A for Yaesu VX-1R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: kd1my@banet.net
Message-ID: <6vcqlt$3ph$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 130051
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Any one interested in trading thier Yaesu VX-1R for my Icom T-7A? Icom is in excellent condition. Would prefer VX-1R with full 800mhz, must be in excellent condition also.

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630. Re: Fry's Electronics a "RIP OFF"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Currie <tom.currie@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3619FC77.7329@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 130052
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,ba.music,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

tcrpe wrote:
>
> Carl Zwanzig wrote in message <6v32an$5qo@maguro.epr.com>...
>> Actually, Yes, I do find it objectionable. I object to the
>> assumption that I MAY have stolen something.
>
> Carl,
>
> It is not done on the supposition that YOU stole anything. It is
> done to prevent the common scam where an EMPLOYEE working in concert
> with a friend, posing as a CUSTOMER sells said friend and item worth,
> say, $600, for the paltry sum of, say, $20.

And just what does that make the "friend"? Tapdance all you want, but the exit check is based on a management decision to treat all customers like shoplifters in the hope of discouraging the few who might have such intentions.

> This is a very common scam at all high volume stores, and if not
> interdicted, results in higher prices to the legitimate customers.

And there are ways to deter and prevent such crimes. The foremost of which is simply prosecution when the crime is detected. Most "high volume stores" use computerized cash registers on which the checker cannot even enter a price at all, getting the price from the computer based on scanning the Universal Product Code (UPC) barcode. It would be possible to skip scanning an item, but it is very tricky to enter a false price into any such system from the register.

> The existence of the exit check (aka "the final indignity") alone
> mitigates much of this inside theft. That's why they do it.

If anyone is stupid enough to believe that exit checks deter the kind of theft you describe, then they deserve both the losses they would be taking and the costs of the totally ineffective "precaution."

I have yet to see any store where a routine exit check was more than a count of items (and usually a very sloppy count at that). A line by line comparison of each item with the register receipt COULD catch some of the kind of theft you suggest -- at an enormous cost to the retailer (far more than the cost of such theft) and would ensure that the company went bankrupt for lack of customers unless they held an absolute local monopoly on some completely essential product.

631. Re: Anyone miss MRC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: bry@NOSPAM.mnsinc.com
Message-ID: <3619fef3.5328782@news.clark.net>
Source record: 130053
Cross-posted to: att.ham-radio,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.spa

Recently, "JOHN WARD" <HITECH@EROLS.COM> wrote:

>Just wondering anyone miss maryland radio center in laurel maryland dont
>know what to do on saturdays if only more people had made purchases locally
>and left the mail order to those who need to use it maybe we still have a
>place to go on Saturday :-(de W3OJ

Well, I patronized them numerous times before they moved to the new, smaller (horrible) quarters where you couldn't see or do anything. No wonder people would not go there. It was terribly small and they had almost nothing you could look at.

I was sorry to see it go, but are you sure that you are laying blame on the right source?

MRC was a great shop back when they allowed the meetings there, the library was great, and the store was easier to shop in.

The free parts exchange/magazine exchange was a great heolp to me, and the TUBE BANK was an awesome idea!

If only SOMEONE in the DC area would maintain a TUBE BANK now, I would certainly contribute to it and use it!

I was just sorry they had to move it from behind the Toyota dealer. After they opened the new place I only went in once. That was enought o put me off!

I will forward your comments to the DC BOATANCHORS mailing list and see if others have comments.

See:

http://www.mnsinc.com/bry/dcba.htm

632. Re: Motorola HT600 - help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: commengrs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981006083056.05884.00006898@ng-fd1.aol.com>
Source record: 130054

what band is it on now IE split

633. Re: Help: Removing HF Noise in Toyota Pick Up...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clinton <cpeebles@_nospam_netidea.com>
Message-ID: <361A0BD2.5ECC@_nospam_netidea.com>
Source record: 130055
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

> Bart Hackemack wrote:
>
> > I am looking for some information regarding suppressing what appears to
> > be
> > ignition noise in my 1992 Toyota Pick Up. I am running an IC706-MKII in
> > the PU.
> > I can only work signals approximately S9 or higher while driving, on all

I have a 706 in my Toyota and had the same problem. Make sure the
antenna is VERY well grounded. I also have ground straps on my doors,
hood, radiator, engine block, exhaust... I think that's it.. Also, do
not use the pre-amp. It's not the greatest, but it works fairly well.
Oh yea, a capacitor on the fuel pump.

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Kill the MAI

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Clinton Peebles VE7KNL Grid DN19ie
Remove _NOSPAM_ to reply.
E-Mail: VE7KNL@RAC.CA

634. Re: 2 meter beam info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: glenn.inman@telus.com
Message-ID: <6vd62h$i7j$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 130056

In article <361d23aa.3985251@news.earthlink.net>,
no8rf@juno.com wrote:
> I have a 2 meter 11 ele beam, have no idea who makes it so maybe
> someone can tell me, also unkown age of antenna but in great shape.
> The antenna is in two sections, I was going to use pvc sleeve to join
> the two sections together but do not know if it will support the
> weight also still need a way to mount to a mast, what is part I need
> and can any bracket made for a beam mount work ?
>
> James
>

James, You can use a piece of wooden dowel that will fit inside the main boom. Try and get at foot or so on each side of the join. Drill a couple screws through the aluminum into the dowel, and you should be in business. A small square of 1/2" plywood (8"x8") will work for a homebrew mast mount. Buy a couple of Radio Shack TV mast clamps and drill the plywood to attach to the boom with the clamps. Drill the plywood to accept two more clamps that will fit the mast. It's cheap and effective. 73 de VE6INM

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635. WTB TVRO Dish

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "K.R.Burtchaell" <kburt@jps.net>
Message-ID: <361A1469.3FCB@jps.net>
Source record: 130057

WTB 8 to 10ft TVRO dish.Must be useable at Ku band as I want to use it
for 10Ghgz EME.Ken W6GHV

636. FS Antenna Tester 7- 500 MHz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: rte@iafrica.com
Message-ID: <6vd4kc$2pf$1@news01.iafrica.com>
Source record: 130058
Cross-posted to: za.ads.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

Brand New Portable Antenna Analyzers for sale.

Active VSWR meter giving direct readings of both VSWR and % reflected RF power.
It is designed to check the exact resonent freq. of any antenna, HF, VHF & UHF.
It has a 4 digit freq. counter and an analogue meter, with a switch for 2 freq.
ranges and 2 knobs for freq. adjustments, Fine & Coarse.
It has major advantages over a standard VSWR meter in that it sees the antenna
system exactly as the Transmitter sees it, plus the frequency is swept to see
where its resonating. Makes trimming so much quicker and easier !

For further info E-mail RTE
at rte@iafrica.com

http://users.iafrica.com/r/rt/rte

or call (011) 882-9182 or 882-0762
or Fax 882-9182
or Cell # 082-822-9182
Johannesburg.

RTE also buys, sells, rents, repairs and Calibrates Comms. Monitors plus all
sorts of RF Test Equipment.

637. Re: Off-topic CB question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Robert G. Schaffrath, N2JTX" <rschaffrath@acm.org>
Message-ID: <361A1B6D.6427@acm.org>
Source record: 130059

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> CB CHANNELS TO FREQUENCIES
> 1 26.965 21 27.215
> 2 26.975 22 27.225
> 3 26.985 23 27.255
> 4 27.005 24 27.235
> 5 27.015 25 27.245
> 6 27.025 26 27.265
> 7 27.035 27 27.275
> 8 27.055 28 27.285
> 9 27.065 29 27.295
> 10 27.075 30 27.305
> 11 27.085 31 27.315
> 12 27.105 32 27.325
> 13 27.115 33 27.335
> 14 27.125 34 27.345
> 15 27.135 35 27.355
> 16 27.155 36 27.365
> 17 27.165 37 27.375
> 18 27.175 38 27.385
> 19 27.185 39 27.395
> 20 27.205 40 27.405

Don't forget the old RC "hidden" channels. They are not legal for voice
but you may hear stuff on them anyhow:

3A 26.995 19A 27.195
7A 27.045 22A became 24
11A 27.095 22B became 25
15A 27.145

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| Robert G. Schaffrath, N2JTX (RGS71) |
| (516) 759-4314 | mailto:rschaffrath@acm.org |
| http://tonto.netsurftech.com/rgs |
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638. Re: Anyone still love the hobby

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Ruther <michael.ruther@alliedsignal.com>
Message-ID: <361A20A8.A226AECB@alliedsignal.com>
Source record: 130060
Cross-posted to: att.ham-radio,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.spa

Well I do knock" the 59/599 please send qsl to buro 73 ,,,QRzed"
If all you want is a card fine, but sure seems cold to me
AA7QA Mike

Tom Branch wrote:

> Curt,
>
> That's the problem with most DX nets--only interested in a 59 and a QSL.
> I'm not knocking that, but if you want more, try calling CQ or look for DX
> stations other places on the band. Seems like the phone pile-ups have been
> rather unruly lately. Try CW--it's a bit (just a bit at times) more
> civilized.
>
> 73 de Tom, K4NR
>
> Curt M. Breneman <brenec@rpi.edu> wrote in article
> <3617BDA5.32BE@rpi.edu>...
> > Just yesterday I ran into one of those things that give newcomers the
> > impression that HAM radio operators can be elitist and exclusionary -- I
> > was on the 14,247 kHz DX net on 20m, going through the rotation as usual
> > when I got really slammed by one of the net control guys -- just for
> > giving the DX station my name and QTH! It wasn't as if I was conducting
> > an extended rag-chew QSO either -- The whole thing was over in less than
> > 30 seconds. Apparently, it is only acceptable to give call signs,
>
> //snip//

639. FS:SWR/Watt meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "M." <mpd910@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <361A22F2.39EB3865@hotmail.com>
Source record: 130061

Like new 2 months old a Diamond SX-200 covers 1.8~200 mhz.

Reads forward, reverse power and SWR. Handels up to 200 watts and has built in light. Original box and manual.

Cost mw $99. will sell for $79. or best offer.

640. Raytrack DX2000L Manual Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Allen <jimallen@cup44ux.cup.hp.com>
Message-ID: <361A2460.377A@cup44ux.cup.hp.com>
Source record: 130062

I'm in need of a manual (or good copy) for a Raytrack DX2000L linear amp. I'll pay a fair price or pay copy/mailing charges. Haven't been able to find one from the usual sources.

Thanks,

Jim

KQ6LB

641. Caps Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Allen <jimallen@cup44ux.cup.hp.com>
Message-ID: <361A2484.1005@cup44ux.cup.hp.com>
Source record: 130063

I'm in need of quantity 8 of 200MFD at 450V axial electrolytic capacitors. I've called all the usual sources. Anyone know of a inexpensive source for these?

Thanks,

Jim

KQ6LB

642. Re: Henry 2KD on WARC Bands?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John W. Wilson" <k5boi@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <361A4210.7518@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 130064

darrell.earnshaw@sap-ag.de wrote:
>
> Has anyone tried the Henry 2KD amplifier on the WARC bands? Will it work, and
> if so, what are the (rough) dial settings?
>
> Thanks,
>
> Darrell.
>
> -----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

You might give Radiodan a shout. He knows quite a bit about Henry Amps.
W7RF is his call and you can email him at: rfpower@radiodan.com

Regards,
John

643. Re: Call Sign screensavers - free demo

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: (unknown)
Message-ID: <361c2817.78162186@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 130065
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

On 6 Oct 1998 03:06:48 GMT, kc5egg@ix.netcom.com(Gerald Schmitt)
wrote:

>In <36190329.BD55AA4D@home.com> Raj VE6RAJ <Iam.not@home.com> writes:
>>
>>How about in Win 95 right click on desktop, choose properties, select
>>screen saver, choose 3D Text, enter you call sign, choose the style
>and
>>type of font, colours, textture and movement; click OK. All for free.
>>
>>VE6RAJ
>>
>
> I did this in just a few seconds after reading your post it looks
> rather nice.
>
> TNX 73 Jerry
I don't download exe files from strangers.

644. Re: Caps Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pinky and The Brain <odin@webspan.net>
Message-ID: <6vdapi$6d1@news.webspan.net>
Source record: 130066

Jim try Digi-Key. They have just about every cap in the free world!!
Jim Allen wrote in message <361A2484.1005@cup44ux.cup.hp.com>...
>I'm in need of quantity 8 of 200MFD at 450V axial electrolytic
>capacitors. I've called all the usual sources. Anyone know of a
>inexpensive source for these?
>
>Thanks,
>
>Jim
>
>KQ6LB

645. Kenwood TH-79A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mordock <webmaster@austinoem.com>
Message-ID: <3eqS1.204$x7.176273@news12.ispnews.com>
Source record: 130067
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I am looking for info on how to make the x-band repeater function work when
the dual band is in VHF-VHF mode.
Any help would be greatly appreciated!

73s
kc5nkg@io.com

646. Re: Off-topic CB question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: jim nielson <jimn@cpNoSPAMinternet.com>
Message-ID: <361A3003.557E@cpNoSPAMinternet.com>
Source record: 130068

Try http://www.coaxkid.com/chart.htm It's a chart for the "Export"
radios that use channels 1-40 and different bands for coverage between
25.165 to 29.665. Follow column "E" for the standard CB channels.

73,
Jim KB9RQD

Rick wrote:
>
> Heck, I can't remember the exact frequencies but they are around 27.?? Just
> dial through from 27.00 through 27.99 and you'll find them. You won't have
> any trouble at all...no sir, no trouble at all...very distinctive...
>
> John Timmers wrote in message <36197ADC.45CDDEDC@mindlink.bc.ca>...
> >Is there a resource somewhere that will tell me what Channel 1 on a CB
> >rig equates to on a HF radio, and additionally for Ch.2, 3, 4...etc ? I
> >hear truckers talking on VHF frequencies from time to time, and then
> >mention that they're going to talk to someone else on Ch 38 (or
> >whatever, etc) on their CB radios, and I wonder which frequency that
> >would be on my HF mobile radio.
> >
> >Thanks for any info, and sorry if I've offended anyone with CB talk here
> >;-)
> >--
> >Regards:
> >By the way, this message may or may not contain binary data
> >and/or binary data by-products
> >Selfish Website http://mindlink.bc.ca/john_timmers

647. Re: SUGGESTIONS FOR HI POWER TUNER?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: ws8rm@aol.comnomail
Message-ID: <19981006113327.12008.00006479@ng70.aol.com>
Source record: 130069

I have been using the NYE tuner for a few years at 1.5kw without problems. I did however burn it up once... tried to load a G5RV on 160m without a good enough station ground (highly NOT recommended).

The MFJ "3kw" model works for me too. But it has a possible problem with the "shorting" bar, which will cause it to arc then eventually fail. If you increase the "spring" in the contact or make the connection better in some way, you can avoid the problem.

The Diff T tuner looks like it might be easier to load, buy you might not have a much range. On the otherhand, your antenna should not be so far out a tuner can't match it, better to adjust the antenna.

648. ICOM T8A cloneing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: danger_man_mi6@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6vdi16$3ru$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 130070

Hi and thanks for reading this.

I'm looking for the information (how to build one) on the cloneing cable for the T8A. I'm also looking for the instruction set to programme the beastie. Too cheap to by the cable and programme from ICOM but willing to spend the time to create a programme for it.

Thanks 73 John

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

649. Re: Call Sign screensavers - free demo

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: clintbrad4d@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <6vdhc2$2u2$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 130071
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

In article <361c2817.78162186@news.mindspring.com>,
(Ryan) wrote:

> I don't download exe files from strangers.

Really? You've never tried a Shareware program unless you intimately know the
author? You don't download anything at all fromthe Internet?

- Clint Bradford

------------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

650. Re: Req:Pinouts for Vertex programming cable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: ws8rm@aol.comnomail
Message-ID: <19981006113815.12008.00006482@ng70.aol.com>
Source record: 130072

You can trace the circut with an ohm meter.... but be aware, there is a small circut board in the DB9 connecter...

651. Re: Off-topic CB question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <jeepguy@geocities.com>
Message-ID: <6vddtq$cp6$1@shiva.direcpc.com>
Source record: 130073

>Don't forget the old RC "hidden" channels. They are not legal for voice
>but you may hear stuff on them anyhow:
>
>3A 26.995 19A 27.195
>7A 27.045 22A became 24
>11A 27.095 22B became 25
>15A 27.145
If you do decide to jump to these, please remember that you may destroy
someone's model by talking here. Most R/C models take 50+ hours of detail
oriented work to complete. It would be a shame if someone's 30 second
conversation sent a $400 model screaming into the asphalt.

Courtesy matters....

Thanks,
Brian

652. 220 WTB IC 37A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Harv Shore <af006@lafn.org>
Message-ID: <6vh6fa$4q2@zook.lafn.org>
Source record: 129726

Looking for a clean IC 37A.
Must be in perfect working condition
Harv
K6EXO

653. FS: on eBay - SERVICE MANUAL: Regency XL2000 Model XLH252

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Les Wilson <nessman@servtech.com>
Message-ID: <361C212B.357A@servtech.com>
Source record: 129727
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For sale on eBay - SERVICE MANUAL for a Regency XL2000 Model XLH252 radio. Includes programming for this radio (matrix programming). This model radio has 2 channels, 25 watts, CTCSS. Rare find.

Auction # 34089393

Bidding at $1.00, auction ends on 10/12/98

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=34089393
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Another fine e-mail sent out by Les Wilson, KC2DQX, Greece, NY
--
E-mail - Personal: nessman@servtech.com
Work: les_wilson@ccmail.monroe.edu
--
Home Page: http://www.servtech.com/~nessman
Greater Rochester Railfan: http://www.servtech.com/~nessman/rochrail.htm
Parma Special Police: http://www.servtech.com/~nessman/papd.html
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654. **Yaesu FT290MK II A good Rig? any /All opinions wanted**

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Kritzberg <dkritz@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <361C1D83.1CAB@mindspring.com>
Source record: 129728

Any info on this rig would be greatly appreciated. I'm new to the all
mode scene & would be greatful for an Elmer's advice.
Thanks in advance.
73 Dave

655. FS: Kenwood SP-520

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon Schmidt <schmidtj@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <361C2B93.482F8988@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 129729

Hello,

I have a Kenwood SP-520 for sale. This speaker is in good shape with some scratches on the left side. Otherwise in good shape and works well.
$40.00 shipped.

Jon WD8JSA
San Clemente, CA

656. FS: Five NIB 6KM6 tubes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael <feldtm@iquest.net>
Message-ID: <6vhbcispm1@news.iquest.net>
Source record: 129730
Cross-posted to: rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Five new in the box RCA 6KM6 tubes. $25 plus $3 shipping in the continental US.

Michael Feldt

657. wtb: GE mvp's UHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob <kc70sz@access.mountain.net>
Message-ID: <361c2f4d.0@news.mountain.net>
Source record: 129731
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

If you have GE MVP's (UHF) models or even (VHF) models pls. e-mail
me with prices and information about the radios.

Also looking for controllers CWID, VOICE, COR circuits, etc...

Bob...
kc70sz@access.mountain.net

658. Re: Anyone still love the hobby

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: kh2d@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6vhbvcjbo1@brokaw.wa.com>
Source record: 129732
Cross-posted to: att.ham-radio,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.spa

Michael Ruther <michael.ruther@alliedsignal.com> wrote:

>Well I do knock" the 59/599 please send qsl to buro 73 ,,,QRzed"
>If all you want is a card fine, but sure seems cold to me
>AA7QA Mike

Maybe that's because you don't understand the reason for it, Mike.
The driving factor for many HF operators is the DXCC award. Last
nite, on 15 meter CW, I worked 423 stations in Europe in about 3
hours. A few probably called for pileup practice, but most of them
just wanted a contact for a 'new one', another QSL card. I probably
worked 95% of the stations I could hear, but I didn't work everybody.

I wouldn't have had many, if any, meaningful conversations if I had
spent a half hour per contact, instead of 20 seconds. And the end
result is all the same. Nobody called me, they called my QSL card...

They get a new one, I get warmed up for the next CW contest.
We are all happy. Nothing cold about that.....

73, Jim KH2D

659. Re: Off-topic CB question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Richard L. Vecera" <vecera@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <361C3F5B.D72748ED@ibm.net>
Source record: 129733

The list is correct. In the old days of only 23 channels there was a gap between 22 and 23. These frequencies were for industrial use. When the CB band was expanded to forty channels these frequencies were included in the CB band. Channels 24 and 25 drop in frequency to pick up those two channels then channel 26 picks up 10kHz above 23. BTW old CBers modified their radios to use those channels as private channels and called them 23A and 23B. Useless info that I thought I would share.

Dick

warchief wrote:
>
> In article <ANfS1.22218$K02.13131235@news.teleport.com>, "Rick"
> <rickmuddSP@teleport.com> wrote:
>
> >
> > John Timmers wrote in message <36197ADC.45CDDEDC@mindlink.bc.ca>...
> > >Is there a resource somewhere that will tell me what Channel 1 on a CB
> > >rig equates to on a HF radio, and additionally for Ch.2, 3, 4...etc ? I
> > >hear truckers talking on VHF frequencies from time to time, and then
> > >mention that they're going to talk to someone else on Ch 38 (or
> > >whatever, etc) on their CB radios, and I wonder which frequency that
> > >would be on my HF mobile radio.
> > >
> > >Thanks for any info, and sorry if I've offended anyone with CB talk here
>
> Hey, no one is offended here. He he he... anyway, you wanted the CB
> frequencies and here they are.
>
> CB CHANNELS TO FREQUENCIES
> 1 26.965 21 27.215
> 2 26.975 22 27.225
> 3 26.985 23 27.255
> 4 27.005 24 27.235
> 5 27.015 25 27.245
> 6 27.025 26 27.265
> 7 27.035 27 27.275
> 8 27.055 28 27.285
> 9 27.065 29 27.295
> 10 27.075 30 27.305
> 11 27.085 31 27.315
> 12 27.105 32 27.325
> 13 27.115 33 27.335
> 14 27.125 34 27.345
> 15 27.135 35 27.355

> 16 27.155 36 27.365
> 17 27.165 37 27.375
> 18 27.175 38 27.385
> 19 27.185 39 27.395
> 20 27.205 40 27.405
>
> I got this from a list, and looking over it quickly, it seems that 23 to
> 26 don't seem to follow in logical order. Since I didn't compile the
> list, I would check these to make sure if this is a typo or what.. But
> good luck and many hours of listening enjoyment to you!

660. Re: WTB Icom UX-14, computer control option

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Richard L. Vecera" <vecera@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <361C404E.6522410D@ibm.net>
Source record: 129734

Me too!

I had been posting to find an EX309. Ken was nice enough to politely
inform me that I did not know what I wanted.

Thanks Ken!

Red in the face,
Dick

klimasewski@mail.dec.com wrote:
>
> Looking for a UX-14 option for a Icom R71A. This is also used with
> several of the other ICOM radios for computer control.
>
> The option goes inside the radio.
>
> If you have one for sale please email me.
>
> Ken, N1KK
>
> 2nd email: n1kk@worldnet.att.net

661. Re: Grundig YachtBoy 400 vs. Sony ICF-SW7600G

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Adam Dubin <amdubin@Xpol.net>
Message-ID: <361b9910.3756292@news.megsinet.net>
Source record: 129735
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

The YB400 P.E. (Professional Edition; I just love those names!) is the identical radio to the YB400, except for the titanium finish and inclusion of an inferior type of wall wart adapter (lots of hum; the recommended Radio Shack model is much better). Grundig (actually, Lextronics) is discontinuing the YB400 in favor of the P.E.

Durham Radio (in Ontario): http://www.durhamradio.com/ is currently having a sale on both YB400s; the YB400 is about $134 (US) + shipping.

Adam

On 5 Oct 1998 04:25:20 GMT, nmp4846@garnet.acns.fsu.edu (Noelle Prosper) wrote:

>I have a Grundig YatchBoy 400, and it works Great. It also does have SSB.
>I beleive Grundig just came out with a new version "Grundig Yatchboy 400 PRO",
>something like that. You might want to check it out. The tag price is around
>$200.
>

662. Vanity Automobile License Plates

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: bren.doreck@ac.COM
Message-ID: <86256696.007BB9D6.00@amrhm1102.ac.com>
Source record: 129736

IMHO it is the type of car that first catches the eye of a thief. Most people think that Radio Operator plates are just vanity plates anyway. I have had radio operator plates on my truck for almost 5 years with no problems. Here in Texas, they are $2 for the initial ordering of them and $1 per year after that.

73
Bren
KC5GWA

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663. IC-746 SSB Narrow Filter Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Grant <davegrant@psilink.co.uk>
Message-ID: <361bc407.0@nnrp1.news.uk.psi.net>
Source record: 129737

HI,

I have fitted the FL 223 narrow filter in the IC 746. I am not happy with the carrier insertion point on narrow USB: Is this adjustable?

The frequency response on receive is as follows:-

USB Wide 270Hz - 2800Hz
LSB Wide 200Hz - 2720Hz

Acceptable - but the LSB could perhaps be moved up a fraction. Which trimmer/coil do I adjust?

USB Narrow 690Hz - 2680Hz
LSB Narrow 320Hz - 2310Hz

LSB acceptable but USB attenuating lower frequencies too much. Can be improved of course by using PBT (IF shift) but would prefer to adjust the appropriate trimmer if there is one.

If you can help with this it will be much appreciated.

Regards

Dave G4EZK

664. IC-746 SSB Narrow Filter Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Grant <davegrant@psilink.co.uk>
Message-ID: <361bc45a.0@nnrp1.news.uk.psi.net>
Source record: 129738

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LSB Wide 200Hz - 2720Hz

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Regards

Dave G4EZK

665. Re: F/S ICOM GEAR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: HRE <hamradio@wizzards.net>
Message-ID: <361BBF67.2694@wizzards.net>
Source record: 129739

Sigint man wrote:
>
> Interested in the dual band ht ($239.00), am trying to visualize it...could you
> tell me year produced, etc?? Price sounds good...am looking for a new ht.
> Ed N3KEX+
Yes, I still have the IC32AT... (541) 479-1212
E-Mail to: hamradio@wizzards.net

http://www.wizzards.net/hamradio

666. Dual Banders !!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: HRE <hamradio@wizzards.net>
Message-ID: <361BC225.31C@wizzards.net>
Source record: 129740

VHF / UHF EQUIPMENT FOR SALE !!!

ALINCO
~~~~~~~~~~
DR-570T * Deluxe Dual Band VHF/UHF Mobile ~ W/ Wide Band Rcvr.
Has Build in Duplexer / Mobile Bracket, DC Cable, DTMF Hand Mic.
This Radio is Really Clean was used in ham shack...
No Manual ! Just $249.00

KENWOOD All MODE
~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~

TM-255A * Deluxe 50 watt 2 Meter All-Mode Xcvr. FM/LSB/USB/CW
W/ Manual, DC Cable, DTMF Hand Mic. / Like NEW $499.00
Looks like the Kenwood TS-50-S...

TM-241A * 2 meter 50 watt FM mobile Xcvr. W/ Manual, Mobile Bracket
DC Cable and DTMF Hand Mic. / Like New Just $ Hold !

TM-2530 * Deluxe 2 Meter 30 watt FM Mobile Xcvr.
Factory Box, Manual, DC Cable, Hand Mic.
20 Memories, PL Sub-Tone Board / Just Replaces the Lithium Battery
No Mobile Bracket / Never Used Mobile / Super Clean $159.00

TR-7950 * Deluxe 50 Watt 2 Meter Mobile Xcvr. in Factory Box.
SUPER Nice Condition / Manual, DC Cable, Hand Mic.
With TU-9 Tone Encoder / PL Board $149.00

W & W Associates PB-33 Long life Battery pack
for the Kenwood TH-22at / or TH-79A H/T $45.00 NEW / SHIPPED !
only one at this price...

ICOM
~~~~~~
IC-2AT * 2 Meter Hand Held Xcvr. Thumb Wheel Tuning 140 - 150 Mhz.
BP-3, Wall Charger, Rubber Duck / New DC-1 Adapter
This is an Oldy But Goody, Very Clean $125.00

IC-32AT * Deluxe H/Duty 2/440 dual Band Hand Held Xcvr.
Very Easy to Use, Can be modded to Xmit Wide Band / Out of Ban
5 + Watt Hand Held . Has the Best Audio of Any HT / Low Intermod.
Very Clean and Works Great / Battery Pack, Rubber Duck and Leather Case
This is a Top Quality H/T VERY Hard to Find USED ! Just $239.00

IC-3200H * FM DUAL BAND VHF/UHF MOBILE XCVR.
2 Meters 50 Watts & 35 Watts 440 Mhz. / Manual, DC Cable
DTMF Hand Mic, Mobile Bracket. - LIKE NEW !
~~~~~~

Sale Priced Just $249.00

DC-1 * DC Adapter - Pack for the IC-2at / 3at / 4at / SALE $29.00 / NEW

HM-9 * Deluxe Speaker/Mic. * New $40.00 / Demo $30.00

YAESU
~~~~~~~
FT-470 * Deluxe Dual Band 2 / 440 Hand Held Xcvr. W/ Charger, 2 FNB-17
Battery packs, Duck Ant. MH-18 Speaker Mic. / Very Clean $195.00
No Manual, Estate Radio / Manual was Lost...

FT-530 * Deluxe Dual Band 2 / 440 Hand Held Xcvr. W/ Charger,
2 FNB-25 Battery Packs, MH-29 Digital Speaker Mic, Dual Band Duck Ant.
Very Clean $325.00 / No Manual, Estate Radio Manual was Lost...

Joe Reaves / N6fra at HRE... (541) 479-1212

http://www.wizzards.net/hamradio
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667. Re: ** TS830S a good rig? any/all opinions**

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: glenn.inman@telus.com
Message-ID: <6vg1uicur1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129826

In article <361ADCD7.1DB5@mindspring.com>,
dkritz@mindspring.com wrote:
> Any opinions of fit/finish of this rig (TS830S) would be greatly
> appreciated
>

Absolutely a great rig. Have owned once since they first came out. While I think my TS-520 has better tx audio, the 830 has few more bells and whistles, and it is digital. I won't part with mine. If the price is reasonable, buy it, cuz you will not be disappointed. 73 de VE6INM

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http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

668. Re: Tech America

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: T E I X E I R A <teixeira@ccnet.com>
Message-ID: <361B8252.1999@ccnet.com>
Source record: 129827
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

No... They have a 2 meter version and a 70 cm version. They are not a
dual bander.

Don, W6IQ

Will White wrote:
>
> Are you sure? The dual-band credit card HT for $79? Hard to believe that
> even covers wholesale! The best price I have seen at HRO and elsewhere is
> 169!
>
> Jones wrote:
>
> > T E I X E I R A wrote:
> > >
> > > I have used Tech America Mail order....No Sales Tax! They have
> > > excellent sales also....They are selling the Alinco Credit Card sized 2
> > > meter & 70 cm ht with speaker mike for $79.
> > >
> > In Phoenix they had a full page ad in the Phoenix Republic with a
> > circulation of 500,000+ and that ht was prominently pictured. I suspect
> > they will sell many to non hams. Thats a good way to get the bands
> > populated....
>
> --
> Will White, KD7BFX

669. Re: Tech America

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: T E I X E I R A <teixeira@ccnet.com>
Message-ID: <361B83A5.3A78@ccnet.com>
Source record: 129828
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

In California it's standard policy to require a drivers license.... You can't even go on a test drive. At one time you had to be over 21 years old to buy a car. I think that has been reduced to 18 years old.

By the way you also need proof of insurance to buy...hi hi

dt

>
> Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
> > Do car salesmen check to see if a buyer is licensed?
>
> Yes, in fact they do, and must, by law.
>
> --
> Will White, KD7BFX

670. Re: FS Standard C568A Sold

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alan Caplan <alan.caplan@cwix.com>
Message-ID: <0ILS1.634$ND5.340647@news.cwix.com>
Source record: 129829
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

SOLD YESTERDAY

Thanks for responses.

Alan K4AVQ

671. Re: 10 meter mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: badboy224@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981007111926.00800.00007974@ng85.aol.com>
Source record: 129830

Jeff,
I have a Uniden 2510 which covers 10/11
with the mobile bracket,manual,box power cord and mike..$200..tnx es 73..Dana

672. Re: 75A-4 PRICE QUERY?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: shack23@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981007111956.04126.00007673@ng102.aol.com>
Source record: 129831

The Collins 75A4 was a classic. And in it's day, one of the finest ham band only receivers on the market. It was the last in the 75A- line of ham receivers, and probably the best, especially with the mechanical filters installed. If I were to DISCOVER one of those rigs, I would certainly hold on to it ! (But not try to move it from room to room)...Hi hi...Dave

673. FS: Alinco Transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: emailmagic@usa.net
Message-ID: <6vg5d4$n6m$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129832
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

I've got an Alinco DJ-580 dual band transceiver for sale.

Price is the best offer (around $250). No trades
please.

This unit is a must buy because:

1)It is in mint condition. It has minimal usage.

2)Has expanded aircraft receive enabled.

3)Lots of goodies: DTMF squelch, full duplex and cross band repeater
funtctions, compact size, etc...
etc...

Please buy this unit. There is a special price in it for you.

If you wish to inspect the radio it is in Berkeley, CA.

Thanks,
orange@mypad.com

More info:
-7.2 700mAH battery (standard)
-manuals
-Slow charger
-Original packaging, and manual (if it is critical)

see online manual:
http://www.hams.com/perens/HamRadio/ModsAndManuals/Alinco/DJ-580.manual.html

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

674. FS B&W 5100 & SB51

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: WA1DCP <vital@gate.net>
Message-ID: <01bdf209$213b3e00$52aaa4cc@jer>
Source record: 129833
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

B&W 5100 AM xmtr face plate in good shape outside case could use
repainting, insides look good with SSB adapter SB51 asking $175 obo would
like a pickup or drop off . Located in RI but headed to FL on the 19th of
Oct.
Thanks &73 Port
BTW will be at Hosstraders in NH this weekend
--
Please reply to email at vital@gate.net
Email is not checked daily

675. Re: force 12 antennas any good??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: shack23@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981007113517.03713.00007388@ng103.aol.com>
Source record: 129834

GOOD ANT !!!!!!

676. Re: ** TS830S a good rig? any/all opinions**

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Reichow <gjr1@po17.rv.unisys.com>
Message-ID: <361BA801.2BF1@po17.rv.unisys.com>
Source record: 129835

David Kritzberg wrote:
>
> Any opinions of fit/finish of this rig (TS830S) would be greatly
> appreciated

I have had a TS-830S for about 15 years now. Never had
a single failure. Although not much of a SSB operator, I
have received unsolicited comments on good the audio sounds
(Shure 444 mic), it has a very good receiver which can be
made better with the INRAD filters. No phase noise on
RX either. Would I get another one? YES. You cannot go
wrong with it. I have the outboard VFO (VFO-240) that I
use for split operation - simple to use and you do not
have to be left handed to operate split (I am referring
to the Icoms, Yaesu's, etc with the split capabilities
to the right of the VFO, instead of the left)
Gary - KN0V.

677. 20 Brand New 6146Ws made by GE for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris <ck5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <361B8EBA.4C2C@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 129836
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

New in box made in 1987 by General Electric. I have 20 of them for
sale.
$26 each. 73 Chris VE3NGW/W4 Florida

678. Kenwood thG71 dual band

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: flybynyt@pacifier.com
Message-ID: <361c3ee9.1194974@news.pacifier.com>
Source record: 129837

200.00

flybynyt@pacifier.com

mint condition

679. Re: Kenwood TH-79A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: edbu@steelydan.wv.tek.com
Message-ID: <6vg4at$bf5@steelydan.wv.tek.com>
Source record: 129838
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <3eqS1.204$x7.176273@news12.ispnews.com>,
Mordock <webmaster@austinoem.com> wrote:
>I am looking for info on how to make the x-band repeater function work when
>the dual band is in VHF-VHF mode.
>Any help would be greatly appreciated!
>
>73s
>kc5nkg@io.com
>
>

You can't do it. There are no cavities inside to filter out the 600kHz
offset. The filters are barely narrow enough to keep police/fire/pagers
out of the ham bands as it is. I think that somewhere in the manual it
states that the VHF/VHF and UHF/UHF x-band is also disabled in the firmware.

Ed
KC7GFX

680. Transverters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: charlesdavis@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <MPG.10855f158f1ca8ee9898ff@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 129839
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

For some reason when I bought my rig, I didn't consider ever wanting 6m. Now I find that there are a few I the area that operate there, and my interest is piqued. Am considering getting a transverter for my TS-570D, and want some input. Anyone with transverter experience care to offer advice? Who makes them? Do they work OK? Would I be better off just to get another rig with 6m capabilities?
--
Charles
KF4VEI
<<>>

681. Re: force 12 antennas any good??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "my ham call"
Message-ID: <361bdff3.266322646@news.bna.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 129840

On Tue, 06 Oct 1998 11:44:56 -0700, Gary Reichow
<gjr1@po17.rv.unisys.com> wrote:
>It is my understanding that the C3 is an
>excellent performer.

That may be the biggest understatement of the year<G>!

I *love* mine. I have only two complaints:

1. Should have bought the 40m dipole kit when I bought it. (it
is now sitting in my garage waiting for better weather..)

2. The pattern isn't quite as tight on 20m as some other
antennas.

But it's very tight on 15/12/10, and not bad on 20/17. There's even
usable directivity on 30 meters. (Force 12 doesn't claim this antenna
works on 30, but it does with an autotuner. Worked VK0IR that way.)

The forward gain on 10 is quite good, and I frequently receive reports
of "strongest signal on the band". Bandwidth is also excellent.

And, it's a much easier antenna to deal with mechanically. I've
helped assemble and haul up a tower two TH7's - it took all day to
properly assemble the TH7 on the ground, then another few hours and a
lot of heavy lifting to get them in the air. And there were plenty of
projections to catch on stuff. The C3 could be assembled in maybe 3
hours - no tuning was required - and it's lightweight & doesn't tend
to catch on things.

Buy one!
73 Doug
Doug Smith (ham call W9WI) - EM66 nr. Nashville, TN, USA
real email address is:
{my ham call} @ b e l l s o u t h . n e t (kill the spaces!)

682. Re: force 12 antennas any good??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: T E I X E I R A <teixeira@ccnet.com>
Message-ID: <361B9F8A.2880@ccnet.com>
Source record: 129841

I have a question on the Force 12. I know they push the fact that the antenna does not use traps.... but according to their own specs the SWR tends to be quite high on some bands.... so you need a tuner.... How do you benefit.... either you have a loss in the traps or a loss in the tuner??? I guess what I am saying is... "There ain't no free lunch" hi hi

Just a thought,
dt

683. Parting out TS-830S station

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Melland <badger@vbe.com>
Message-ID: <361BA18C.774B@vbe.com>
Source record: 129842
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

I'm parting out the TS-830S station I previously posted:

Terms: Cash, Certified Funds (IE: Postal money order, Cashiers check)

All items are in excellent cosmetic and operating condition. First
reply confirming sale will get the item.

Kenwood TS-830S, new driver and finals, full output, 500Hz filters in
both IF's and stock 2.4 SSB filter. Optional KB-1 tuning knob, just
back from International Radio with "optimized alignment". This is a
great rig ! A VERY hot receiver and great audio. $550 shipped

Kenwood AT-230, antenna tuner/meter $150 shipped

Kenwood SP-230, filtered speaker $75 shipped

Kenwood SM-220/BS-8, station monitor and cables $285 shipped

Kenwood MC-50, microphone $50 shipped

Autek QF1-A, audio filter/notch $50 shipped

NOS matched pair 6146B finals, $40 shipped
NOS 12BY7A driver, $7 shipped
Used, Good pair 6146B finals, $20 shipped

All equipment with either original or excellent copy of operators
manual, some with service manual.

Michael Melland, KB9QHU
PO Box 403
Winneconne, WI 54986
(920) 582-8638 after 5pm cst

684. Re: HELP!! Parts & Service Hints for Drake TR-7?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dale <dlewis@fia.net>
Message-ID: <361BA7CC.9043161D@fia.net>
Source record: 129843
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

try http://www.rldrake.com/tech/parts/partshtml/partslist.html
for parts.
Dale
DavidC wrote:
>
> A retired engineer friend who is helping me service my dead TR-7 sent the
> following message about a parts need ... can anyone help, please?
> 73, DavidC AA1FA
>
> "Up Convertor is not functioning. I don't know if there are reasons other
> than the device that would prevent it from outputting. Has the 40MC input
> and a signal from the antennae but nothing on the output. The one which
> you sent - in the bag of other parts - has been removed from equipment but
> I put it in the board anyway. It behaves the same way. Think those are
> diode ring modulators but are not made to service. I don't have a
> replacement. And no house around here where they might be obtained. If
> that is all that it takes to fix the radio, it will be great. But we won't
> know until that stage is working as both receive and transmit are passed
> through it."

685. Re: New ICOM 706MkII Microphone Gain Low?, Please Help.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: jwa <jwa@tellabs.com>
Message-ID: <361BAF01.37673E78@tellabs.com>
Source record: 129844

Bill Clarke wrote:

> I tried the mod (taking the rubber diaphragm out) and it did bring the audio
> level up, but it still sounded trashy. No lows at all. That is why I went to
> the SM6. I don't operate mobile, just portable - so the larger mike isn't a
> problem.
>

What's all this talk about low audio on the 706 MkII?

I use the stock mike on mine and I always get excellent audio reports.
You either have a bad mike or there's something wrong with the
mike connector.

--
Jack Albert WA9FVP
Tellabs Operations Inc.
1000 Remington Blvd Voice (630) 378-6201
Bolingbrook, IL 60440 FAX (630) 378-5790

Say 73's to drugs and get high on Ham Radio!

686. RACAL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan N <ndan@dlcwest.com>
Message-ID: <01bdf21e$452a9080$de298e8b@HeinzeInstitute>
Source record: 129845

Looking for a manual for RA 6217 or RA 1217 or RA 217.
Willing to pay a reasonable price. Thank You. 73's

687. ****For Sale: Alinco DJ-C5 Dual Band Credit Card HT ($130)****

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: John R Alley <chia@korrnet.org>
Message-ID: <Pine.GSO.3.95.981007140806.25975A-100000@clarion.korrnet.org>
Source record: 129846
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have a brand new Alinco DJ-C5 Dual band credit card HT. IT is
only two months old, with all paperwork, and warranty card. It is a GREAT
little radio, has had the extended RX and TX mod done. Can be reversed,
but no need. Excellent RX and a very small radio. IT was purchased for me
by my wife, and I like the HT, but I have no need for it now. As I have
another HT.
Receive: 118.000-173.995MHz*
380.000-473.995MHz

Transmit: 136.000-173.995MHz
382.000-473.995MHz

* This includes AM receive. Which is very very good for such a
small HT. I have all the manuals, paperwork, and warranty card, with a
protective case, and the fast charger for it. It will charge in about
1.5-2 hours from a dead battery. The battery lasts rather long, which was
a surprise to me. If anyone is interested in this HT then please E-Mail me
at one of the bellow addresses, and I'll give you a phone number at which
we can get together. Oh yeah, I am asking $130 for the HT, that includes
standard UPS ground shipping, and any other shipping preferred can be
negotiable. Thanks...

====----****----====
73 de KF4UAE
KF4UAE@qsl.net
chia@korrnet.org
John R. Alley

688. NCX5 NATIONAL TRANSCEIVER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Earl <w9juc@juno.com>
Message-ID: <361BB4C7.B4BC78E@juno.com>
Source record: 129847

Dave G0MJY is looking for a schematic diagram for the NCX5 transceiver.
He currently does not have internet access and is looking for a source
for this schematic.

Hi Manuals has a manual for this but Dave is handicapped and I think
that the price might be a little steep for him.

Anyone help ?

73

Rich

W9JUC

689. Re: Tech America

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Russ Nixon <rc9nixon@mind9spring.com>
Message-ID: <361BBD70.30B1@mind9spring.com>
Source record: 129848
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Will White wrote:
>
> Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
> > Do car salesmen check to see if a buyer is licensed?
>
> Yes, in fact they do, and must, by law.
>
> --
> Will White, KD7BFX

Cite please. I have never been asked for either a license or proof of insurance in any of the three states in which I bought a car. You need proof of insurance to REGISTER a car and to get a loan on a car, but not to buy. Why would I need insurance to buy a car to convert to a race car? It's happened. A friend bought a brand new "body-in-white" several years ago. He got a bill-of-sale because it had a VIN, but he didn't need a license or insurance. How about a corporation? I could go on, but read my first sentence again.

Russ Nixon - KF4WXD

690. FS: Icom IC820H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al <K6DJP@postoffice.pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <361BBE0C.99B308BD@postoffice.pacbell.net>
Source record: 129849
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have for sale an Icom 820H dual band (2 mtr & 440) all mode base
station radio for sale.Radio is in excellent condition electrically and
physically and comes with an optional hand mike.$750
Al

691. new 10m becon in ZL!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mycom@xtra.co.nz
Message-ID: <6vgj8a$n0i$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129850

Good day, there is a new 10m becon in ZL details follow:

callsign ZL3SIX freq 28.228MHz location RE66 (25k south of
Christchurch) antenna halfwave vertical power 10w
we are very interested in any reports on this becon please send reports to
Mike at Mycom@xtra.co.nz or Ross zl3adt2xtra.co.nz

also don't forget the 6m becon
callsign ZL3SIX freq 50.040Mhz location RE66
antenna two time horozontal phased arrays power 70w

regards Mike ZL3TIC/ZL3MUF

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692. FS: IC-275H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: reedj@earth.execpc.com
Message-ID: <6vgehf$dr3@newsops.execpc.com>
Source record: 129851

For Sale: Icom IC-275H 100 watt VHF allmode. $775 + shipping or willing
to trade for Collins.

Joe
reedj@execpc.com

693. Re: ** TS830S a good rig? any/all opinions**

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff Kilgore <kilgore@dev.tivoli.com>
Message-ID: <361BB19A.AF1E665E@dev.tivoli.com>
Source record: 129852

David Kritzberg wrote:
>
> Any opinions of fit/finish of this rig (TS830S) would be greatly
> appreciated

I think it's a great rig. I borrowed a friend's 830 many years ago, and wanted one ever since. I finally bought one a few years ago, and I really like it a lot. Mine has been very reliable in the few years I have had it, and I've had many reports on the excellent transmit audio. The receiver is very nice, and provides excellent performance and a nice feature set. I use my 830 about as much as I use my TS-850. I paid $475 for my 830 with the external VFO and MC-50 microphone; one of my best ham radio investments ever.

73,
Jeff, KC1MK

694. Gap Antenna's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: DGC <mqt00703@up.net>
Message-ID: <6vggme$kfr@btc3.up.net>
Source record: 129853

Am interested in acquiring a gap vertical antenna. Would like any feedback from current or former users of the product. I have heard it is very quiet for a vertical and has good gain. Have also heard it is very sturdy. I am using a G5RV dipole right now and have a small lot and am interested in a good vertical for dx work.
Thanks!!
Doug C.

695. ??? About SWR/Power Meter for 70cm ATV

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: bdiaz@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6vgnvjusb1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129854

All of the 70cm SWR/Power Meters I've seen are listed as "440 MHz".
However, the ATV frequency is 426.25 (symplex) for the Southern California
area. I can't find any specifications on the frequency range of these
meters. So, I don't know if they'll work correctly in the lower half of
the 70cm band.

Will the lower frequency pose a problem for these meters?

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696. Re: Realistic HTX-404 Any Good

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: llefczik@motown.lmco.com
Message-ID: <6vgn15$t8k$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129855

Mine only does it when PL tones are on. I read a posting once in the
.equepment group that explained what it was for. Try turning off the PL to
see if it has a normal response to the PTT.

In article <1998090823542800.TAA08595@ladder01.news.aol.com>,
radiobufff@aol.com (Radiobufff) wrote:
> I noticed this delay on both of my 404's but not on my 202's, does anyone know
> if this is a setting that can be changed?
>
> >The only thing I didn't like about it was the transmit-receive
> >turnaround time was something like 500 milliseconds or more.
> >
>
> Radio in the Bufff
> Co-ed Naked Radio
> Support your local Oscillator
>

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697. Re: FS:RADIOSHACK HTX-202

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: q-dude@usa.net
Message-ID: <6vgmoqsdp1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129856

In article <6vc0lp$uf8$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
jmhoos@maxminn.com wrote:
> For sale HTX-202 all standard accs. belt clip, antenna, 2 battery packs, one
> ni-cad rechargeable and other uses 6 AA's will include a speaker mike with
> clip on back.
>
> ----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
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>
Already got one. Anyway, it's a good radio to introduce you to ham radio and
you should sell it to new hams, esp. code-free Techs.

-Dan "Solder Smoke" KB3BYE

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698. Re: Tech America

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: T E I X E I R A <teixeira@ccnet.com>
Message-ID: <361BD305.5108@ccnet.com>
Source record: 129857
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

You can do anything you want.... I am sure you will find a dealer who
would sell you a car with no license.... It doesn't make it legal....
If you or any company sells a car to a person without a license....
guess who is libel if he goes out and hurts somebody? Anybody who would
sell a car to an unlicensed person is plain "S T U P I D"... This
applies if you sell a car to a minor also. But don't take my word.....
call the California DMV. As far as insurance goes...How is a car dealer
going to register your car without insurance.... and they must register
the car....

> Cite please. I have never been asked for either a license or proof of
> insurance in any of the three states in which I bought a car. You need
> proof of insurance to REGISTER a car and to get a loan on a car, but not
> to buy. Why would I need insurance to buy a car to convert to a race
> car? It's happened. A friend bought a brand new "body-in-white"
> several years ago. He got a bill-of-sale because it had a VIN, but he
> didn't need a license or insurance. How about a corporation? I could
> go on, but read my first sentence again.
>
> Russ Nixon - KF4WXD

699. Re: New ICOM 706MkII Microphone Gain Low?, Please Help.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Toste <saturn@interlog.com>
Message-ID: <6vgkrd$8a9$1@news.interlog.com>
Source record: 129858

Do you have the COMP on? I have no problems with the comrpessor on turn it
off and it's LOW audio.

jwa <jwa@tellabs.com> wrote:

> Bill Clarke wrote:

> > I tried the mod (taking the rubber diaphragm out) and it did bring the audio
> > level up, but it still sounded trashy. No lows at all. That is why I went to
> > the SM6. I don't operate mobile, just portable - so the larger mike isn't a
> > problem.
> >

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> I use the stock mike on mine and I always get excellent audio reports.
> You either have a bad mike or there's something wrong with the
> mike connector.

> --
> Jack Albert WA9FVP
> Tellabs Operations Inc.
> 1000 Remington Blvd Voice (630) 378-6201
> Bolingbrook, IL 60440 FAX (630) 378-5790

> Say 73's to drugs and get high on Ham Radio!

--
David Toste [VE3TOS] Internet - saturn@interlog.com
Brampton, Ontario. SWLOGit - The Ultimate Shortwave Listeners Software
ftp://qsl.net/pub/ve3tos/swlit20a.zip
http://www.interlog.com/~saturn/SWLOGit.html (SWLOGit Web Page)
ICQ: 4422700

700. Re: HI, looking for advice on radio make/model

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: bdiaz@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6vgrdb$537$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129859

In article <6vbovl$7eu$1@shiva.direcpc.com>,
"Brian" <jeepguy@geocities.com> wrote:
> Hi,
> I have read through the last 300 or so headers and not seen anything
> along these lines, so here's my post. I recently passed my Technician exam
> and am waiting to see my call show up. In the meanwhile I'm doing my
> research to figure out what kind of radio to buy. My primary interest in
> Ham radio is data, voice, and ATV. I'm really a newcomer so excuse the
> silly questions....

First of all, there's no such a thing as a silly or stupid question.
In no way could we expect a newcomer to know everything.
So, feel free to ask away . . . How else will you learn? <smile>

> 1) From what I can figure out voice is on 440-450mhz and 144-148(2 meter).
> It appears that there is also some packet on those frequencies. I want my
> first radio to be a mobile that can be mounted in my Jeep Wrangler. Because
> the wrangler is less than ideal for security I'm thinking of trying to find
> a radio that can be mounted in the secure trunk. As long as it is small,
> securable, and not too flashy, I should be able to hide it in a good place
> near the driver's seat.

From what I recall of the 1989 Jeep Wranglers, there was a storage spot
between the front seats. It might make a great hiding place for a radio,
but I don't think it would be secure. There are rigs that have a face to
connecting cable to main body of the rig. I can't recall the names and model
numbers however. That's also worth checking out.

> 2) Am I targeting the right frequencies for what I'm interested in? I
> remember when I used to play with CB that alot of guys would have 10 meter
> radios as well as CB. I'm not too terribly interested in CB, but, it would
> be very useful to be able jump down to those frequencies on the highway.
> Is that a pipe dream? or do some radios have that ability?

A New, Ham Band - CB Radio doesn't exist. Your Tech License allows you to go
down to 6 meters (50 MHz), but no lower. However, if you passed the 5 WPM
code you can do SSB voice in the 10 meter Band. There is a Ham Radio that
can do HF (160-10 meters), 6 meters, and 2 meters, but it will cost you a lot
more than a 2 meter/440 rig.

> 3) I think I have seen some auto-repeater equipment. If i'm guessing
> correctly this stuff can act as a repeater to something like a HT
> (handheld). Is this correct?

My Alinco DR-605T allows me to cross-band repeat (2 meters <--> 440);
either way. I regret that the feature doesn't allow me to set power levels

at 2 different settings. For example, 2 meter output is 50 watts and 440 is 5 watts. Either both bands are 5 watts or both bands are 50 watts. To keep from sucking my car battery dry and overheating the radio, I set the power level at 5 watts for cross band repeater. It works, but the few times I used it, I did have to park my car in a good spot to got a good signal in and out.

> 4) Is there a web-site that might be able to answer these kinds of
> questions? I have had a hard time finding one...
>
> Thanks,
> Brian G.
> Houston, TX
> Jeepguy"nospam"@geocities.com

This WEB page won't answer your questions, but will point you to a lot of other interesting and useful WEB pages.

http://www.ac6v.com/pageas.html

73,

Bob
KQ6WQ

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

701. Re: New ICOM 706MkII Microphone Gain Low?, Please Help.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Clarke <w2blc599@radiolink.net>
Message-ID: <361bdead.0@news3.ibm.net>
Source record: 129860

Nope, never used the compressor. And the big problem is lousy audio quality anyway. You can crank the gain up and make it talk - but the stock mike is not very good sounding. In fact, I think it is utter trash! So, as I previously stated, I use the SM6. I get great reports with it - full sounding audio like it should be.

Other than a lousy mike, the 706 MkII is a great little radio that I enjoy very much.

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Bill Clarke W2BLC
W2BLC@radiolink.net

702. Re: Parting out TS-830S station

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: cwdoit@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981007180252.04113.00007645@ng25.aol.com>
Source record: 129861

>Kenwood SM-220/BS-8, station monitor and cables $285 shipped

I will pay the $285.00 if it is still available. w8wls Bill Spangler
Manchester, Michigan

703. FOR SALE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: drew_lgca@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <6vgohj$9rj$1@camel0.mindspring.com>
Source record: 129862

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For Sale
>>
>> Alinco Quick Charger
>> Model EDC-34
>> Use only a few times
>> $40 or BO
>>

>> Ringo Ranger 2 Antena
>> Model ARK-2B
>> no cable
>> $30. or BO
>>
>> Icom IC-28H two meter
>> moble radio With 12dc power supply
>> $175 or BO
>>
>> All equipment in great working order.
>> E-mail
>> Andrew N1KWU
>> drew_lgca@pipeline.com
>
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704. Re: TS 570S(G) VS IC 746?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Seth Miller <seth.miller@NOSPAMworldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <361BE5CB.DC644BBE@NOSPAMworldnet.att.net>
Source record: 129863

I'm afraid that I can't comment on long-term use, just several hours in the store working with both radios. Admittedly this is a flawed test due to the short duration, and both radios seemed to perform very well overall, but my impression was that the IC-746 had a slight (but noticeable) edge in sensitivity, and had somewhat cleaner audio. The ICOM DSP noise reduction seemed to be more effective than the 570 as well.

One advantage of the 570 is the DSP high/low pass filter which supposedly 'eliminates the need for filters'. I rather doubt that this is the case (yet - but I'm sure technology will get us there eventually), but even with the hyperbole, the DSP filter on the Kenwood did seem to be a little more effective than the analog 'twin-passband tuning' on the Icom when dealing with very strong adjacent signals. But then again for the price difference, you could add some narrow SSB filters to the Icom in which case I think it would provide superior performance to most of the 'no filters needed' radios - or at least that's my theory... The DSP worked quite well on both radios in providing a narrow CW passband, I'm not sure that either radios would need a narrow analog CW filter for most uses.

Bottom line, I bought the '746, but not because I could find any flaws with the Kenwood. The Icom just felt (and sounded) better to me...

- Seth

SIAMK wrote:
>
> I was wondering if anyone ever compared the two rigs side by side. I realize
> the 746 has two meters, but in general how do the two rigs compare. Which one
> has the best rcvr? I read the QST reviews, but I'm interested in actual long
> term use by some of you who might have used either of these rigs and had some
> educated opinions.
>
> I'm about ready to upgrade rigs and I'm thinking about these two rigs. What do
> you say? Any comments would be appreciated.
>
> Thanks and 73s
>
> Mike
> Newport News, VA

705. Re: Tech America

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: mai@iquest.net
Message-ID: <6vgl9v$134_001@news.iquest.net>
Source record: 129864
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

One word in this posting explains it "Califoria"......save the bandwidth for
RADIO related postings.....

In article <361BD305.5108@ccnet.com>,
T E I X E I R A <teixeira@ccnet.com> wrote:
>You can do anything you want.... I am sure you will find a dealer who
>would sell you a car with no license.... It doesn't make it legal....
>If you or any company sells a car to a person without a license....
>guess who is libel if he goes out and hurts somebody? Anybody who would
>sell a car to an unlicensed person is plain "S T U P I D"... This
>applies if you sell a car to a minor also. But don't take my word.....
>call the California DMV. As far as insurance goes...How is a car dealer
>going to register your car without insurance.... and they must register
>the car....
>
>
>
>> Cite please. I have never been asked for either a license or proof of
>> insurance in any of the three states in which I bought a car. You need
>> proof of insurance to REGISTER a car and to get a loan on a car, but not
>> to buy. Why would I need insurance to buy a car to convert to a race
>> car? It's happened. A friend bought a brand new "body-in-white"
>> several years ago. He got a bill-of-sale because it had a VIN, but he
>> didn't need a license or insurance. How about a corporation? I could
>> go on, but read my first sentence again.
>>
>> Russ Nixon - KF4WXD

706. FS: UHF SABER 3

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al <K6DJP@postoffice.pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <361BE739.E0F20B2@postoffice.pacbell.net>
Source record: 129865
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have a Motorola Saber 3 (440-470 split)in very good condition with
antenna and battery for $375.
Thanks Al

707. Re: force 12 antennas any good??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: dont.bother@too.many.spammers
Message-ID: <361beb9b.27846041@news.telalink.net>
Source record: 129866

On Wed, 07 Oct 1998 17:06:19 +0000, T E I X E I R A
<teixeira@ccnet.com> wrote:
>I have a question on the Force 12. I know they push the fact that the
>antenna does not use traps.... but according to their own specs the SWR
>tends to be quite high on some bands.... so you need a tuner.... How do
>you benefit.... either you have a loss in the traps or a loss in the
>tuner??? I guess what I am saying is... "There ain't no free lunch" hi

The only bands you need the tuner on (for the C3 antenna) are the
17/12m WARC bands. Many competing antennas don't work on these bands
at all. Those that do, the 17/12m traps are still in the circuit even
when you're operating on the "traditional" bands. In the Force 12
antenna, you can bypass the tuner while operating the "traditional"
bands, and that loss goes away.

Actually, the SWR isn't all that high on the WARC bands - an autotuner
can easily handle it. Some tube-final transmitters (and amplifiers)
can also handle it without a separate tuner.

73 Doug
Doug Smith, WSMV Engineering
d s m i t h @ ^= these station call letters . com
(sorry, blame the *&$^ spammers...)

708. Still Looking for "weasel" KEVIN STEWARD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Murray Neece" <kc5mdm@iglobal.net>
Message-ID: <361BEE94.BE2E0362@iglobal.net>
Source record: 129867
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Was in Colorado, when he wrote me a bad $400 check, before, up
northwest, Spokane I think. N7HKE is his call and he is a blustering
lying little weasel......if you catch up with him or know where hes is,
let me know so I can tell the Local District Attorney and put that
WIMP in jail. Thanks and 73 , Murray K5MDM Odessa, Texas

709. Parting out TS-830S station

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Melland <badger@vbe.com>
Message-ID: <361BEFFE.7DDE@vbe.com>
Source record: 129868

I'm parting out the TS-830S station I previously posted:

Terms: Cash, Certified Funds (IE: Postal money order, Cashiers check)

All items are in excellent cosmetic and operating condition. First
reply confirming sale will get the item.

Kenwood TS-830S, new driver and finals, full output, 500Hz filters in
both IF's and stock 2.4 SSB filter. Optional KB-1 tuning knob, just
back from International Radio with "optimized alignment". This is a
great rig ! A VERY hot receiver and great audio. $550 shipped

Kenwood AT-230, antenna tuner/meter $150 shipped

Kenwood SP-230, filtered speaker $75 shipped

Kenwood SM-220/BS-8, station monitor and cables $285 shipped

Kenwood MC-50, microphone $50 shipped

Autek QF1-A, audio filter/notch $50 shipped

NOS matched pair 6146B finals, $40 shipped
NOS 12BY7A driver, $7 shipped
Used, Good pair 6146B finals, $20 shipped

All equipment with either original or excellent copy of operators
manual, some with service manual.

Michael Melland, KB9QHU
PO Box 403
Winneconne, WI 54986
(920) 582-8638 after 5pm cst

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Michael Melland, KB9QHU
Winneconne, Wisconsin, USA
FISTS #4387, 10-10 #69281, QRP-L #1656
CW, SSB, and Electronics
List Administrator: grundig@qth.net
http://www.vbe.com/~badger
http://www.qsl.net/kb9qhu

710. Re: Tech America

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dale <dlewis@fia.net>
Message-ID: <361BF25B.788C3E5A@fia.net>
Source record: 129869
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Its just the single band 2 meter and 70 cm for $79 each.

Will White wrote:
>
> Are you sure? The dual-band credit card HT for $79? Hard to believe that
> even covers wholesale! The best price I have seen at HRO and elsewhere is
> 169!
>
> Jones wrote:
>
> > T E I X E I R A wrote:
> > >
> > > I have used Tech America Mail order....No Sales Tax! They have
> > > excellent sales also....They are selling the Alinco Credit Card sized 2
> > > meter & 70 cm ht with speaker mike for $79.
> > >
> > > In Phoenix they had a full page ad in the Phoenix Republic with a
> > > circulation of 500,000+ and that ht was prominently pictured. I suspect
> > > they will sell many to non hams. Thats a good way to get the bands
> > > populated....
>
> --
> Will White, KD7BFX

711. Re: 20 Brand New 6146Ws made by GE for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: KB4AEP <crslex@iglou.com>
Message-ID: <361BFD2D.CC049231@iglou.com>
Source record: 129870
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I bought 2 of these new 6146W's and a new 12BY7A driver tube at Dayton
all for $40.

Chris wrote:

> New in box made in 1987 by General Electric. I have 20 of them for
> sale.
> $26 each. 73 Chris VE3NGW/W4 Florida

712. FS: TR7

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: ww <wwhite@sprynet.com>
Message-ID: <6vgufjqiv1@juliana.sprynet.com>
Source record: 129871

TR7/PS7 digital, general coverage, all filters, both fans
excellent condx. $ 700.00 plus shipping...

713. Re: 20 Brand New 6146Ws made by GE for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Van Sias <wa7fab@cdsnet.net>
Message-ID: <361B9118.5B71F558@cdsnet.net>
Source record: 129872
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Maybe Chris is talking Canadian dollars???

714. 220 MOBILE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: EARL <N8DBM@LVCM.COM>
Message-ID: <361C07CE.75FEC4CE@LVCM.COM>
Source record: 129873

THANKS TO ALL. THE 220 MOBILE IS SOLD..

715. Icom IC-U16 Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: George Guillory <guillory@blkbox.com>
Message-ID: <907807749.945274@news.blkbox.com>
Source record: 129874

Would the person who wanted the manual for the Icom IC-U16 contact me.

I found one.

George, KC5HBT
guillory@blkbox.com

716. FS: Yaesu FT50RD $280

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robb <rcarter567@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <#7zWn2l89GA.201@upnetnews05>
Source record: 129875

Received this Baby on Monday 5 oct 98. Just three day old. Warranty is good until 5 Oct 99!

not satified with this design at all!

717. Re: force 12 antennas any good??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: dutch@dish-NET.com
Message-ID: <6veeod$fv4$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129885

In article <361A6528.1B7C@po17.rv.unisys.com>,
Gary Reichow <gjr1@po17.rv.unisys.com> wrote:
> marc cormier wrote:
> >
> > Hello
> > After a long separation from my wife and loosing my hf beam in the
> > process,i was interested in the c-3 from force 12.
> > Does anyone have any comments on this subject?
> > thanking you in advance
> > marc
> > ve9yj
>
> It is my understanding that the C3 is an
> excellent performer.
> Gary - KN0V
>

And cheaper then a new wife.....
Rene - VE6WCA

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718. Re: Tech America $99 variable power supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: scott@wowpage.com
Message-ID: <361abc35.606950702@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 129886

On Tue, 6 Oct 1998 12:40:20 -0300, "Dennis Hennigan"
<dennis@top.monad.net> writes:

>Thinking of purchasing the 0-30VDC power supply listed in their last flyer.
>Any comments???

Great power supply. We bought two for the shop where I work, have had
them for a couple of months now. We use them constantly and they're
holding up well, no problems whatsoever.

Scott KD4DCY

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Scott Johnson, Senior Technician, Comprehensive Technical Group
e-mail: scott@wowpage.com Web: http://wowpage.com/scott
Phone: (404) 352-3000 FAX: (404) 352-2962

719. PLECTRON SCHEMATICS NEEDED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: palladinme@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981006213034.08807.00007725@ng119.aol.com>
Source record: 129887

I am looking for schematics for Plectron Models R20A and R720A..
I will gladly pay for copy and shipping fees...
Thank You,
Fred

720. HELP!! Parts & Service Hints for Drake TR-7?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: DavidC <davidc@bit-net.com>
Message-ID: <01bdf193$69472a40$b48492d0@davidc.bit-net.com>
Source record: 129888
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

A retired engineer friend who is helping me service my dead TR-7 sent the following message about a parts need ... can anyone help, please?
73, DavidC AA1FA

"Up Convertor is not functioning. I don't know if there are reasons other than the device that would prevent it from outputting. Has the 40MC input and a signal from the antennae but nothing on the output. The one which you sent - in the bag of other parts - has been removed from equipment but I put it in the board anyway. It behaves the same way. Think those are diode ring modulators but are not made to service. I don't have a replacement. And no house around here where they might be obtained. If that is all that it takes to fix the radio, it will be great. But we won't know until that stage is working as both receive and transmit are passed through it."

721. FS: Matching Speaker for Tempo 2020 Transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: davek2dp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981006213317.12284.00007809@ng14.aol.com>
Source record: 129889

For Sale : Virtually mint matching speaker for the Tempo 2020 transceiver.
Asking $35 plus shipping. Please drop me a line via e-mail or cal 314-862-5698.
thanks and 73,
Dave, K2DP, St. Louis
73,
Dave, K2DP
St.Louis

722. FS: Yaesu FT-208 2 mtr handheld

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: davek2dp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981006213518.12284.00007810@ng14.aol.com>
Source record: 129890

For Sale: Very clean Yaesu FT-208 2 mtr handheld with matching Yaesu speaker mike, plug in the wall charger, manual and original box. $75 plus shipping and insurance. Drop me a line or call 314-862-5698.

thanks and 73,
Dave, K2DP, St. Louis
73,
Dave, K2DP
St.Louis

723. Re: F/S ICOM GEAR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: sigintman@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981006214726.08918.00003732@ng147.aol.com>
Source record: 129891

Interested in the dual band ht ($239.00), am trying to visualize it...could you tell me year produced, etc?? Price sounds good...am looking for a new ht.
Ed N3KEX+

724. Re: Sale Or Trade: Kenwood, Yeasu & Misc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: sigintman@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981006215014.08918.00003734@ng147.aol.com>
Source record: 129892

Interested in the Kenwood 520. Would like to get on hf, could you tell me more about this?? I'm mainly looking to use it for 10 meters...
Ed N3KEX+

725. Re: IRS "Recruiting?"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick <rickmuddSP@teleport.com>
Message-ID: <vpzS1.23187$K02.13680676@news.teleport.com>
Source record: 129893
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.radio.free,alt.radio.pirate

Dave Martindale wrote in message
>I guess if you can't get attention for doing something worthwhile,
>people will try to get attention for doing something useless.
>
> Dave

You have pretty well described many 7th graders...

The trick is to figure out how to not laugh when they do something
unbelievably stupid and praise them when they show sign of gowing up.

Rick

726. Opinions on dual band ht's...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: sigintman@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981006222339.18857.00004585@ng30.aol.com>
Source record: 129894

Hello,
I'm looking at the new (?) crop of ht's, and would like some feedback from users of Kenwood's and Icoms. I gave up on Yaesu when they "downsized" the newer models. I have had a Standard 528A, but want to get away from bells and whistles I won't ever use. Thanks for your time.
Ed Hutton N3KEX+

727. Re: FS:RADIOSHACK HTX-202

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: w2vos@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981006225258.00872.00003718@ng56.aol.com>
Source record: 129895

How much?

728. WTB. TM-742 OR 642 220/440/144

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: w6dnc@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6vesgvcdu1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129896

I like to buy a tri-bander with 220/144/440 if you have one for sale
please reply. Please state condition and your best price including
shipping to 93905

73 de Lupe
W6DNC

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729. Icom radio and heathkit Amp for trade or sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: gb636@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6venti$du3@dfw-ixnews4.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 129897

I have a Icom 730 HF radio and a Heathkit SB-200 1.2 Kw amp and a 2 kw tuner. I am willing to trade or sale. I am looking for a laptop at least a 266 Mhz. with a built in cd and 32 Mb ram and at least 2 gigbyte hard drive...Or a desktop 300 Mhz with cd and at least 32 Mb ram and at least 3 gigbyte hard drive.

Please e-mail me..Thanks

730. FS: CW Narrow Filter for ICOM 735

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Meadowlands Communications <meadowcomm@erols.com>
Message-ID: <01bdf1a8$1cc4c820$4ac1accf@default>
Source record: 129898
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

CW Narrow FILTER for ICOM IC-735 (FL32R) for Sale. Best offer takes it.
Never used. Still in sealed plastic bag. Drop me a note.

Chris KB2BBW

731. ** TS830S a good rig? any/all opinions**

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Kritzberg <dkritz@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <361ADCD7.1DB5@mindspring.com>
Source record: 129899

Any opinions of fit/finish of this rig (TS830S) would be greatly
appreciated

732. RE: PRO 2021 resistor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: urei@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981007001956.04125.00007455@ng102.aol.com>
Source record: 129900

>
>
>>urei@aol.com (Urei)
>>Date: Sat, Oct 3, 1998 18:46 EDT
>>Message-id: <19981003184608.09054.00002877@ng12.aol.com
>
>wrote:
>>
>>In regard to the resistor problem in the PRO 2021, In mine R134 is RED,
>RED,
>>ORANGE, GOLD. Sorry, I can never remember how the colors relate to value,
>>and I can't find my Resist-o-guide. Let me know how you make out.
>
>That works out to 22,000 ohms, 5% tolerance
>
>73 de Jim, N2EY
>
>
>Thanks for bailing me out, Jim!
Urei
>
>
>
>

733. Re: Opinions on dual band ht's...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: user66@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981007002818.20101.00000052@ng72.aol.com>
Source record: 129901

All of the new Ht's out there are really disappointing

Yaesu 51 >>very poor hissy audio
NO POWER JACK on the radio !!!!!!!!!

Yaesu ft 50 >>> (handgranade)
ONE BAND AT A TIME ONLY
no X band !!!!!!!!
a step backwards 10 years
CRAPY RECEIVER

VX1-r >>poor selectivity
various problems
had mine in for repairs 4 times

KEnwood

th-79 so so ,don't like the menu crap
new version UNREASONABLY priced
haven't really had a chance to test receiver

THG 71a like the ft50 step backwards 10 years
ONE BAND AT A TIME, no X band rpt

ICOM:

W32a
DON'T BUY THIS RADIO !!!
the receiver is a DISASTER
gets completely overloaded and desensed
even with the ruber duckie
ABSOLUTELLY USELESS !!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

IC-T7a more of the same
and ONLY ONE BAND AT A TIME !!!

Alinco:

Give me a break !!

ADI:
never tried one
seems like older design maybe a copy of the ft 530

NOTHING WORKS LIKE THE GOOD OLD YAESU FT530

734. 10 meter mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreilly@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981007003046.20884.00016980@ng90.aol.com>
Source record: 129902

I'm still looking for a 10 meter moblie. Any for sale?

73,

Jeff
aa2sk

735. Re: Vintage Gay Erotic Magazines for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: user66@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981007003219.20101.00000056@ng72.aol.com>
Source record: 129903

TAKE YOUR CRAP SOMEWHERE ELSE!!!

736. Re: ** TS830S a good rig? any/all opinions**

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: shack23@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981007003900.03713.00007289@ng103.aol.com>
Source record: 129904

I've got a TS-530SP, and I think it is similar to the 830S, and I talk all over the world on it ! It is a beautiful rig with a digital readout...Dave

737. Re: 10 meter mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOHN WARD <HITECH@EROLS.COM>
Message-ID: <6ves20njm1@winter.news.erols.com>
Source record: 129905

yes
JeffReilly wrote in message <19981007003046.20884.00016980@ng90.aol.com>...
>
>I'm still looking for a 10 meter moblie. Any for sale?
>
>73,
>
>Jeff
>aa2sk

738. Re: Heathkit HW-101 for a beginner??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: shack23@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981007022739.03714.00009140@ng103.aol.com>
Source record: 129906

Hello, in response to your question about the heathkit hw-101. I built a Heathkit HW-101 in 1979, and I still have it ! It actually still works, although it needs final tubes (6146). If the rig was built by someone with good kit building skill, and it still works, then it would be a good starter rig. I would never Buy one of these sight unseen, because you don't know how well it was put together. And part of that rig, (the VFO), is exceedingly difficult to build right ! But when an HW-101 is working correctly, it is a very good rig both for cw and ssb. You need to make sure the power supply is also in good shape, as it is a seperate unit ! I hope this helps you...Dave

739. WTB: Kenwood HT Accs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: N7RCM@POBOX.COM
Message-ID: <361b0df0.1123669@news1.coam.net>
Source record: 129907

I'm looking for any accessories for the Kenwood 215, 315 or 415 series HT. Stuff like Alkaline
battery pack, extra long life, or short life batteries, Just to have extras, quick charger.

You get the idea. What do you have for this series ht.

740. Re: HELP!! Parts & Service Hints for Drake TR-7?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4sqr@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981007055427.28440.00008370@ng37.aol.com>
Source record: 129908

Did you call R.L. Drake in OH ??

741. Re: REQ: Motorola Battery Date code chart

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: news1@airmail.net
Message-ID: <FC22E4BC85625507.863CA4B7B1833FEB.B5292029D75322DE@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 129909

On most it's the three numbers. Example 832 would be the 32th week of
1998.

Terry

On 3 Oct 1998 12:07:49 GMT, klo1937@aol.com (KLO1937) wrote:

>
>Does anyone have a current Motorola Date code conversion chart?

742. Re: HI, looking for advice on radio make/model

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <365c4629.325070482@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 129910

On Mon, 5 Oct 1998 19:41:42 -0500, "Brian" <jeepguy@geocities.com> wrote:
> I have read through the last 300 or so headers and not seen anything
>along these lines, so here's my post. I recently passed my Technician exam
>and am waiting to see my call show up. In the meanwhile I'm doing my
>research to figure out what kind of radio to buy. My primary interest in
>Ham radio is data, voice, and ATV. I'm really a newcomer so excuse the
>silly questions....

Voice is easy, there are many radios for that. Data, at low speed, can be done with these voice radios and the appropriate data controller. But for higher speed data, you'll need a dedicated RF modem instead of a voice radio. See www.paccomm.com for examples of that. ATV is a very specialized niche. You'll need special transmitters and receivers for that.

>1) From what I can figure out voice is on 440-450mhz and 144-148(2 meter).
>It appears that there is also some packet on those frequencies. I want my
>first radio to be a mobile that can be mounted in my Jeep Wrangler. Because
>the wrangler is less than ideal for security I'm thinking of trying to find
>a radio that can be mounted in the secure trunk. As long as it is small,
>securable, and not too flashy, I should be able to hide it in a good place
>near the driver's seat.

I use the Yaesu FT8500. The main unit is remote mountable, and a small display module can be mounted at any convenient location. The controls are all in the microphone. You can hide that when you park. The FT8500 is currently the most radio for the dollar in this category. It can also act as a crossband repeater to extend the range of your handheld radio when you are away from the car.

Even better, perhaps, is the Standard 5718 with even the display in the mic. Nothing shows when you tuck the mic out of sight. It is a lot more expensive, however, and if possible, is even more awkward to operate than the FT8500.

An oddball possibility is the Standard 510A. It is a tiny HT which can mate with a "car kit" booster to make it a full feature mobile rig. So you get a HT and mobile rig in one. The downside here is that the "car kit" can't act as a crossband repeater for the HT.

Icom and Kenwood also make dual banders which feature remote mounting capability. And don't overlook Alinco.

>2) Am I targeting the right frequencies for what I'm interested in? I
>remember when I used to play with CB that alot of guys would have 10 meter
>radios as well as CB. I'm not too terribly interested in CB, but, it would
>be very useful to be able jump down to those frequencies on the highway.
>Is that a pipe dream? or do some radios have that ability?

You'll have to upgrade to a Tech Plus license to use 10m, and of course it is illegal to use a ham rig on CB. CBs are cheap, so it is no great loss if it gets ripped off. So buy a separate CB if you want that capability.

>3) I think I have seen some auto-repeater equipment. If i'm guessing
>correctly this stuff can act as a repeater to something like a HT
>(handheld). Is this correct?

You bet! And that can be very useful.

>4) Is there a web-site that might be able to answer these kinds of
>questions? I have had a hard time finding one...

Each of the radio manufacturers has a website describing their products. A good starting point is to go to www.hamradio.com , that's Ham Radio Outlet's website, has their catalog online, and has links to all the manufacturer's websites.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

743. Re: IRS "Recruiting?"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiomatt@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981007074428.29499.00007069@ng26.aol.com>
Source record: 129911
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

>October 4, 1998
>
>An IRS "agent" in a police uniform? A trip to the IRS web site over the
>weekend revealed an IRS "recruiter" in what appears to be a police
>uniform. That picture, and much, much more, at the growing W8MMQ web
>site.
>
> http://www.qsl.net/w8mmq/
>
>You will also find links to the new and much improved Radio Free Lansing
>web site, which contains great free radio news, information, and links.
>
>73 de,
>Dan/W8MMQ
>w8mmq@juno.com
>

Sorry guy, but they gotcha. Couldn't get to the website.
If they let you have PCs at Lansing or Leavenworth, or Sing Sing, give us a new URL.
Thanks

744. Re: Looking for good ham-radio store in New York

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiomatt@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981007075229.29499.00007072@ng26.aol.com>
Source record: 129912

So would I, and I live here!
:-)
Actually ham radio is largely a suburban phenomenon here in the US, and the only "ham store" in Manhattan, Barry electronics, at 507 Broadway, has little to offer, and has received some pretty vicious criticism on the Internet for high prices and poor service.
I stopped going there regularly when Barry died and it was taken over by his wife.
If you can get away from New York, there's a Amateur Radio Outlet in New Castle, Delaware, 120 miles, but the current best store is Universal Radio in Columbus Ohio, some 650 miles away.
If you travel to Los Angeles, there are several good stores there.

There's enough to do in New York that you will not miss visiting Barry Electronics!

Matt

745. FS: FT-990 AC & Accessories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Preferred Customer <jskapiak@inficon.com>
Message-ID: <01bdf1e9$af6a5fa0$460ad30a@jskapiak.LI_SYR_PDC>
Source record: 129913
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

FT-990 AC, FIF-232C computer interface, and service manual. Radio is in very good - excellent condition with the latest version 1.3 ROM, standard 500 Hz and 2.4 Khz filters, hand mic, operator manual, etc.
Price $1100.00 + shipping or pick up near Syracuse, NY.

I can be reached at 315-677-5238 after 6:00 P.M. EDT or e-mail during the day at jskapiak@inficon.com

John K2SY

746. Re: Is My Kenwood TS-570D the G Version?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alan Glashan <alan.glashan@dundee.ncr.com>
Message-ID: <01bdf1e9$55543d60$af014999@user>
Source record: 129914

Those were my thoughts exactly!

Get a new toy and post to the newsgroup prior to opening the box? Hmm, the posting wouldn't have been my priority, looking to make sure all was OK inside would have been.

Alan

KF4OUZ <kf4ouz@bellsouth.net> wrote in article
<361976D8.FB3E9028@bellsouth.net>...
> open the box and find out. the g manual has a picture of a radio on it.
> and the extra menu numbers .
>
> Sheldon C. Shallon wrote:
>
> > I ordered a TS-570D(G). Today UPS delivered TS-570D S/N 00300075. Is
> > this the G version? Any other comments on this S/N? I have not yet
> > opened the carton.
> >
> > Any info will be much appreciated.
> > --
> > From Sheldon C. Shallon, Los Angeles, CA USA
> > Please address any reply or new mail to scs@ieee.org
>
>
>
>

747. TS 570S(G) VS IC 746?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: siamk@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981007082202.17351.00003950@ng58.aol.com>
Source record: 129915

I was wondering if anyone ever compared the two rigs side by side. I realize the 746 has two meters, but in general how do the two rigs compare. Which one has the best rcvr? I read the QST reviews, but I'm interested in actual long term use by some of you who might have used either of these rigs and had some educated opinions.

I'm about ready to upgrade rigs and I'm thinking about these two rigs. What do you say? Any comments would be appreciated.

Thanks and 73s

Mike
Newport News, VA

748. FS: BENCHER LOW PASS FILTER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: ku7s@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981007083935.24242.00007828@ng74.aol.com>
Source record: 129916

Bencher low pass filter 1.5 kw new in box. These filters are excellent in design and construction. >80 db atten. $45 shipped KU7S@aol.com

749. Re: ** TS830S a good rig? any/all opinions**

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bensol Muldoire <repanx@whipust.net>
Message-ID: <6vfnlc$12r$1@news3.mr.net>
Source record: 129917

I have used one for about 6 years now and have no plans to change or upgrade. It has arguably, the best receiver Kenwood ever made. It has a VBT (variable bandpass tuning) control that more expensive rcvrs don't have for narrowing down that bandpass gradually. A noise blanker that actually works and countless other features, all very useful and not just glitter. It covers ham bands only and SSB and CW only. I've had nothing but praise for my audio quality. I've run the receiver side by side with a Kenwood R-5000 and others and the 830 always has the better receive sensitivity. It's notch filter and IF shift controls very effectively remove various listening problems. I do use the VFO 240 for working those splits and one can still be found for about $125. I do recommend an external speaker and the SP230 with its filters is nice but not necessary. A good quality 4 to6 inch enclosed speaker is quite adequate. And its power supply is self contained, just plug it in and go. No extra 12 volt supply to buy. Tube finals, yes, but if you just want to listen, click the heater switch off and they aren't even used. I have friends with the TS 430 and 440 and while these are good too, they aren't as trouble free as the old 830 and they don't have that VBT control. In toto, you can't have mine but I see them out there now for close to $400. I paid $600 and would gladly do so again.

David Kritzberg wrote in message <361ADCD7.1DB5@mindspring.com>...
>Any opinions of fit/finish of this rig (TS830S) would be greatly
>appreciated

750. Re: WTB TVRO Dish

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: commengrs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981007090436.01128.00001987@ng137.aol.com>
Source record: 129918

have perfect 9ft where are you we re on
east coast

751. FS: (2) HT1000 UHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan <n7wpd@inconnect.com>
Message-ID: <6vfoee$fi4$1@news.inconnect.com>
Source record: 129919
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

2ea Motorola HT1000 UHF 450-520Mhz,16ch in good condition.
Model number for both radios is H01SDC9AA3BN. Original 16ch models, serial tags original.
Includes ntn7144 ultra high cap batteries. Dates codes 96 & 98.
No chargers.
Asking $600 for the pair or $325 each. OBO.
Prepayment by Postal money order.

Email if interested.

Dan

752. Re: Tech America

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Will White <wcw@asu.uswest.net>
Message-ID: <361B1FCE.41FB98C7@asu.uswest.net>
Source record: 129920
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Are you sure? The dual-band credit card HT for $79? Hard to believe that even covers wholesale! The best price I have seen at HRO and elsewhere is 169!

Jones wrote:

> T E I X E I R A wrote:
> >
> > I have used Tech America Mail order....No Sales Tax! They have
> > excellent sales also....They are selling the Alinco Credit Card sized 2
> > meter & 70 cm ht with speaker mike for $79.
>
> In Phoenix they had a full page ad in the Phoenix Republic with a
> circulation of 500,000+ and that ht was prominently pictured. I suspect
> they will sell many to non hams. Thats a good way to get the bands
> populated....

--
Will White, KD7BFX

753. Re: Tech America

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Will White <wcw@asu.uswest.net>
Message-ID: <361B2038.556A00BF@asu.uswest.net>
Source record: 129921
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Jeffrey Herman wrote:

> Do car salesmen check to see if a buyer is licensed?

Yes, in fact they do, and must, by law.

--
Will White, KD7BFX

754. Re: For Sale!- Yaesu FRDX-400SD.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pinky and The Brain <odin@webspan.net>
Message-ID: <6vft71$he5@news.webspan.net>
Source record: 129922
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

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The unit has been spoken for!! TNX to all that inquired!!
Pinky and The Brain wrote in message <6vbbmo$bub@news.webspan.net>...
>Unit is 'Ratty' but functional with all options. Cabinet is repainted Black
>and has small, capped hole drilled in front panel. $100.00 U-Ship. Matching
>speaker available $25.00
>
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755. DSP-599zx and JPS-NIR12

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: brianb@velocity.net
Message-ID: <362077f1.8929926@news.velocity.net>
Source record: 129923

I own a Drake-R8 and Im interested in those that have or do own the above DSP's. I would like to have your opinion on the results of your experiances with either of the above DSP units.

1) What unit have you owned or experianced using?

2) Did you find the additional expense a significant enhancement to your listening pleasure of AM, USB/LSB or utility stations?

3) How dificult did you find in using this unit?

4) Any other information that you feel is notable?

Thanks very much for your participation as Im obviously considering the addition of a DSP unit for my Drake R-8.

Sincerely,
Brian

To send me Email remove xx's and quotes, Thanks!
"brianb@xx.xx.xx.velocity.net"

756. Re: Vintage Gay Erotic Magazines for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: jder8745@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981007102507.16332.00003560@ng133.aol.com>
Source record: 129924

No, Thanks.

757. Re: ??? About SWR/Power Meter for 70cm ATV

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: bdiaz@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6vjhfq$73u$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129676

In article <3669de71.427990571@news.atl.bellsouth.net>,
ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman) wrote:
> On Wed, 07 Oct 1998 21:54:59 GMT, bdiaz@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> >All of the 70cm SWR/Power Meters I've seen are listed as "440 MHz".
> >However, the ATV frequency is 426.25 (symplex) for the Southern California
> >area. I can't find any specifications on the frequency range of these
> >meters. So, I don't know if they'll work correctly in the lower half of
> >the 70cm band.
> >
> >Will the lower frequency pose a problem for these meters?
>
> No. But some of the meters may not be as good as advertised.
> At UHF, you have to be a bit careful to get a quality meter if you
> want reasonable accuracy. The Bird 43 with the appropriate
> slug is the best choice short of laboratory grade equipment.

Could you please explain what is, "reasonable accuracry".
Would it be plus or minus 5%, 10%, 20%, . . . ?
I saw one meter advertised as being plus or minus 10%.
So, if that translates into an SWR reading of 1.1:1 as meaning
anything from 1:1 to 1.2:1, that will at least tell me my antenna
is in reasonable shape. On the other hand, if the reading is
plus or minus 50%, an SWR of 1.5:1 would be meaningless number
and I couldn't be sure of anything.

I will take a look at the Bird meter and maybe purchase 2 meters.
A high quality one to make sure things are really OK and an
"el cheap-o" to take in the field, just to make sure things aren't
too out of wack.

73,

Bob
KQ6WQ

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

758. DRAKE RV75 SYNTHESIZED VFO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: cslc82@email.mot.com
Message-ID: <361d3f2b.5044463@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 129677

Drake RV75 synthesized VFO with operator's manual and schematic. Unit works fine and is in 9+ cosmetic condition. $600.00

759. Kenwood TS-570 Tips and Tricks Web Site?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Sheldon C. Shallon" <scs@ieee.org>
Message-ID: <361D3A0E.33A@ieee.org>
Source record: 129678

Is there a Web site of tips and tricks for the Kenwood TS-570?

760. sell/trade IBM laser for ham eq

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: cslc82@email.mot.com
Message-ID: <36204065.5357974@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 129679

IBM (Lexmark) 4019 Laser Printer, great shape, works fine.
With Post Script ROM card and two toner cartridges.
$200 + freight or consider trade for ham eq., eg hi power transmatch

761. Re: Anyone still love the hobby

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: William Phinizy <k6whp@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6vjgn2igh1@news-2.news.gte.net>
Source record: 129680
Cross-posted to: att.ham-radio,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.spa

Larry,

Been there, done that (got the t-shirt).

May I humbly and sincerely suggest QRP -- particularly the kit-building aspect. There's a ton of folks out there that are doing same. Hell, there's even a project on the web (elmer 101) based on a cheap kit. If you would like some more info, I'd be happy to send it along.

..I'm not, by the way, a shill for any commercial interest, just an enthusiastic practioner..

72..
larryc@northwest.com wrote in message <3617AC13.2818@northwest.com>...
>dunno yet. i withdrew for almost ten years, gettting tired of dealing
>with appliance operators, shit neighbors, and cb-ham operators.... guess
>it's a sign of the times. now i'm getting involved again, dusting off the
>tube transceivers and stringing up dipoles. i hv no interest in the
>biggest/best/powerful. just having some basic fun.
>
>--------
>
>JOHN WARD wrote:
>>
>> Just courious is anyone still enjoy the hobby? If so get on the air and
>> make some contacts encourage someone else to join the hobby and realize
it
>> is a hobby and not a career. 73's DE W3OJ
>>
>> PS. Help some young one along the way!!!!!!

762. Re: VHF/UHF base for less than 1K$?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan K Nelson <kf6knb@usa.net>
Message-ID: <6vjfs1$9ta$1@news-1.news.gte.net>
Source record: 129681

Nope...

Alan Dye wrote in message <6vistk$a0k$1@ocean.cup.hp.com>...
>I've been a ham for about 2 years now. I started out with an Alinco
dual-band
>handheld and it's been pretty good. Over time, I've aquired a Yaesu
FRG-100B
>to listen to Shortwave, and recently a Yaesu FT-840 in anticipation of
moving
>to a general ticket before year end. I'm really pleased with all these
>radios but I've been wondering lately if someone makes a radio that:
>
>Is basically a FT-840 (conceptually) for VHF/UHF. Essentially,
>
>50 mhz
>144 mhz
>220 mhz
>440 mhz
>1.2 and up (optional)
>
>runs 5-25 watts
>FM Mode
>100 memories
>
>internal or external power supply
>
>about the size of a FRG-100 or an FT-840. Less than $800 u.s. dollars
>
>Basically a VHF/UHF entry-level base station? I don't want to do EME
>or anything fancy with it, just a nice base station. There are 2m/70cm
>mobiles out there for around 4-500$, but that's really not what I want.
>
>Does anyone make such a beast?
>

763. Need Kenwood 232C info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dennis Jacobson <n6ng@sj.bigger.net>
Message-ID: <361D4227.5960@sj.bigger.net>
Source record: 129682

Anyone have any paper information on the Kenwood 232C? I would be glad
to pay for copying and mailing of any information that came with this
item. Thanks much
--
73... Dennis N6NG
(Remove XX from my "Reply Address" to respond)
http://www.geocities.com/Area51/Hollow/7388/
Retired: Just another road kill on the Information Highway.

764. Re: Opinions Wanted on Antenna Tuners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: KF4OUZ <kf4ouz@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <361D48DB.D040BFD1@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 129683
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: vcard.vcf

If your antenna is cut to the frequency you use most there is no need for a tuner.

Kevin Fisher wrote:

> I am looking for an antenna tuner. I have decided on maybe a MFJ 949E
> or the Vectronics VC300DLP tuners.
>
> I am interested in hearing why I may choose one over another ?
>
> Are there any other tuners that may be in a similar range that may be worth
> considering.
>
> I am running Kenwood TS140S with 20m dipole ..
>
> Thanks
> Kevin Fisher VE6OXR
> Edmonton Alberta Canada
> klfisher@compusmart.ab.ca

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

765. Re: Kenwood TS-570 Tips and Tricks Web Site?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: KF4OUZ <kf4ouz@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <361D4B2D.87CA9BA@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 129684
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: vcard.vcf

It sounds to me like your trying really hard for the GOLDEN SCREWDRIVER
award...
Youd be better off sending for the service manual that list ALL the MODs
for this radio.
Power up alc up the list goes on and on...

Sheldon C. Shallon wrote:

> Is there a Web site of tips and tricks for the Kenwood TS-570?

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

766. FS: Hewlett Packard Vectra XM 486DX2-66 Computers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeddlj@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981008193328.16376.00007992@ng-fc1.aol.com>
Source record: 129685

Have for sale: Hewlett Packard model Vectra XM 486DX2-66 (Intel Processor) - computers- 16mb of Ram, 450mb IDE Hard drive, 3-1/2-1.44 floppy, 2-ISA, 2 PCI slots, 2 serial ports, 1 printer port, small outline desktop, 1MB SVGA on board, keyboard and mouse - $150.00ea. - with matching 1024-14.5" SVGA monitor-$200.00-quanity available - quantity pricing available.
73 de Dave K4DLJ Darlington, SC

767. FS: Voice Logging Recorders

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3jpu@erols.com
Message-ID: <361e4bf8.8468662@news.erols.com>
Source record: 129686

I have some Racal Wordsafe VHS voice logging recorders for sale or trade.

These are recorders used by 911 centers and other applications for recording Radio and/or Telephone. These units record 32 channels on 2 T160 VHS tapes for 48+ hours (24+ hours per tape with automatic change over). The dimensions are 19" wide, 8.75" high.

The recorders on playback can automatically fast forward or reverse to the next message, play it and then go on to the next messages. Microprocessor controlled with many features. I can e-mail additional info if interested.

I have 2 rackmount recorders and 1 desktop version (and a 4th for spares).

All units are in extremely clean and have shipping boxes. These recorders originally sold for about $25K new. These were trade-in's that we took back and I can only get rid of them for hobbyist use (i.e. SWL, Scanning or Ham).

So if are looking for a professional way to record multiple radios this is it. They also work great as an audio multiplex unit as you can listen live to any combination of channels.

I am interested in trading for high quality radio equipment (commercial or mil-spec radio's, Ham equipment (looking for a 50 Mhz and 144 Mhz Amp of 400+ watts), wideband V/UHF receivers). Or possibly cash of $1000-$1500 plus shipping from MD.

Gary
N3JPU

768. Icom IC-551D and IC-720A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: reedg@nwlink.com
Message-ID: <6vjl25$r5s$1@texas.nwlink.com>
Source record: 129687

What's a good price for these radios in very good condition?

Gail
KC8V / 7

769. seeking yaesu hand-held

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: davidg@pilot.infi.net
Message-ID: <6vjmo7$4dm$1@nw003t.infi.net>
Source record: 129688

looking for a yaesu ft-530 and mh-29a2b - please e-mail

770. Re: ??? About SWR/Power Meter for 70cm ATV

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ralph Mowery <rmowery@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <361D5388.BCE6BCC@ibm.net>
Source record: 129689

> >
> > No. But some of the meters may not be as good as advertised.
> > At UHF, you have to be a bit careful to get a quality meter if you
> > want reasonable accuracy. The Bird 43 with the appropriate
> > slug is the best choice short of laboratory grade equipment.
>
> Could you please explain what is, "reasonable accuracry".
> Would it be plus or minus 5%, 10%, 20%, . . . ?
> I saw one meter advertised as being plus or minus 10%.
> So, if that translates into an SWR reading of 1.1:1 as meaning
> anything from 1:1 to 1.2:1, that will at least tell me my antenna
> is in reasonable shape. On the other hand, if the reading is
> plus or minus 50%, an SWR of 1.5:1 would be meaningless number
> and I couldn't be sure of anything.

The Bird (which is the standard everyone seems to go by) specifies 5% of the reading if you are above 20 % of the minimum reading. Too many people worry about the SWR being an exect value. As long as it is below 2:1 it is not worth worring about in mostr cases. People just don't seem to be able to understand that getting in the ballpark is usally good enough for the antenna work as long as the transmitter will load.

771. FS: Alinco Credit Card 2-meter with weather and aircraft bands - NEW

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J.R. Hehnly" <jarman@ionet.net>
Message-ID: <6vjpfd$84$1@supernews.com>
Source record: 129690

I have 10 of these with the extra clip on speaker/mic selling on ebay
starting at $79.99.
They are brand new in box.
The link is:
http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=33734420

772. FT-50R Batt. Drain

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Perri <jperri@aros.net>
Message-ID: <361D7E5B.DF079830@aros.net>
Source record: 129691

Anyone know the mod for keeping the battery from being drained in the
off position on the FT-50R.
I am getting near 10 ma. drain in the off position.

Tnx

JMP

773. Re: force 12 antennas any good??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bubba <kf9yh@netnitco.net>
Message-ID: <6vjsru$11g$1@hyperion.nitco.com>
Source record: 129692

>> Hello
>> After a long separation from my wife and loosing my hf beam in the
>> process,i was interested in the c-3 from force 12.
>> Does anyone have any comments on this subject?
>> thanking you in advance
>> marc
>> ve9yj
>
>
>It is my understanding that the C3 is an
>excellent performer.
> Gary - KN0V

Got one at 45 feet, love, and wouldn't part
with it for the world....

Bob - KF9YH

774. Re: Comments on the ft-690 6m all mode?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOHN WARD <HITECH@EROLS.COM>
Message-ID: <6vjtet$ol5$1@winter.news.erols.com>
Source record: 129693

depends on if you want to work am or ssb and if you have space for a decent
antenna
George A. M. wrote in message <361D2CB8.EE2D4E7@mediaone.net>...
>Have a chance to get one of these. Should I??
>
>--
>Geo
>n1naz@amsat.org
>
>

775. Ham Gear for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Buddy Mclawhorn <buddymclawhorn@sprintmail.com>
Message-ID: <361D7869.EAF@sprintmail.com>
Source record: 129694

I have several pieces of equiptment for sale.
Would like to sale as a package but will seperate.

Kenwood TS 140 hf rig----------500.00
Bird watt meter (no slug type)----------100.00
Yaesu Freq counter----------100.00

Motorolla service monitor----------500.00
Not a generator but for testing tx.(freq,deveation,tone)

Hamtronics kit repeater. Works great, just turn it on and your up.
Built in controller and ider.----------150.00

CAT 1000B repeater controler. This is a new unit. Never been in
operation.----------500.00

If there is any Items you would like to know more about e-mail me.

Buddy Mclawhorn KC4UMO

buddymclawhorn@sprintmail.com

776. Re: Grundig YachtBoy 400 vs. Sony ICF-SW7600G

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Watry <mwatry@shrike.depaul.edu>
Message-ID: <361D7FB6.DFF@shrike.depaul.edu>
Source record: 129695
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

Anyone ever hear of the Grundig YB500? I picked one up in Spain this spring, and have been pretty happy with it (although I don't have anything to compare it to). It sounds like you can't get them in the US. I was trying to find one of the Satellit 700 radios, but I don't think Grundig makes them anymore...

Mike
Adam Dubin wrote:
>
> The YB400 P.E. (Professional Edition; I just love those names!) is the
> identical radio to the YB400, except for the titanium finish and
> inclusion of an inferior type of wall wart adapter (lots of hum; the
> recommended Radio Shack model is much better). Grundig (actually,
> Lextronics) is discontinuing the YB400 in favor of the P.E.
>
> Durham Radio (in Ontario): http://www.durhamradio.com/ is currently
> having a sale on both YB400s; the YB400 is about $134 (US) + shipping.
>
> Adam
>
> On 5 Oct 1998 04:25:20 GMT, nmp4846@garnet.acns.fsu.edu (Noelle
> Prosper) wrote:
>
> >I have a Grundig YatchBoy 400, and it works Great. It also does have SSB.
> >I beleive Grundig just came out with a new version "Grundig Yatchboy 400 PRO",
> >something like that. You might want to check it out. The tag price is around
> >$200.
> >
>

777. need service manual for Yaesu FT 2400

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nancy Rabel Hall <kc4iyd@geocities.com>
Message-ID: <361D7E75.26EA11EE@geocities.com>
Source record: 129696

Hello,

Does anyone have a service manual for the Yaesu FT 2400
mobile rig? I am specifically looking for information
regarding changing of the lightbulbs in the radio. The
bulbs on the front panel are burnt out which makes it
interesting trying to figure which frequency you are on
in the evenings. Plus, before opening the radio, I would
like to have an idea of what is involved, where the bulbs
are located, what bulbs types I need to get.
In the past, I have gotten into trouble opening radios
without a service manual, especially with a handheld that
contained a spring which popped out and got lost if
you didn't know to watch out for it before the radio
was opened.

So if anyone can email me or send me a copy of the page
that discusses replacing the light bulb, I would appreciate
it. I have the manual that came with the radio but it
doesn't talk about replacing the bulb. I also don't want
to send the radio to Yaesu since this seems like a simple
job and nothing else is wrong with the radio.

Please email me below if you can help.
Thanks and 73 de kc4iyd

Nancy
kc4iyd@geocities.com

778. Re: ??? About SWR/Power Meter for 70cm ATV

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@groucho.cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <6vk0m8$1jp@groucho.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 129697

bdiaz@my-dejanews.com writes:
>I saw one meter advertised as being plus or minus 10%.
>So, if that translates into an SWR reading of 1.1:1 as meaning
>anything from 1:1 to 1.2:1, that will at least tell me my antenna
>is in reasonable shape. On the other hand, if the reading is
>plus or minus 50%, an SWR of 1.5:1 would be meaningless number
>and I couldn't be sure of anything.

The spec probably means that the indicated *power* is plus or minus
10%, with the SWR varying over whatever range is implied by that much
power uncertainty.

Dave

779. Re: FT-50R Batt. Drain

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@groucho.cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <6vk0ta$1kc@groucho.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 129698

"Bill Smith" <bs@BSartist.com> writes:
>Replace existing resistor at location D2-102 with Yaesu P/N J24185563.
>Replace existing resistor at location R2-103 with Yaesu P/N J24185103.

>3. Yaesu will send you these parts FREE if you call their Parts Dept. at
>(562)404-2700 (Yaesu USA) BUT, does anyone know if there is a readily
>available substitute part(s) for this application ?

They are standard surface mount resistors. I would *guess* that the last
three digits in the Yaesu part numbers are the resistor code, so that
would make these one 56K and one 10K ohm resistor.

>5. You'll know you radio has a problem if it loses a charge in a week or two
>with battery attached.

Other method: measure battery drain with a meter. It should be well under
1 mA with the radio off.

Dave

780. FS: Kenwood TS-940S/AT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Walter Fairclough <wfairclo@netcom.ca>
Message-ID: <0yfT1.4981$YP5.11111116@tor-nn1.netcom.ca>
Source record: 129699
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Kenwood TS940S/AT (s/n 10M +) with all filters, voice synthesizer, IF 232-C computer interface with IC-10B, MC60A mic, manuals & boxes. Non-smoker Excellent condition. Asking $1200 (US) plus shipping & insurance.
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Walter - VE3EN
wfairclo@netcom.ca

781. FS: Yaesu FTH-7008 Commercial/Uniden/Realistic radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffrey@executivesolutionsgrp.com
Message-ID: <jeffrey-0810982024330001@pool034-max8.ds14-ca-us.dialup.earthlink.net>
Source record: 129700
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have the following radios for sale. All in good condition and working order.
****

6 Yaesu FTH-7008 UHF handheld radios. Multi-channel with scan function.
(new $679.00 each) Comes with 12 Batteries 1 Yaesu 6 station bank charger
#NC-33 and programming kit for PC programming.

$1400.00 complete.

****
5 Uniden SPU416K UHF handheld radios. Multi-channel with scan function.
Comes with 12 batteries, 1 rapid charger and 6 desk chargers.

$400.00 complete.

****

5 Realistic PRS100 handheld radios. 2 channel. Comes with 12 batteries
and 5 wall chargers.

$250.00 complete

Please contact me via email or at the number below for additional information.

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Jeffrey Cox
Executive Solutions Group, LLC
8400 Maple Place, Suite 102
Rancho Cucamonga, CA 91730
(909) 484-2001 Licensed Investigators: PI20729

782. Wanted: FT 900 un-mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: n7kn <n7kn@ptinet.net>
Message-ID: <361D8847.950754DE@ptinet.net>
Source record: 129701

My 900 is opened up. I want to remove the mod and restore factory
defaults.
It seems my automatic tuner stopped working after the mod was done.
I had a printout of this mod somewhere, but I lost it in my shack (read;
junk box).
Thanks in advance.

783. WTB Yaesu FT 900 CW filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: n7kn <n7kn@ptinet.net>
Message-ID: <361D895B.16C7E725@ptinet.net>
Source record: 129702

Looking for 500Hz CW filter for Yaesu ft 900. Part number is XF-110C.
Best price I can find is $144.95. Anyone have a used one they could
part with?

784. 2m HT Amplifer NEW fs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marc Robins <marc29400@vmicro.com>
Message-ID: <361d8da9.0@news.vmicro.com>
Source record: 129703

2m HT Amplifer NEW for sale

2m HT power amplifier for sale. Radio Shack compact amplifier for mobile or base operation. Includes receiver pre-amp built-in. 0.5-5w input gives up to

30w output. Operates on 13.8 vdc. NEW IN THE BOX! $50.

73 de WA6NJR
Marc

785. Vacuum Variable Capacitor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: cdfarr <cdfarr@anv.net>
Message-ID: <6vk3ohjqo2@supernews.com>
Source record: 129704

Greetings!

I'm in search of a Jennings 3/8" drive, 365 pf, 4000 volt, vacuum variable capacitor to
replace one broken during last move.

Please copy responses to <TOMWING@juno.com> with details.

Thanks!

73,

Chuck, W6AJW

786. Re: Tech America

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jones <Jones@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <361D9208.3BEC@nomail.com>
Source record: 129705
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

They had another ad for the Alinco 2m or 440 ht (with speaker/mike) for $79 today in Phoenix. The ad was a 1/4 page and featured a picture of the unit. (Among about 6 other items) To their credit the fine print said FCC amateur radio license required. Because of their low power I suspect non ham buyers won't be a big threat to local repeaters. Probably the main non ham use would be for hinting and car to car caravan ect. communications. At that price the business band ht's won't even compete. They must have been a big dump on the market. I see a guy has 10 of em for sale on ebay....same price. Maybe a Tech American in ham disguise???

787. SGC doesn't guarantee specifications, warranty is worhtless.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: qwasty@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6vh1jjept1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129741

"Specifications listed represent optimal conditions and are not subject to warranty. All SGC products must be used with compatible equipment."

Specifications not subject to warranty? This was the first thing I noticed on SGC's website after they remodeled it (http://www.sgcworld.com). SGC used to have a damn solid reputation but I think this changes things. Are they going the way of asian junk? I planned on making some purchases in the near future with SGC but I'll go where I get guarantees for my $1000's. Hopefully an SGC representative will see this post and fix it while I'm still in the market for some new radios.

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

788. AEA Wanted $$ Radio Link - Controller

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: romdezvous@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981007202527.03622.00000155@ng-fi1.aol.com>
Source record: 129742

Hello, I've searched high and low, and can't find an AEA Radio Link. It's been discontinued for about 2 years. That's the name of this unit that can control an HF rig remotely, by a 2 meter handheld. You will have an instant customer if you've got one for sale at a reasonable price. Please make sure the owners manual is available. It would be impossible to program the computer port without it! Contact Orlin KO6PX at 909-517-1107, or email orlin@calserve.com . Thanks, and 73's,

789. Ham radio and new Accords/Camrys

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: usc95@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981007203357.20474.00000467@ng69.aol.com>
Source record: 129743

Anyone have experience installing or using HF/VHF/UHF rigs in new Accords or Camrys?

Michael

790. FS: LOTS of Drake crystals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3bj@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6vh3hu$i76$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129744
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchor,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale: Crystals for the Drake T4* and R4* rigs. Subtract 11.1 Mhz for operating freq. Some ham band, some SWL. For sale as a lot only, please no requests for individual xtals

Crystal freq. in Mhz - qty.

12.5 - 1
12.6 - 6 (160M)
13.1 - 2
13.5 - 1
15.4 - 1
17.1 - 1
18.6 - 1
19.1 - 1
19.6 - 1
21.1 - 2 (30M)
21.6 - 1
23.1 - 1
25.0 - 1
25.1 - 1 (20M)
25.6 - 3
26.1 - 2
26.1 - 1
27.1 - 1
28.1 - 1
30.6 - 1
31.1 - 1
31.6 - 2
32.6 - 1
35.6 - 1
38.1 - 6 (CB)
38.6 - 3 (CB)
39.1 - 4 (10CW)
40.6 - 1 (10 high)

$203 shipped

Alan, N3BJ
Bent Mountain, VA

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791. FS: TenTec Omni A to B mod kit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3bj@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6vh4bmjrl1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129745
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale: Rare TenTec Omni "A" to "B" conversion kit, a real piece of nostalgia. Replaces squelch with notch and allows selection of CW filter. Complete, still in the bag, with original instructions, in original box.

$33 shipped

Alan, N3BJ
Bent Mountain, VA

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http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

792. FS: YAESU FT-1000D ORIGINAL MANUAL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: radioeg@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981007204407.18741.00004534@ng113.aol.com>
Source record: 129746

YAESU FT-1000D ORIGINAL LIKE NEW FOR $25.00 SHIPPED
ED

793. Re: TS 570S(G) VS IC 746?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Seth Miller <seth.miller@NOSPAMworldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <361C0AF7.8E9C7B3E@NOSPAMworldnet.att.net>
Source record: 129747

Ooops, after posting my message I realized that my comparison was to the
870S, not the 570. Sorry...

Seth Miller wrote:
>
> I'm afraid that I can't comment on long-term use, just several hours in the
> store working with both radios. Admittedly this is a flawed test due to the
> short duration, and both radios seemed to perform very well overall, but my
> impression was that the IC-746 had a slight (but noticeable) edge in
> sensitivity, and had somewhat cleaner audio. The ICOM DSP noise reduction
> seemed to be more effective than the 570 as well.
>
> One advantage of the 570 is the DSP high/low pass filter which supposedly
> 'eliminates the need for filters'. I rather doubt that this is the case (yet
> - but I'm sure technology will get us there eventually), but even with the
> hyperbole, the DSP filter on the Kenwood did seem to be a little more
> effective than the analog 'twin-passband tuning' on the Icom when dealing
> with very strong adjacent signals. But then again for the price difference,
> you could add some narrow SSB filters to the Icom in which case I think it
> would provide superior performance to most of the 'no filters needed' radios
> - or at least that's my theory... The DSP worked quite well on both radios in
> providing a narrow CW passband, I'm not sure that either radios would need a
> narrow analog CW filter for most uses.
>
> Bottom line, I bought the '746, but not because I could find any flaws with
> the Kenwood. The Icom just felt (and sounded) better to me...
>
> - Seth
>
> SIAMK wrote:
> >
> > I was wondering if anyone ever compared the two rigs side by side. I realize
> > the 746 has two meters, but in general how do the two rigs compare. Which one
> > has the best rcvr? I read the QST reviews, but I'm interested in actual long
> > term use by some of you who might have used either of these rigs and had some
> > educated opinions.
> >
> > I'm about ready to upgrade rigs and I'm thinking about these two rigs. What do
> > you say? Any comments would be appreciated.
> >
> > Thanks and 73s
> >
> > Mike
> > Newport News, VA

794. FS KW EZE Match Antenna Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Asp <larry.asp@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <361C0E91.1BE8@sympatico.ca>
Source record: 129748
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,

KW EZE Match Antenna Tuner. 80 - 10 meter, handles up to 350 watts input. Like new condition. $50.00 plus shipping.

795. Re: F/S TEN-TEC 1320 QRP TXCR by T-Kit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kerr <ka8egs@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6vh3s0$q0l@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 129749

SOLD

73

796. Re: 10 meter mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: teenham@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981007212620.12755.00007968@ng13.aol.com>
Source record: 129750

>I'm still looking for a 10 meter moblie. Any for sale?

Hi there. I have a Realistic HTX-100 which covers 26-30 MHz SSB/CW. Please
let me know. Thanks.

73
Eugene Davydov
N3ZVM

797. Re: ****For Sale: Alinco DJ-C5 Dual Band Credit Card HT ($130)****

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: fun4sume@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981007212726.04114.00007471@ng25.aol.com>
Source record: 129751

>Subject: ****For Sale: Alinco DJ-C5 Dual Band Credit Card HT ($130)****

Do you still have this?
If so ,im interested.

798. Re: Icom radio and heathkit Amp for trade or sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: fun4sume@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981007212906.04114.00007472@ng25.aol.com>
Source record: 129752

>Heathkit SB-200 1.2 Kw amp and a 2 kw

How much for the amp?

799. WTB TEN TEC 234 SPEECH PROCESSOR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: rhka0fbj@netins.net
Message-ID: <6vh4qdqiv1@ins8.netins.net>
Source record: 129753
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

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Net-Tamer V 1.10 - Test Drive
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800. Re: New ICOM 706MkII Microphone Gain Low?, Please Help.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: W9FL <tbrock@execpc.com>
Message-ID: <6vh662$5mh@newsops.execpc.com>
Source record: 129754

Craig <cpu_nut@yahoo.com> wrote:
>I recently got an Icom 706MkII, and I need some help with a question:
>
>In my opinion the Mic gain seems kind of low. If I have the compressor
>off, and the output power on (H)igh on HF SSB, I need to turn the Mic
>gain all the way to (H)igh and then talk very loud touching the Mic to
>get even minimal ALC action. If I turn on the compressor, then I can
>set the Mic gain to about 5, but I still need to talk louder than I
>would consider normal. I am using the stock hand Mic.
>
>Is this just my radio, of is this common to 706MkIIs?
>
>I only have a day left to swap it out at HRO, so any opinions are
>appreciated.
>
>Thanks in advance,
>
>Craig

Craig;

The stock mike is a noise cancelling type.
It is made to be very close to your mouth. Some people have said they brush their mustache with it when they talk. I have the plain old 706. When the 706 first came out, there was a lot of talk in this news group about the same "problem" with the stock mike. There is a mod where you remove a rubber disk inside the mike to improve on this.

This is not really a defect, the mike was intentionally made this way to be used in a high noise mobile environment.

I have an SM-8 mike that I use with it. Works fine.

W9FL, Tom

801. wanted 1200 transveter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: kable guy minn <n0mnb@minn.net>
Message-ID: <01bdf23b$c8820b80$7c5910d0@default>
Source record: 129755

looking for 1200 transverter from downeast used

n0mnb@minn.net

802. EBAY-Kenwood TS-530S w/CW Cheep!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981007225637.07734.00007870@ng20.aol.com>
Source record: 129756

Hi Guys;
I have a Mint Kenwood TS-530S with CW filter on EBAY. Please consider bidding
on it! its only now at $335.00
URL>>
http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=33777468

Thanks es 73..........RICH-WA2RQY RLUCCH2098@aol.com
Web-Page URL> HTTP://members.aol.com/rlucch2098/index.html

803. Re: 20 Brand New 6146Ws made by GE for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: <>
Message-ID: <6vhbdm$4rq$1@news.harvard.net>
Source record: 129757
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Will radio hobbies always be plagued by price police? Perhaps one might drive back to Dayton again, yes?

>I bought 2 of these new 6146W's and a new 12BY7A driver tube at Dayton
>all for $40.

804. Re: 4sale: 144/220 dual band Standard HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: k6kmt@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981007232426.17274.00005073@ng29.aol.com>
Source record: 129758

Hi Travis,

Long time no hear :-) I hope you are doing well.

I am just now running accross your posting of
9-30 for the 228a. If you still have it... I am
interested. Maybe we can get together this
weekend.

73,

Tom, K6KMT
email here on aol or tom_campbell@hp.com
650-857 5729 days
408 377 1845

805. ICOM 745 Mint Condition

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: mts@plix.com
Message-ID: <6vhh0q$807$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129759
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For sale ICOM 745 with Electronic Keyer and FM, Factory updates and alignment completed.

Fully adjustable AGC, noise blanker, VOX. All modes, AM is Rx only (by design). MARS/CAP modifiable, can even haven it done if needed.

This rig doesn't have a scratch! Includes Box, DC power cord, hand mic, Operators manual.

A very good buy at $525, I'll even pay shipping charges in the Cont. US.

Any questions, or for a picture, please email.

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806. FS: ICOM 745 Mint Condition

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: mts@plix.com
Message-ID: <6vhh1n$80c$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129760
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For sale ICOM 745 with Electronic Keyer and FM, Factory updates and alignment completed.

Fully adjustable AGC, noise blanker, VOX. All modes, AM is Rx only (by design). MARS/CAP modifiable, can even haven it done if needed.

This rig doesn't have a scratch! Includes Box, DC power cord, hand mic, Operators manual.

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Any questions, or for a picture, please email.

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807. Free ham radio equipment auctions...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: spfldham@aol.com
Message-ID: <6vh9p0rqs1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129761

To place free online ham radio equipment auctions and classified ads, visit:
http://kc0cgu.webjump.com

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808. Re: Tech America

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: ronfisher1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981007234502.12756.00008396@ng13.aol.com>
Source record: 129762

Not the dual band for $79 It's the 2meter or the 440 at $79ea.These are seperate units.

809. Re: 20 Brand New 6146Ws made by GE for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris <ck5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <361C3EFD.400E@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 129763
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

@ime.net wrote:
>
> Will radio hobbies always be plagued by price police? Perhaps one might
> drive back to Dayton again, yes?
>
> >I bought 2 of these new 6146W's and a new 12BY7A driver tube at Dayton
> >all for $40.
Thank you. I was informed that the difference was that these were in GE
Original boxes and the others JAN. ALL 20 TUBES WERE SOLD FOR $300
Thank you to all who pointed out the difference I thought I had a good
deal and I took a loss. 73 Chris

810. Re: Tech America

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Arthur H. Wertz" <artwertz@express-news.net>
Message-ID: <361C4677.B1CEFA1F@express-news.net>
Source record: 129764
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Depends on what state you are in!!!
In 50 some years of car-buying, I have NEVER had a dealer ask
for a driver's license!!!
--
Art Wertz N5AEN
artwertz@express-news.net
http://www.qsl.net/~n5aen

811. Re: Tech America

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Arthur H. Wertz" <artwertz@express-news.net>
Message-ID: <361C46C2.D9F7C807@express-news.net>
Source record: 129765
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

How could you have insurance on your first car if you couldn't tell
the insurance company what kind of car you had????

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Art Wertz N5AEN
artwertz@express-news.net
http://www.qsl.net/~n5aen

812. Re: Tech America

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Arthur H. Wertz" <artwertz@express-news.net>
Message-ID: <361C474D.F24FA47C@express-news.net>
Source record: 129766
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

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The dealer does NOT have to register the car!!!
If you have amateur tags, the tags go with the car and it is the
buyer's responsibility to get the records changed.

--
Art Wertz N5AEN
artwertz@express-news.net
http://www.qsl.net/~n5aen
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813. Re: Tech America

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Arthur H. Wertz" <artwertz@express-news.net>
Message-ID: <361C47B1.5CC0A878@express-news.net>
Source record: 129767
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

If you buy a car and let the dealer register it, you are being
sucked
into paying him a service fee for something you can do for free!!
You only have to pay the registration fee.

--
Art Wertz N5AEN
artwertz@express-news.net
http://www.qsl.net/~n5aen

814. Re: 20 Brand New 6146Ws made by GE for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris <ck5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <361C5D17.71C5@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 129768
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Chris wrote:
>
> New in box made in 1987 by General Electric. I have 20 of them for
> sale.
> $26 each. 73 Chris VE3NGW/W4 Florida
All 20 sold at $15 a piece.

815. Re: ** TS830S a good rig? any/all opinions**

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sam Taylor <cygnet@cncnet.com>
Message-ID: <361c6bfd$0$11056@nntp.quiknet.com>
Source record: 129769

KO6JQ writes;
One small problem that plaqued the 525/820/830
was the ground on the if board but a little alchahol
as a small pice of solder wick braid on the board to chasis usually solved
the frequency hopping.
overall a great rig
cygnet@cncnet.com 73 Sam

816. Re: ??? About SWR/Power Meter for 70cm ATV

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sam Taylor <cygnet@cncnet.com>
Message-ID: <361c6cc4$0$11056@nntp.quiknet.com>
Source record: 129770

de KO6JQ; NO any meter thats good @440
wiil be good @ frequencies from 200-500 MC
cygnet@cncnet.com 73 Sam
bdiaz@my-dejanews.com wrote in message <6vgnvjusb1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>All of the 70cm SWR/Power Meters I've seen are listed as "440 MHz".
>However, the ATV frequency is 426.25 (symplex) for the Southern California
>area. I can't find any specifications on the frequency range of these
>meters. So, I don't know if they'll work correctly in the lower half of
>the 70cm band.
>
>Will the lower frequency pose a problem for these meters?
>
>
>------------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
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817. web http://www.antenna.it

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: i5jva <giovannini@antenna.it>
Message-ID: <01bdf23c74317600a99367c3@default>
Source record: 129771

PLEASE VISIT OUR WEB http://www.antenna.it

818. Used 6JS6 FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Ward <don@kay-dee.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <ql7vmBAg6GH2Ew+b@kay-dee.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 129772

If any one in the UK needs some cheap used 6JS6s I will have some
matched pairs at the Wakefield rally this weekend on the RAFARS stand.
ï¿½5 per pair sound good?. I also have a couple of new PA anode chokes for
the FT101 etc.

Don Ward G0MDO

819. ICOM PC control

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pierre Pastorello <pastorello.ingerop@alpes-net.fr>
Message-ID: <01bdf2a5$2497dda0$d12c0ac3@ingerop.alpes-net.fr>
Source record: 129773

Has anybody a scheme in order to built an homebrew computer/tx interface to control ICOM HF rigs ?

Thanks by advance.

820. IC 746 - RS 746

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pierre Pastorello <pastorello.ingerop@alpes-net.fr>
Message-ID: <01bdf2a4$649cd500$d12c0ac3@ingerop.alpes-net.fr>
Source record: 129774

has anybody experienced the RS 746 control software for ic 746 tx/rx ?

Have you got mods for this transceiver ?

Thanks by advance !!

821. Emerency Alert Signal (EAS) decoder IC needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dean, Greg" <N9NWO@GTE.net>
Message-ID: <6vi7lv$r2s$1@news-1.news.gte.net>
Source record: 129775

One of the engineers I work with is designing a radio
that will decode the EAS (emergency weather signals
that are broadcast over AM/FM commercial radio)
two tone alert signals. He is using the guts of a pocket
radio, a decoder and doing whatever with the results.

Does anyone know of a decoder IC for these signals?

Please post here and email he and myself. Dan's email
is <Michie@GTE.net> and mine is <N9NWO@GTE.net>.

822. local disable of 800 MHz cellphones?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: robpetersonSPAMME@iname.com
Message-ID: <361e9be7.2414411@news.flash.net>
Source record: 129776

I read that in Japan a device is available which disables the functioning of cell phones over a very limited area, say a 50' radius. (Mainly this stops those annoying rings and conversations in a quiet area). I gather the device is a small noise source which overloads any reciever within its limited range.

Has anyone heard of any source of these devices (or any information on them) in the States?

Thanks, rob

823. Re: Anyone still love the hobby

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: markg@SPAM_SUCKS_www.frogpond.org
Message-ID: <361cad99.2046372@news.csi.net>
Source record: 129777
Cross-posted to: rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.spa

Jim,
I'm one of those you didn't work. <g>
Nice pile-up though. I'll keep my ears open for the next time around.

Mark

On Wed, 07 Oct 1998 16:36:02 GMT, kh2d@my-dejanews.com (Jim) wrote:

>Michael Ruther <michael.ruther@alliedsignal.com> wrote:
>
>>Well I do knock" the 59/599 please send qsl to buro 73 ,,,QRzed"
>>If all you want is a card fine, but sure seems cold to me
>>AA7QA Mike
>
>Maybe that's because you don't understand the reason for it, Mike.
>The driving factor for many HF operators is the DXCC award. Last
>nite, on 15 meter CW, I worked 423 stations in Europe in about 3
>hours. A few probably called for pileup practice, but most of them
>just wanted a contact for a 'new one', another QSL card. I probably
>worked 95% of the stations I could hear, but I didn't work everybody.
>
>I wouldn't have had many, if any, meaningful conversations if I had
>spent a half hour per contact, instead of 20 seconds. And the end
>result is all the same. Nobody called me, they called my QSL card...
>
>They get a new one, I get warmed up for the next CW contest.
>We are all happy. Nothing cold about that.....
>
>73, Jim KH2D
>
>

824. Strong Signal == Wide Signal??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: martyt@pobox.com
Message-ID: <361cab09.212645@news.supernews.net>
Source record: 129778

I was listening to a guy calling CQ on 10m yesterday afternoon who had a 20 over signal, and I could hear splatter about 8 kHz either side of him - to the point that he was drowning out QSOs 4 to KHz above and below him. So I let him know I thought he had a rather wide signal, and his reply was that any time you have a strong signal like that, you're going to hear splatter. He also said I was 40 over 9 and he could hear me all over the place too (which I doubt as I was running 100w into a half-square about 15 ft off the ground...)

I didn't press it too much as I'm still fairly new to HF and didn't know for sure. But it seems to me that I frequently hear 20-over signals that seldom splatter like that.

So, should I expect to hear that kind of mess any time I'm picking up a strong signal? Maybe it's a defect in my FT-920, I dunno - but I still think he just had a poor signal or was driving his amp too hard or something...

-Marty KI0LO
martyt@pobox.com

825. Re: TR7

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wayne White <dhc6@sprynet.com>
Message-ID: <6vibdg$55u$1@juliana.sprynet.com>
Source record: 129779

SOLD

826. Neat component v-i curve photos

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: tomg@fullnet.com
Message-ID: <6viest$k09$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129780

I posted a lot more oscilloscope pictures of device i-v curves, made by the latest version of my curve tracer, at

http://www.fullnet.com/u/tomg/gooteect.htm

They are very interesting, and educational, too. (For example, check out how using the sawtooth ramp sweep with a capacitor or inductor produces a constant dV/dt or dI/dt, and thus a constant capacitor current or inductor voltage. It's obvious, but it's good to actually see it.)

Also, I added more kinds of devices, including FET, SCR, photocell, transformer, capacitors, RF choke, BJTs, four kinds of diodes, short circuit, and open circuit.

Also pictured are the curve tracer's sweep and pulse signals. It now produces sawtooth, triangle, sine, square, and pulse outputs. The frequency range has been extended to include from 30 Hz to 22 kHz. And, the current limiter resistances now go from 10 ohms to 5 megohms, with 12 different values. The sweep voltage's peak values still include +-0.5v, +-3v, +-6v, +-9v, +-12v, and +-15v.

One other major improvement is the use of instrumentation amplifiers for the current and voltage sensing, which provides the ability to display any of the device currents versus any of the device voltages. For example, for a BJT, the first version of the curve tracer could display only Ic versus Vce. The latest version can display any one of Ic, Ib, or Ie, versus any one of Vce, Vbe, or Vcb.

A further improvement is the use of better opamps throughout. We now use the Analog Devices OP37GP and OP275GP, instead of 741s and 1458s. They cost just a little more, but they are WAY better!

By the time you read this, the "Curve Tracer II" will be ready to ship, assembled or in kit form! The response so far has been great, with inquiries and orders from all over the world. So please, keep them coming!

Regards,
Tom Gootee
Gootee Systems
tomg@fullnet.com

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827. Re: Looking for good ham-radio store in New York

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: fishbags@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981008092926.09107.00005393@ng-fb2.aol.com>
Source record: 129781

Advanced Specialties in Lodi, NJ is an Amateur dealer about 7 miles west of the G . W. bridge. They are an Authorized dealer for Yaesu, Alinco, ADI , Mfj, Comet & many other brands. I have shop there when I'm in the area & prices are competitive & they have a great selection of goodies & accessories to galk at. 1-800-926-9426 / 1-201-843-2067. Ad is in CQ magazine. Good luck!!

828. FA-EBAY: TS-950SD Mint Condition

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: k6sde@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6vijbp$qf3$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129782
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

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See at ebay:

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=34582429

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829. Re: Off-topic CB question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Richard L. Vecera" <vecera@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <361CC324.FBC8264F@ibm.net>
Source record: 129783

I stand corrected. The channels that I called 23A and 23B were actually called 22A and 22B. My fingers were working not my brain. This was tactfully pointed out to me by Robert in a private note (not a public flame). Some folks are just nice.

Thanks Robert

Richard L. Vecera wrote:
>
> The list is correct. In the old days of only 23 channels there was a
> gap between 22 and 23. These frequencies were for industrial use. When
> the CB band was expanded to forty channels these frequencies were
> included in the CB band. Channels 24 and 25 drop in frequency to pick up
> those two channels then channel 26 picks up 10kHz above 23. BTW old
> CBers modified their radios to use those channels as private channels
> and called them 23A and 23B. Useless info that I thought I would share.
>
> Dick
>
> warchief wrote:
> >
> > In article <ANfS1.22218$K02.13131235@news.teleport.com>, "Rick"
> > <rickmuddSP@teleport.com> wrote:
> >
> > >
> > > John Timmers wrote in message <36197ADC.45CDDEDC@mindlink.bc.ca>...
> > > >Is there a resource somewhere that will tell me what Channel 1 on a CB
> > > >rig equates to on a HF radio, and additionally for Ch.2, 3, 4...etc ? I
> > > >hear truckers talking on VHF frequencies from time to time, and then
> > > >mention that they're going to talk to someone else on Ch 38 (or
> > > >whatever, etc) on their CB radios, and I wonder which frequency that
> > > >would be on my HF mobile radio.
> > > >
> > > >Thanks for any info, and sorry if I've offended anyone with CB talk here
> > >
> > Hey, no one is offended here. He he he... anyway, you wanted the CB
> > frequencies and here they are.
> >
> > CB CHANNELS TO FREQUENCIES
> > 1 26.965 21 27.215
> > 2 26.975 22 27.225
> > 3 26.985 23 27.255
> > 4 27.005 24 27.235
> > 5 27.015 25 27.245
> > 6 27.025 26 27.265

> > 7 27.035 27 27.275
> > 8 27.055 28 27.285
> > 9 27.065 29 27.295
> > 10 27.075 30 27.305
> > 11 27.085 31 27.315
> > 12 27.105 32 27.325
> > 13 27.115 33 27.335
> > 14 27.125 34 27.345
> > 15 27.135 35 27.355
> > 16 27.155 36 27.365
> > 17 27.165 37 27.375
> > 18 27.175 38 27.385
> > 19 27.185 39 27.395
> > 20 27.205 40 27.405
> >
> > I got this from a list, and looking over it quickly, it seems that 23 to
> > 26 don't seem to follow in logical order. Since I didn't compile the
> > list, I would check these to make sure if this is a typo or what.. But
> > good luck and many hours of listening enjoyment to you!

830. Re: Anyone still love the hobby

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Ruther <michael.ruther@alliedsignal.com>
Message-ID: <361CC6B8.69BD49B0@alliedsignal.com>
Source record: 129784
Cross-posted to: att.ham-radio,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.spa

I do understand the chase for dxcc . I met w6am before he died. you could
see it in his
just talking about DX. It's just not my bag. Mike

Jim wrote:

> Michael Ruther <michael.ruther@alliedsignal.com> wrote:
>
> >Well I do knock" the 59/599 please send qsl to buro 73 ,,,QRzed"
> >If all you want is a card fine, but sure seems cold to me
> >AA7QA Mike
>
> Maybe that's because you don't understand the reason for it, Mike.
> The driving factor for many HF operators is the DXCC award. Last
> nite, on 15 meter CW, I worked 423 stations in Europe in about 3
> hours. A few probably called for pileup practice, but most of them
> just wanted a contact for a 'new one', another QSL card. I probably
> worked 95% of the stations I could hear, but I didn't work everybody.
>
> I wouldn't have had many, if any, meaningful conversations if I had
> spent a half hour per contact, instead of 20 seconds. And the end
> result is all the same. Nobody called me, they called my QSL card...
>
> They get a new one, I get warmed up for the next CW contest.
> We are all happy. Nothing cold about that.....
>
> 73, Jim KH2D

831. WTB: Kenwood Cig Lighter Adapter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: psNOSPAM@adnc.com
Message-ID: <361ec20f.5550371@news.adnc.com>
Source record: 129785

For TH-22AT and TH79.

Peter
(Remove NOSPAM to reply via e-mail.)

832. Re: ** TS830S a good rig? any/all opinions**

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Reichow <gjr1@po17.rv.unisys.com>
Message-ID: <361CE323.E2A@po17.rv.unisys.com>
Source record: 129786

Sam Taylor wrote:
>
> KO6JQ writes;
> One small problem that plaqued the 525/820/830
> was the ground on the if board but a little alchahol
> as a small pice of solder wick braid on the board to chasis usually solved
> the frequency hopping.
> overall a great rig
> cygnet@cncnet.com 73 Sam

I forgot to add one thing. Remember, the 100 watts coming
out of the TS-830S will sound the same as the 100 watts
coming out of a 3000 dollar radio. Put your money into
antennas.
Gary - KN0V.

833. Any opinions on "T-Kit Model 1209 Transverter"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: nmp4846@garnet.acns.fsu.edu
Message-ID: <6vigmu$73l$1@news.fsu.edu>
Source record: 129787

Does anybody have put together "T-Kit Model 1209 Transverter"?
How difficult is it to build (put together) the transverter?
How does it perform? Any opinions are welcome and will be
greatly appreciated. Thanks.

834. Beacon for 28 MHz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Martin Cadirola <cadirola@erols.com>
Message-ID: <361CC922.6D2E23DA@erols.com>
Source record: 129788

Hi there!!!

I'd like to build or buy a radio beacon for the 10 meter band.
Any tips/suggestions are very welcome.
Best regards,

Martin Cadirola
E-mail: mcadir1@umbc.edu

835. Consequence of using NiCD drop-in charger on NiMh battery?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: dgf@netcom.com
Message-ID: <dgfF0IIA9.7ul@netcom.com>
Source record: 129789

I have a Kenwood BC15A drop-in charger and a couple of aftermarket NiMh batteries. The BC15A is supposed to do a full NiCd charge in 1-2 hours. I tried using a NiMh battery with it and it seemed OK, but I did not let the charger self-terminate; I removed the battery after a couple of hours (it was warm). My concern is that the BC15A might not detect end-of charge condition with NiMh battery. As I have several other drop-in fast chargers for various types of HTs, I'm thinking it might be better to avoid NiMh batteries unless I replace the chargers.

Any thoughts?

73 Dave WB0GAZ dgf@netcom.com

836. Re: Parting out TS-830S station

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Melland <badger@vbe.com>
Message-ID: <361CCB47.4F2A@vbe.com>
Source record: 129790

Most of the items posted yesterday have been spoken for. This is a list of what I have left:

Terms: Cash, Certified Funds (IE: Postal money order, Cashiers check)

All items are in excellent cosmetic and operating condition. First reply confirming sale will get the item.

Kenwood SP-230, filtered speaker $75 shipped

Kenwood MC-50, microphone $50 shipped

Autek QF1-A, audio filter/notch $50 shipped

NOS 12BY7A driver, $7 shipped
Used, Good pair 6146B finals, $20 shipped

All equipment with either original or excellent copy of operators manual, some with service manual.

Michael Melland, KB9QHU

837. Advise on Icom T8A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: John & Kari Mapes <shannon4@airmail.net>
Message-ID: <58FFEA15CEFC69AC.A77510B52197C23E.B672BAE11D359E55@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 129791

I am currently in themarket for a new HT and I was thinking of getting the IC-T8A.

Just wondering what people opinions were on the this HT

838. NEW Timewave DSP-59Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alan Caplan <alan.caplan@cwix.com>
Message-ID: <114T1.231$xh6.298400@news.cwix.com>
Source record: 129792

Brand new DSP-59Y never used. Fits into Yeasu SP-5 or SP-6 speaker ONLY. I used one of two in my SP-5 with FT-1000D. $200 plus $10 for shipping. Retail price is $389 AES Cat. Save enough to buy a speaker cabinet.

Alan Caplan K4AVQ & P40AV ex: W0RIC
14020 140th Court
Apple Valley, MN 55124-9422
612-431-5070 Call between 9am to 10pm CDST

ex: Sales Manager Timewave 93-98 and Hy-Gain 82-92

839. Re: Tech America

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: T E I X E I R A <teixeira@ccnet.com>
Message-ID: <361CD246.2F39@ccnet.com>
Source record: 129793
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

If you move to California all your questions will be answered.... For one a dealer would be shut down by the DMV if he sold a car without registering it.... You need insurance to register it....dealers will be glad to sell you insurance......

Arthur H. Wertz wrote:
>
> If you buy a car and let the dealer register it, you are being
> sucked
> into paying him a service fee for something you can do for free!!
> You only have to pay the registration fee.
>
> --
> Art Wertz N5AEN
> artwertz@express-news.net
> http://www.qsl.net/~n5aen

840. Re: ??? About SWR/Power Meter for 70cm ATV

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3669de71.427990571@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 129794

On Wed, 07 Oct 1998 21:54:59 GMT, bdiaz@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>All of the 70cm SWR/Power Meters I've seen are listed as "440 MHz".
>However, the ATV frequency is 426.25 (symplex) for the Southern California
>area. I can't find any specifications on the frequency range of these
>meters. So, I don't know if they'll work correctly in the lower half of
>the 70cm band.
>
>Will the lower frequency pose a problem for these meters?

No. But some of the meters may not be as good as advertised.
At UHF, you have to be a bit careful to get a quality meter if you
want reasonable accuracy. The Bird 43 with the appropriate
slug is the best choice short of laboratory grade equipment.

Gary
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841. Re: Best Cheap HF Small Antenna not requiring a Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <366ae0f3.428632896@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 129795

On 8 Oct 1998 10:50:38 GMT, ddgsk@tic.net wrote:
>Any thoughts?

Dipole.

Gary
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842. Re: Best Cheap HF Small Antenna not requiring a Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: jimn0oct@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981008120349.28451.00001149@ng10.aol.com>
Source record: 129796

>
>Any thoughts?
>

Loop. Quieter than a dipole [and more gain] and easier to match on all bands
with a tuner. Mount it horizontally and make it 1 wavelength in circumference
for the lowest frequency to be used.

73, jim
Where there is smoke, there is incomplete combustion!

843. Re: Strong Signal == Wide Signal??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: STEVEN L UMBACH <N9ROU@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6vio3j$3sfs$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 129797

Marty - Was this a guy from Florida who was calling cq for the far east/asia? If so I heard the same guy and you are exactly right about him. The guy I heard was about 28.49 and he was very wide on my FT1000MP and my TS850, both rigs with noise blankers off. I also saw his signal on my SM220 scope and he was very wide. I heard another station down the band with the same signal strenght who DID NOT exhibit the same annoying problem. Unfortuneately you just can't convince some of these idiots that they don't know how to operate an hf rig. Another problem are guys using "glorified cbs" on ten meters. They can sound ok if adjusted right, but I heard a guy on one (Ranger or etc.) that was splattering all over the place. Some of these guys go in the radio and jack the power way up and think nothing of it. Don't worry about your rig and ignore these poor operators. --- Steve KK9ZZ
Marty Tippin wrote in message <361cab09.212645@news.supernews.net>...
>I was listening to a guy calling CQ on 10m yesterday afternoon who had
>a 20 over signal, and I could hear splatter about 8 kHz either side of
>him - to the point that he was drowning out QSOs 4 to KHz above and
>below him. So I let him know I thought he had a rather wide signal,
>and his reply was that any time you have a strong signal like that,
>you're going to hear splatter. He also said I was 40 over 9 and he
>could hear me all over the place too (which I doubt as I was running
>100w into a half-square about 15 ft off the ground...)
>
>I didn't press it too much as I'm still fairly new to HF and didn't
>know for sure. But it seems to me that I frequently hear 20-over
>signals that seldom splatter like that.
>
>So, should I expect to hear that kind of mess any time I'm picking up
>a strong signal? Maybe it's a defect in my FT-920, I dunno - but I
>still think he just had a poor signal or was driving his amp too hard
>or something...
>
>
>-Marty KI0LO
> martyt@pobox.com

844. FS: Tubes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: mikrounit@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <361ce371.1157546@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 129798

List Of Tubes

TUBE QUANTITY

1) OA2 3
2) IT4 1
3) IU5 1
4) IR5 1
5) 3GK5 1
6) 3V4 1
7) 5654 1
8) 6AH6 1
9) 6AQ5 3
10) 6AU8 1
11) 6BH6 5
12) 6CL6 1
13) 6EA8 5
14) 6T8A 1
15) 12BE6 3
16) 12BY7 1
17) 12AU7 5
18) 12AT7 7
19) 12AX7A 2
20) UNKNOWN 2

TOTAL: 46

SOLD AS PACKAGE.
BUYER PAYS SHIPPING Take best offer Thanks & 73, Mike Green KQ6MU
(805)
944-0866 mikrounit@earthlink.net

845. Re: local disable of 800 MHz cellphones?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <366be172.428759560@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 129799

On Thu, 08 Oct 1998 11:03:25 GMT, robpetersonSPAMME@iname.com wrote:
>I read that in Japan a device is available which disables the
>functioning of cell phones over a very limited area, say a 50' radius.
>(Mainly this stops those annoying rings and conversations in a quiet
>area). I gather the device is a small noise source which overloads
>any reciever within its limited range.
>
>Has anyone heard of any source of these devices (or any information on
>them) in the States?

Such a jamming device would be seriously illegal here. There was a
rumor printed in the paper that such a device was being used at a
location here in Atlanta. There was practically a traffic jam caused
by the cellular companies' trucks out to DF this thing the day the
article was printed. They take such jamming activity very seriously.
The FCC might not do enforcement anymore, but cross the phone
company and they'll be on your butt in a New York second. Jamming
a common carrier is a federal crime.

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846. Re: Strong Signal == Wide Signal??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <366ce49d.429570643@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 129800

On Thu, 08 Oct 1998 12:14:57 GMT, martyt@pobox.com (Marty Tippin) wrote:
>I was listening to a guy calling CQ on 10m yesterday afternoon who had
>a 20 over signal, and I could hear splatter about 8 kHz either side of
>him - to the point that he was drowning out QSOs 4 to KHz above and
>below him. So I let him know I thought he had a rather wide signal,
>and his reply was that any time you have a strong signal like that,
>you're going to hear splatter. He also said I was 40 over 9 and he
>could hear me all over the place too (which I doubt as I was running
>100w into a half-square about 15 ft off the ground...)
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>I didn't press it too much as I'm still fairly new to HF and didn't
>know for sure. But it seems to me that I frequently hear 20-over
>signals that seldom splatter like that.
>
>So, should I expect to hear that kind of mess any time I'm picking up
>a strong signal? Maybe it's a defect in my FT-920, I dunno - but I
>still think he just had a poor signal or was driving his amp too hard
>or something...

A lot of so-called splatter is really IMD in someone's receiver.
A quick test is to switch in 20 db of attenuation. If the spatter
goes down 20 db, then it is probably real. If it goes down more
than 20 db, or disappears completely, it is your receiver.

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847. Re: FS: Tubes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al Dolgosh <al.dolgosh@hamradio.org>
Message-ID: <361CE848.44D84BE1@hamradio.org>
Source record: 129801

Are these new in boxes, used or other??

Thanks,

Al - K8EUR

mikrounit@earthlink.net wrote:

> List Of Tubes
>
> TUBE QUANTITY
>
> 1) OA2 3
> 2) IT4 1
> 3) IU5 1
> 4) IR5 1
> 5) 3GK5 1
> 6) 3V4 1
> 7) 5654 1
> 8) 6AH6 1
> 9) 6AQ5 3
> 10) 6AU8 1
> 11) 6BH6 5
> 12) 6CL6 1
> 13) 6EA8 5
> 14) 6T8A 1
> 15) 12BE6 3
> 16) 12BY7 1
> 17) 12AU7 5
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>
> TOTAL: 46
>
> SOLD AS PACKAGE.
> BUYER PAYS SHIPPING Take best offer Thanks & 73, Mike Green KQ6MU
> (805)
> 944-0866 mikrounit@earthlink.net

848. Re: Best Cheap HF Small Antenna not requiring a Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Michael St. Angelo" <mstangelo@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01bdf2d9$6addfcc0$626f4e0c@mstangelo>
Source record: 129802

ddgsk@tic.net wrote in article <6vi5du$809@news-central.tiac.net>...
> x-no-archive: yes
>
> Any thoughts?

Small? Active whip.

Mike N2MS
>

849. Mirage 2m Amp on E-bay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: mikrounit@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <361ce3a4.1208109@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 129803

Hello All,

I have a Mirage B-3016, 30 watts in, 160 watts out 2m amp. All-Mode.
http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=34348899

Item #: 34348899

Go check it out, it is at $140 right now.
Thanks & 73,

Mike Green KQ6MU
(805) 944-0866
mikrounit@earthlink.net

850. Re: wtb: GE mvp's UHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: jklein1050@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981008125012.16334.00004007@ng133.aol.com>
Source record: 129804

HAVE 10 UHF units but they are 490-512....
Jklein1050@aol.com

851. Re: Strong Signal == Wide Signal??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "my ham call"
Message-ID: <361d341a.7092904@news.bna.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 129805

On Thu, 08 Oct 1998 12:14:57 GMT, martyt@pobox.com (Marty Tippin)
wrote:
>So, should I expect to hear that kind of mess any time I'm picking up
>a strong signal? Maybe it's a defect in my FT-920, I dunno - but I
>still think he just had a poor signal or was driving his amp too hard
>or something...

Some of each... There are some rather questionable signals on the
band from time to time. But receiver overload is also a reality.

One quick check is to use the attenuator on your receiver. If the
splatter is generated in your receiver, its strength should drop by
considerably more than the amount of attenuation you kicked in - in
fact, there's a pretty good chance the splatter will disappear
altogether. If it's still there, just weaker by the amount of
attenuation you used, then it probably is in the guy's transmitter.

Still, don't be too quick to judgement - don't demand that he back it
off. Psychologically, it doesn't work. Tell the guy you think he
might be too wide & suggest he double-check things with a local.

73 Doug

Doug Smith (ham call W9WI) - EM66 nr. Nashville, TN, USA
real email address is:
{my ham call} @ b e l l s o u t h . n e t (kill the spaces!)

852. Re: Call Sign screensavers - free demo

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Edward Thomas <edt@petronworld.com>
Message-ID: <6visjh$1q8$1@uuneo.neosoft.com>
Source record: 129806
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

I downloaded the free demo and wasn't impressed
considering that you can do this for free with the screen saver
in Win95

Sam Alfano > wrote in message <6vagtq$g82$1@nntp.gulfsouth.verio.net>...
>Simply the coolest thing for all hams with computers. This amazing 3D
>screensaver features high-end graphics and is self-installing. It will
>dazzle you when you see it. Proudly display the call sign you worked so
>hard to achieve!
>
>Please download the free demo at http://www.alfano.com/w5sn/ Once you see
>it, you'll definitely want one for yourself, and your custom screensaver
>will be e-mailed to you.
>
>W5SN
>
>

853. VHF/UHF base for less than 1K$?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: adye@cup.hp.com
Message-ID: <6vistk$a0k$1@ocean.cup.hp.com>
Source record: 129807

I've been a ham for about 2 years now. I started out with an Alinco dual-band handheld and it's been pretty good. Over time, I've aquired a Yaesu FRG-100B to listen to Shortwave, and recently a Yaesu FT-840 in anticipation of moving to a general ticket before year end. I'm really pleased with all these radios but I've been wondering lately if someone makes a radio that:

Is basically a FT-840 (conceptually) for VHF/UHF. Essentially,

50 mhz
144 mhz
220 mhz
440 mhz
1.2 and up (optional)

runs 5-25 watts
FM Mode
100 memories

internal or external power supply

about the size of a FRG-100 or an FT-840. Less than $800 u.s. dollars

Basically a VHF/UHF entry-level base station? I don't want to do EME or anything fancy with it, just a nice base station. There are 2m/70cm mobiles out there for around 4-500$, but that's really not what I want.

Does anyone make such a beast?

854. FS: EICO TUBE TESTER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: lothina1@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6vj1lk$gh4$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129808

EICO TUBE TESTER, can be used to test all tubes from 1xxx to 12xxx
PRICE: 65$ EA

EMAIL: LOTHINA@HOTMAIL.COM

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855. FS: COAXIAL RELAIS -18GHZ

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: lothina1@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6vj1ib$g7v$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129809

SPDT 35$ EA, SP3T SP4T SP8T SP5T 60$ EA
ALL 28V COIL, UNUSED OR LIKE NEW CONDITION

EMAIL: LOTHINA@HOTMAIL.COM

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856. FS: HP8445B PRESELECTOR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: lothina1@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6vj1n5gho1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129810

PRICE: 125$ EA

EMAIL: LOTHINA@HOTMAIL.COM

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857. Re: Parts & Service Hints for Drake TR-7

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: DavidC <davidc@bit-net.com>
Message-ID: <01bdf2e3$3b959a40$c18492d0@davidc.bit-net.com>
Source record: 129811
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

> RL Drake is still in business in Miamisburg, OH. Call there and ask for
Bill
> Frost--he is in the service department and is very helpful.
They are indeed there and were very helpful.
Here is their web site:
http://www.rldrake.com/tech/parts/partshtml/partslist.html#TR7
They even offered to ship, for free, the factory mod information for
upgrading a TR-7 to a TR-7A. Good folks! 73, DavidC AA1FA

858. Re: HELP!! Parts & Service Hints for Drake TR-7?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: frank@sneezy.sri.com
Message-ID: <6vivufsvt1@unix.sri.com>
Source record: 129812
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

In article <361B9F9A.1408@bowden.net> david@bowden.net writes:
>Hi all,
>
>I'm an EE with some luddite tendancies, and I'm trying to get some old
>tube amps rebuilt. It started when I found an old Bogen DB10 in a
>trash heap. I brought it home, replaced a missing tube, plugged it in
>and it worked (badly). I had some fleeting thoughts about getting
>another so I could have a stereo pair, but it ended up collecting dust
>on a shelf for about two years.
>
Unless you are an audiophile (you know, the kind that runs monster cables to their speakers), or a collector (who has to have everything original), I'd just buy one (or two if you want them matched) new universal output transformers.

I would also advise you to check & see if these amps have negative feedback from the output side of the output transformer, and that you pay attention to polarity.

You should be able to find universal output transformers in a surplus outlet, perhaps even an electronic parts house would have some lying around.

Victor Frank, K6FV

859. FS: Yaesu FT-101E

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: rwhkjh@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981008144725.25897.00005602@ng-cr1.aol.com>
Source record: 129813

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The transmiter part of this radio will not work, I don't know
what the problem is.
The reciever works fine on all bands.
Price $150.00
Thanks
rwhkjh@aol.com
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860. Re: 20 Brand New 6146Ws made by GE for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: tleonard@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6vj6sg$pb7$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129814
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In article <6vhbdm$4rq$1@news.harvard.net>,
@ime.net wrote:
> Will radio hobbies always be plagued by price police? Perhaps one might
> drive back to Dayton again, yes?
>
> >I bought 2 of these new 6146W's and a new 12BY7A driver tube at Dayton
> >all for $40.
>
>

Better "price police" than rip off artists???

Or maybe, like most other things in life, everything must reach a balance.
There must be an equal number of "price police" to balance the rip off
artists??

Believe it or not, there are a lot of new people who do not have a clue as to
"going rate" for items. The smart ones ask, and unfortunately, usually get
flamed for asking. The timid ones hope that
someone will speak up when an ridiculous price is asked.

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861. Re: Opinions on dual band ht's...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alan Caplan <alan.caplan@cwix.com>
Message-ID: <ly8T1.475$xh6.431527@news.cwix.com>
Source record: 129815

Get a Standard be audio and if in a heavy inter-mode area it is the best for rejection. Programming is hard but after that you never have to do it again get the 200 CH module and fill her up.
Alan K4AVQ 1954

862. FS. MFJ 259 Antenna Analizer.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: carlt@icanect.net
Message-ID: <EAE2293658E1B06A.AF1B0F1372F74556.029D0974F8BE820B@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 129816

For sale MFJ259 antenna analizer very good condition
$100.00
carlt@icanect.net

863. FT50RD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: dsee <dsee@globalnet.co.uk>
Message-ID: <6vj7so$2h1$1@newnews.global.net.uk>
Source record: 129817

DOES ANY ONE KNOW TX MOD FOR THE FT50RD!
IS IT THE SAME AS THE FT50R MOD

864. Re: emergency communications for canoeists

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: jimn0oct@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981008170749.25201.00003468@ng122.aol.com>
Source record: 129818

>I've read several articles, letters etc promoting 147.42 as the national 2
>meter emergency simplex frequency...think it was initiated by a Red

I think the generally recognized wilderness emergency frequency is 146.52 on
the hour and every quarter hour.

I believe this was in QST within the last 2 years.
Where there is smoke, there is incomplete combustion!

865. Kennwood SM220 wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: GHD <garyh@ezonline.com>
Message-ID: <6vj9ppfmg1@news3.microserve.net>
Source record: 129819

I am still looking for a SM220 and the adapter that goes into the 940. If you have one for sale at a reasonable price, please drop me a note.

73

Gary

AK3P

866. Comments on the ft-690 6m all mode?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "George A. M." <tech77@mediaone.net>
Message-ID: <361D2CB8.EE2D4E7@mediaone.net>
Source record: 129820

Have a chance to get one of these. Should I??

--
Geo
n1naz@amsat.org

867. Re: FS KW EZE Match Antenna Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Asp <larry.asp@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <361D2D15.2066@sympatico.ca>
Source record: 129821
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,

Larry Asp wrote:
>
> KW EZE Match Antenna Tuner. 80 - 10 meter, handles up to 350 watts
> input. Like new condition. $50.00 plus shipping.

The EZE Match has been sold. Thankyou for the replies.

868. Does NOT fit the FT-101 series

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: nw2m@qsl.net
Message-ID: <6vjdo5$337$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129822

The FT-101 series does not use the 6146B tubes. This is the series from
1970-1979, FT-101 thru FT-101F. The FT-101Z was the first set for these tubes
in 1979-1980. The FT-101 uses the 6JS6C tubes.

They will not work in the original FT-101 series.

73,

Al, NW2M
Keeper of the FT-101 web page
http://www.qsl.net/nw2m/ft101.html

In article <6vb385$49r$1@newnews.global.net.uk>,
"Peter Wigley" <rambler@globalnet.co.uk> wrote:
> Two 813 vales with one base for sale these are new and unused.
> Matched pair 6146B P.A valves (FT101 transceiver amongst others)
> Three PL 509 TV Line output valves
> The following are brand new and boxed
> 12AU7, 6AU8, EB91, ECC81, 3S4, ECF80, EF86, EF81,ECC82, ECC91, EF91, IT4,
> IS5,IR5
>
> G4RVU Qthr Derby
>
>

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869. WTB- Kenwood TS-940SAT keyboard

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: icstars@nmia.com
Message-ID: <3621303e.1691897@news.nmia.com>
Source record: 129823

Need to buy this keyboard, new or in excellent condition.

Thanks, KB5XE

870. Re: FS KW EZE Match Antenna Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Asp <larry.asp@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <361D2D85.3A26@sympatico.ca>
Source record: 129824
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,

Larry Asp wrote:
>
> Larry Asp wrote:
> >
> > KW EZE Match Antenna Tuner. 80 - 10 meter, handles up to 350 watts
> > input. Like new condition. $50.00 plus shipping.
>
> The EZE Match has been sold. Thankyou for the replies.
The EZE Match is sold. Thanks for your replies.

871. TS-570 Master Oscillator Trimmer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Sheldon C. Shallon" <scs@ieee.org>
Message-ID: <361D3988.388D@ieee.org>
Source record: 129825

The crossed screwdriver slots in the TC500 trimmer for the master
oscillator appear to be filled with a hard wax-like material.
I had to dig into it with the screwdriver blade before I could
adjust the trimmer. Anyone else encounter this? Any comments?

872. FS: Alinco 2m FM handheld w/ accessories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5dh@rtis.ray.com
Message-ID: <6vlsrt$g0r@sf18.dseg.ti.com>
Source record: 129577
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale: 2m FM handheld and accessories

Alinco DJ-F1T/HP, w/ 5 Watt battery, charger, antenna;
Alinco EDC-34 desktop rapid charger (1.5 hour charge);
Spare 5 Watt NiCd pack (real Alinco, not aftermarket);
Smiley hand-tuned 4" rubber duckie antenna.

Original boxes for radio, desk charger, spare battery.
Original manual for radio, and photocopy for charger.
All items are in perfect working order. HT receives
118.0 to 173.995 MHz, including aviation (it is quite
sensitive on the air band, better than my scanner!).
This is a superb performer, well-built (the chassis
is cast aluminum, not cheap plastic!), dependable,
and small in size. Can be powered directly off 13.8
VDC without an adaptor. It will work with various
Alinco, Icom, and Yaesu speaker/mics. Has PL encode
(but not the optional decode board). 40 memories and
8 scan modes, plus telephone number autodialer. Three
selectable RF power output levels (0.1, 1, 5 Watts).
Outstanding transmit and receive audio, which Alinco
is famous for. Surprisingly long battery life too.

I own two of these complete setups. I've been keeping
this one at my office. My company is closing the plant
and I am losing my job, so I no longer need the radio.

Price $250 - FIRM - plus actual UPS shipping costs.

73,
Dean, K5DH

873. Re: FS Ten-Tec Century 21 model 570

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: ccom@murlin.com
Message-ID: <361e7edc.2047758@news.sound.net>
Source record: 129578

Unit is sold
ccom@murlin.com wrote:

>Century 21 HF rig , Solid state, 5 bands, transmits CW receives CW,
>SSB, 110Vac, varible output 1-30 watts. manual ,
>selectivity :
>2.5 KHZ for ssb or general cw listening
>1.0KHZ for cw or ssb with QRM
>0.5KHZ for cw on crowded band
>Works fine $175.00 plus shipping.
>can email a picture of one
> ph 660-886-4079 or email ccom@murlin.com
>Mike/KC0CHK

874. Re: FS TEN-TEC Century 21

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: ccom@murlin.com
Message-ID: <361e7f00.2082759@news.sound.net>
Source record: 129579

unit is sold
ccom@murlin.com wrote:

>Century 21 HF rig , Solid state, 5 bands, cw only , built in PS, qsk,
>varible output 1-30 watts. manual ,
>3 filters:
>2.5 KHZ for ssb or general cw listening
>1.0KHZ for cw or ssb with QRM
>0.5KHZ for cw on crowded band
>Works fine $175.00 plus shipping.
>can email a picture of one
>Mike
>KC0CHK

875. Re: FS-OLD Sonar and Gonsett rigs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Clarke <w2blc599@radiolink.net>
Message-ID: <361e7f8a.0@news3.ibm.net>
Source record: 129580

I'm interested in the Sonar rig. Please email details. Tried to email direct - system refused to accept.

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Bill Clarke W2BLC
W2BLC@radiolink.net

876. Re: SB-220 Help?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Edward L. Dowdy" <eldowdy@net66.com>
Message-ID: <dhvT1.1558$x7.2234823@news12.ispnews.com>
Source record: 129581

My experience is limited. I've only built one very simple 3-500Z amp. I would look at the band switch and the open air coils for this band.

Ed KA9EES

nd4z@alltel.net wrote in message <6vlt4bhkk1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>I have a problem with my Heath SB-220 linear amp. on 80 meters only. It only
>puts out 400 watts into a dummey load ant. all the other bands have normal
>output. I checked the plate voltage, plate current, and grid current all to
>be normal. I calculated the input power to be 1400 watts with a mere 300 out.
>Also I noticed the tune control to have no effect on the power output while
>tunning, it acts like it's not even there, yet on the other bands it works as
>normal.By the way my drive power is 100 watts from a Kenwood Ts-440-s. If
>anyone out there has any ideas on what could cause this problem or what to
>check for, or perhaps had a simular problem,please drop me a line.I would
>really appreciate it, since I am at witts end. Thank You, Rick Hatalski
>ND4Z
>
>-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
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877. FA-eBAY: Ken TS-950SD, HF Xcvr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: k6sde@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6vm371$s3f$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129582

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=34582429

Beautiful, looks new!

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878. Re: SB-220 Help?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb9sikk@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981009175735.06996.00009251@ng111.aol.com>
Source record: 129583

Check your input SWR for that band. Put a meter between the rig and amp. If the SWR is high your not driving the amp. Adjust the tuned input near the bandswitch.

73,
K-K

879. Re: SB-220 Help?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al Dolgosh <al.dolgosh@hamradio.org>
Message-ID: <361E8F6C.7349FE1@hamradio.org>
Source record: 129584

This sounds like a common problem with bandswitching amplifiers. If you look at the diagram, I'll bet you will find that an additional fixed capacitor is switched in parallel with the variable loading capacitor when the bandswitch is in the 80 meter position.

Check those switch contacts to make sure they are not burned away or not making contact. Then check the fixed capacitor and its wiring (one end should be grounded.).

Hope this helps.

Al - K8EUR

nd4z@alltel.net wrote:

> I have a problem with my Heath SB-220 linear amp. on 80 meters only. It only
> puts out 400 watts into a dummey load ant. all the other bands have normal
> output. I checked the plate voltage, plate current, and grid current all to
> be normal. I calculated the input power to be 1400 watts with a mere 300 out.
> Also I noticed the tune control to have no effect on the power output while
> tunning, it acts like it's not even there, yet on the other bands it works as
> normal.By the way my drive power is 100 watts from a Kenwood Ts-440-s. If
> anyone out there has any ideas on what could cause this problem or what to
> check for, or perhaps had a simular problem,please drop me a line.I would
> really appreciate it, since I am at witts end. Thank You, Rick Hatalski
> ND4Z
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880. WTB: RC-85 or RC-96 ACC Repeater controller and/or 440MHz IC-900 Module

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Daniel E. Lechliter" <lechliter@fishnet.net>
Message-ID: <361E928C.5806@mitworld.com>
Source record: 129585
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Greetings,

I am looking to buy an RC-85 or RC-96 controller made by ACC for
$100-$325. DVR Module would be nice to have also as well as a 440MHz
IC-900 band module which you may give me a price on.

73 de KE6QQV
Packet: KE6QQV@KE6QQV.#SCA.CA.USA.NOAM
InterNET: tron@mitworld.com

881. Wanted: ICOM PCR 1000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Deal <jonathan.deal3@virgin.net>
Message-ID: <6vm48k$6lv$1@nclient3-gui.server.virgin.net>
Source record: 129586

email: jonathan.deal3@virgin.net

Tks

882. Re: Opinions on dual band ht's...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: fishbags@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981009191502.16560.00009448@ng93.aol.com>
Source record: 129587

HE WROTE:
All of the new Ht's out there are really disappointing......
YOU LEFT OUT THE:
Alinco DJ-G5T:
Best of the bunch. Largest & illuminated keys of any current dual bander. V/V - U/U- V/U or U/V at the same time w/cross x. Real easy to find Vol & squelch contols w/out messing w/ a menu system. Regular 12v input power jack & spkmk jacks. Comes w/a drop-in charger as standard, not a "wall wart". May be the only current unit that will mod to Xmit above 470Mhz. & loaded w/features , bandscope, attenuator, enc/dec, 200MEM. Good audio & construction, as "thin" as they come. Clones. Has the right combo of features, rcv performance & price. If Yaesu's name was on this radio it would sell for $600 & people would pay it. But it's under $300 take a good look >

883. WTB TEN TEC 234 SPEECH PROCESSOR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: rhka0fbj@netins.net
Message-ID: <6vm6luvqq1@ins8.netins.net>
Source record: 129588
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

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Net-Tamer V 1.10 - Test Drive
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884. FS: TS-440S/AT and HAL P38

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Taylor <btay@bright.net>
Message-ID: <361E9FE5.ABE65CB6@bright.net>
Source record: 129589

For Sale:
Kenwood TS-440S/AT
All Solid-State
Mode : LSB, USB, CW, AM, FM, FSK
Input Power : LSB, USB, CW,,FM,,FSK 200 Watts PEP
AM 110 Watts AM
General coverage reception 100khz to 30Mhz
100% continuous duty cycle
CW full break-in
Built-in XIT
Switchable IF bandwidth
Switchable AGC time constant
All mode squelch
Built-in power/SWR meter
Versatile frequency control
Built-in Antenna Tuner
YK-88C-1 CW Filter
YK-88SN-1 SSB Filter
EXCELLENT CONDITION.
Buyer pays shipping charges!
700.00
==========

For Sale:
HAL P38 HF MODEM
IN PERFECT CONDITION !!
Buyer pays shipping charges!
$150.00

The P38 is a multi-mode HF data modem that gives you top performance
operation using RTTY, AMTOR, P-MODE*, and CLOVER waveforms. The P38
is a full-sized plug-in card for PC-AT and faster personal computers.
Multi-screen menu-driven HAL software is included with each P38 modem.
Many popular "third-party" user programs are also available for the P38.

The P38 is complete and ready to run. Plug-in the board, connect three
phono cables (not included) to your radio, and install the software -
that's all there is to it!! Whether you want to rag-chew, chase DX, or
contest, the P38 is the modem of choice.
P38 SPECIFICATIONS
CLOVER-II
Format
4-tone emission
Bandwidth
500 Hz @ -50 dB

ARQ Mode Modulation
BPSM, QPSM, and 8PSM
FEC Mode Modulation
2DPSM, BPSM, QPSM, and 8PSM
Tones
2250 Hz Center
Symbol Rate
31.25 per second
Error Correction Coding
Reed-Solomon code: 60, 75 or 90% code rate
ARQ Protocol
2-level, multiblock auto adaptive modulation
Adaptive Mode Control
Measure S/N & Phase on all data, set TX Mode
ARQ Thru-put
8 to 35 bytes/second
FEC Thru-put
4 to 25 bytes/second
FSK
Rtty Codes
Baudot and ASCII
ASCII Codes
45, 50, 57, 75 Bd
RTTY Tones
1275/1445 or 2125/2295 Hz
AMTOR Code
CCIR-476 & CCIR-625
AMTOR Modes
ARQ or FEC
AMTOR Tones
1275/1445 or 2125/2295 Hz
AMTOR Rate
100 Baud
P-MODE Modes
Auto-ARQ & FEC
P-MODE Rates
100/200 Baud
HARDWARE
Circuit Board
Full-size for PC-AT
DSP Processor
TI TMS320C25-50
Control Processor
Motorola 68EC000
Analog I/O
TI TLC320AC01 14-bit Codec
Memory
Boot EPROM; RAM loaded from PC
PC Interface
PC-AT ISO Bus

PC Address
200 to 3FF Hex
PC Requirements
PC-286 Minimum '386 or '486 preferred
Radio Performance
Tune in 10 Hz steps, +/- 15 Hz stability
Radio Connection
RX Audio, TX Audio, PTT, FSK, SEL-CAL
Radio Connectors
Phono and Mini-phone
SOFTWARE
HAL Software
Included with the P38
Software Updates
Code loaded from PC hard disk. Updates available
from Web page or
dialup BBS (217) 367-7373
3rd Party Software
Third Party

*The word "P-MODE" is the HAL designation for a communications protocol
that may also be known as "Pactor", a registered trademark of the
Spezielle Communications Systeme GmbH (SCS) firm in Hanau, Germany.
HAL affirms that, to the best of its knowledge, "P-MODE" is compatible
and interoperatable with the protocol SCS calls "Pactor" and with the
link establishment and weak signal modes of the protocol SCS calls
"Pactor-II".

WILL SELL BOTH FOR $800.00 BANK MONEY-ORDER, PLUS SHIPPING !!!!!!!

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73,
Bill Taylor K8TBW
705 Hart Ave. Fostoria, Ohio 44830
btay@bright.net http://www.bright.net/~btay/hamradio.htm

885. AEA CP-1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Barry Sherwood <barrysherwood@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <6vm78jtfe1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 129590
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

I have just acquired an AEA CP-1 and have no documentation for it. Can anyone help give me some insight on this piece of equipment. Please e-mail any replies.

Thanks
Barry

886. Re: ****For Sale: Alinco DJ-C5 Dual Band Credit Card HT ($130)****

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: dbbadge@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981009195402.17351.00004612@ng58.aol.com>
Source record: 129591

Do you still have this rig at the offered price ?

887. Re: Opinions on dual band ht's...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Louis Bybee <louisb@datacomm.com>
Message-ID: <361EA294.C86EF39C@datacomm.com>
Source record: 129592

Daniel Abranko wrote:
>
> In article <19981007002818.20101.00000052@ng72.aol.com>, user66@aol.com
> (User 66) wrote:
>
> >All of the new Ht's out there are really disappointing
> >
> >Yaesu 51 >>very poor hissy audio
> >NO POWER JACK on the radio !!!!!!!!!
>
> I love the 51, definetely not hissy audio... its pretty full and quite loud.
> As for there not being a power jack on the radio, what the hell is the
> point when you have a drop in charger? its like wondering why theres no

Two good reasons. one, for extended operation away from 120v power
(camping, in a vehicle, etc.). Second, the special 12v cord from Yeasu
costs near $100. I agree with all your other observations. It seems to
be a very high quality, excellent performing radio. One additional
negative point, it wasn't as popular with hams as the 50 and others, so
Yeasu has discontinued many of the optional accessories. :-(

Louis

> power jack on a motorola saber. BTW, this radio has one of the BEST front
> ends available on an HT. Living in NYC and using the 51 regularly on a
> 10dB dualband cushcraft beam has resulted in little intermod breakthrough.
> Main gripe i have about the radio is the fact that there are no 9.6v
> batteries available over 650mAh.
>
> >
> >Yaesu ft 50 >>> (handgranade)
> >ONE BAND AT A TIME ONLY
> >no X band !!!!!!!!
> >a step backwards 10 years
> >CRAPY RECEIVER
>
> I agree, this is probably the most disappointing radio on earth.
> Only feature that is even halfway decent is DPL.
>
> >
> >VX1-r >>poor selectivity
> >various problems
> >had mine in for repairs 4 times
>
> I have an A106 version, and have had no real problems using the radio for

> what it was intended. a tiny close range simplex talkie... also i use it
> for its DPL encode... 200$ DPL encoder, maybe.. but its cute...
>
> >
> >KEnwood
> >
> >th-79 so so ,don't like the menu crap
> >new version UNREASONABLY priced
> >haven't really had a chance to test receiver
>
> A friend of mine has this radio, and i say its pretty decent except for 2
> things, relative fragility (he broke the aluminum heatsink off at the bnc
> connector after dropping the radio) and the battery lock, the battery will
> fall off when you jump up and down...
>
> >
> >THG 71a like the ft50 step backwards 10 years
> >ONE BAND AT A TIME, no X band rpt
>
> Again, I agree that it is indeed a step back...
>
> >
> >ICOM:
> >
> >W32a
> >DON'T BUY THIS RADIO !!!
> >the receiver is a DISASTER
> >gets completely overloaded and desensed
> >even with the ruber duckie
> >ABSOLUTELLY USELESS !!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
>
> Wholehearted agreement about the whole thing, and to top off its batteries
> cost a fortune.
>
> >
> >IC-T7a more of the same
> >and ONLY ONE BAND AT A TIME !!!
>
> Agree.
>
> >
> >Alinco:
> >
> >Give me a break !!
> >
> >
> >ADI:
> >never tried one
> >seems like older design maybe a copy of the ft 530
>

> I had a chance to use the ADI AT600, Its intermod rejection isnt the best
> in the world, but it does offer reasonably good quality and features at a
> very reduced cost.
>
> >
> >
> >NOTHING WORKS LIKE THE GOOD OLD YAESU FT530
>
> I have a 530. I love this radio more than anything except for one thing.
> what the hell is up with that built in speaker audio? it is the quietest
> and most distorted thing on earth. no problem when hooked up to a mh-29a
> or other speakermike, but the internal speaker is TERRIBLE! Is there ANY
> way to remedy it?
>
> Daniel
> KC2BGZ
>
> --
> Remove xxx from my address to reply.

888. Re: local disable of 800 MHz cellphones?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pieter <ibelings@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <6vmbis$r88$1@camel18.mindspring.com>
Source record: 129593

One good way of doing it would be to set a sensitive receiver to 800 MHz mix it with a 45 MHz signal and amplify it into an antenna. The phone would then jam itself. Do not try this at home. It is Illegal. Just for educational purposes only.

P

Gary Coffman wrote in message <366be172.428759560@news.atl.bellsouth.net>...
>On Thu, 08 Oct 1998 11:03:25 GMT, robpetersonSPAMME@iname.com wrote:
>>I read that in Japan a device is available which disables the
>>functioning of cell phones over a very limited area, say a 50' radius.
>>(Mainly this stops those annoying rings and conversations in a quiet
>>area). I gather the device is a small noise source which overloads
>>any reciever within its limited range.
>>
>>Has anyone heard of any source of these devices (or any information on
>>them) in the States?
>
>Such a jamming device would be seriously illegal here. There was a
>rumor printed in the paper that such a device was being used at a
>location here in Atlanta. There was practically a traffic jam caused
>by the cellular companies' trucks out to DF this thing the day the
>article was printed. They take such jamming activity very seriously.
>The FCC might not do enforcement anymore, but cross the phone
>company and they'll be on your butt in a New York second. Jamming
>a common carrier is a federal crime.
>
>Gary
>Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
>534 Shannon Way | We break it |
>Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

889. Re: FT: 6KD6, 6JS6C (N.O.S)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: oldradio@webtv.net
Message-ID: <17719-361EB075-18@newsd-144.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 129594

Well, if no one is interested in trading for what i need. Maybe someone may be interested in buying these. Please e-mail if interested.

Thank you,

Kelly Molles

890. Re: ??? About SWR/Power Meter for 70cm ATV

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ralph Mowery <rmowery@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <361EAD03.7E99AC7E@ibm.net>
Source record: 129595

> de KO6JQ; NO any meter thats good @440
> wiil be good @ frequencies from 200-500 MC
> cygnet@cncnet.com 73 Sam

You mean the 'standard' almost everyone goes by "the Bird" that has a slug rated from
200-500 MHz is no good ?? I think if it was not any good for that range, they would change the range. Also I have a Struthers That has a slug that is rated for 200-1000 MHz that the tax payers spent big bucks for. If Uncle Sam says it is good enough for them, it must be good enough for most others.

891. Re: SB-220 Help?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al Dolgosh <al.dolgosh@hamradio.org>
Message-ID: <361EC1A3.5F21064B@hamradio.org>
Source record: 129596

If the exciter was being shut down by amp input VSWR, he would not be driving the amp to that much input power. If the output pi-network were tuning properly, the amplifier efficiency would still be good - and he says it is not.

My vote is for some problem in the plate tank circuit. I recently found an SB-200 with the plate RF choke "fried", so the enamel insulation between turns had failed - causing turns to become shorted together. The resultant lower inductance allowed RF to be shunted to ground throught the bypass capacitor at the base of the RF choke. The symptoms of this were really wierd, but also presented as low efficiency.

Al - K8EUR

Kb9sikk wrote:

> Check your input SWR for that band. Put a meter between the rig and amp. If
> the SWR is high your not driving the amp. Adjust the tuned input near the
> bandswitch.
>
> 73,
> K-K

892. Re: Kenwood TS-930, with broken or missing processor board

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Smith <tksmith@usa.net>
Message-ID: <6vmeu3$s0$1@supernews.com>
Source record: 129597
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Chris,

I tried to e-mail you but it was returned as undeliverable.

I have a TS-930SAT that has a sometimes problem with the uP board. When it powers up correctly everything works fine. Some times it powers up with a weird display.

I don't know whether to sell it or fix it. Tell me what it is worth to you and how much your redesigned board will cost. Maybe then I can make up my mind.

73,

Tom WA7DET

893. Re: WTB Alinco Credit Card Dual Band

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: WebMonkey <address@below.com>
Message-ID: <361EC88C.69FF@below.com>
Source record: 129598

ian McCloy wrote:
>
> Looking for the new Alinco Dual Band Credit Card Radio. Must in Mint
> Condition.
>
> Ian
> Ve7ira

i just got one from aes [my birthday present from the xyl]
they got some kinda coupon thingy till the end of the month.
159.00 i think is their price.

it's pretty neat
--
A.C. Curtis
KBï¿½WLF

mailto:demoman@rollanet.org
http://www.rollanet.org/~demoman

894. semiconductor hi power

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "verlon \"buddy\" McDown" <verlon.mcdown@gte.net>
Message-ID: <6vmi8e$bj4$1@news-1.news.gte.net>
Source record: 129599

I need a MRF477 FINAL FOR MY EMPEROR TS5010 HAM MOBILE TRACIEVER. CAN ANY ONE HELP ME FIND ONE. VMCDOWN@aol.com

895. WTB= 32/64 MHZ SDRAM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Paul (ki4xz)" <ki4xz@peganet.com>
Message-ID: <6vmi3g$qc8@andromeda.peganet.net>
Source record: 129600

Would like to buy 32 or 64MHZ SDRAM memory= unbuffered= 168 gold plated
pins= non-ecc= 3.3V= SDRAM bus speed 66MHZ=
Paul London ki4xz@peganet.com ki4xz@kf4hfr 941-637-0179

896. Re: Any opinions on "T-Kit Model 1209 Transverter"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frank Krozel <frank@electronicinstrument.com>
Message-ID: <6vmkgd$lmt@sjx-ixn2.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 129601

I have both the 1208 and the 1210. Like both, both work well. Take your
time, read well, and have fun building and operating. Frank KG9H
Jim Speck wrote in message <6vl447$62o$1@sunhub-tulsa.onenet.net>...
>Noelle M Prosper wrote in message <6vigmu$73l$1@news.fsu.edu>...
>>Does anybody have put together "T-Kit Model 1209 Transverter"?
>>How difficult is it to build (put together) the transverter?
>>How does it perform? Any opinions are welcome and will be
>>greatly appreciated. Thanks.
>
>I've built several (4, I think) for local hams; It's a good kit, with
>progressive build and test steps so you are able to trouble-shoot (if
>necessary) a small section of the board, rather than the whole unit. I had
>occasion to call TT support during the building, and they were very helpful
>with suggestions. There are lots of parts, and several occasions to mess
up
>on the assembly, but careful attention to the manual and drawings is
>rewarded. I'd not recommend this project for a first kit, though. 73, Jim
>W5AI
>
>

897. [Fwd: MODS for TS-950SDX]

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: rcuffee <rcuffee@mci2000.com>
Message-ID: <361ED0E7.995C6043@mci2000.com>
Source record: 129602

Hi,
I am looking for the mods for the Kenwood TS-950SDX. Also do you know
where the digital unit is located?
Thanks,
Reggie

Please email reply to
rcuffee@mci2000.com

898. WTB: TSU-8 SUB AUDIO UNIT !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cees B <pa3fce@bigfoot.com>
Message-ID: <908011408.543528@polka>
Source record: 129603

Hello there,

I am looking for a TSU-8 Sub Audio Unit for a TH79 Porto.
If You have or know something Please let me know !!

73'sssssss <> PA3FCE <> Cees

899. Re: Beacon for 28 MHz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: hduff@ica.net
Message-ID: <361df9d0.0@lightning.ica.net>
Source record: 129604

Martin Cadirola <cadirola@erols.com> wrote:
>Hi there!!!
>I'd like to build or buy a radio beacon for the 10 meter band.
>Any tips/suggestions are very welcome.
>Best regards,
>Martin Cadirola
>E-mail: mcadir1@umbc.edu

I would take advantage of the easy route...
buy a cheap CB and modify it to TX in the
28.2xxx MHz. range. Key the PTT line with
a microcontroller or whatever other means
you desire. Quick and easy 5 watt, 10m beacon !

900. FS: 440 mobile rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: ham_it_up@geocities.COM
Message-ID: <002a01bdf32d$208050c0$b395fcd0@kf4puw>
Source record: 129626

FORSALE:

ICOM IC-481H 440 mobile rig

TX/RX ~400-480mhz, this radio also RX 110-174, but I do not belive this part is working (tried it once, didnt work, never tried it again, probably operator error)
its probably a 9/10 in shape, looks really nice 5/10/35watts out. with N connector (if you dont like N, you get an adapter to SO-239) it has all books, the box, reg. card, I did cut off the old "icom" connector and put on the ARES/RACES/ACS standard molex plugs (looks good). I have the mobile bracket.. its an overall nice radio.. I just feel its time to get an HF radio and I have to sell this one..

Im asking $250.00 or some kind of trade towards a Solid State HF rig(mid to late 80's or better)

Pictures avail at:

http://www.geocities.com/Eureka/Park/3507/ic481.html

Thanks,
Chris
KF4PUW

901. FS: Standard C288A 220 HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: terryr@chesco.com
Message-ID: <361d970e.1889891@news.chesco.com>
Source record: 129627

Standard 220 HT, Model C288A.
Includes (2) 6v/700mah and (1) 4v/700mah batteries, ant, charger base,
box, manual, and schematic. $200

Terry Ryan n3fih
terryr@chesco.com
610-857-5759

902. SM 230 Station Monitor Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: guardm@aol.comjunkblk
Message-ID: <19981009012148.12284.00008966@ng14.aol.com>
Source record: 129628

Is this scope compatable with a TS-830S?
Thanks.
Mev
remove "junkblk" from e-mail address if you drop me a note.

903. Re: ** TS830S a good rig? any/all opinions**

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3670a083.477679273@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 129629

On Thu, 08 Oct 1998 09:06:59 -0700, Gary Reichow <gjr1@po17.rv.unisys.com> wrote:
>I forgot to add one thing. Remember, the 100 watts coming
>out of the TS-830S will sound the same as the 100 watts
>coming out of a 3000 dollar radio. Put your money into
>antennas.
> Gary - KN0V.

Well, it is certainly true that a transmitter is pretty much a
transmitter. There isn't much difference between different
100 watt transmitters. But there can certainly be differences
between receivers. That's where you want to concentrate
your radio money.

Good antennas are always good antennas, but wire is cheap,
so a good antenna shouldn't cost much unless you're into
collecting overpriced aluminum tubing.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

904. FT-50RD Tone Burst?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: valerie65@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6vk71f$3g1$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129630

Anyone know if the Yaesu FT-50RD or RDH comes with a 1750 KHz tone burst device? Thanks, KE6OCM

-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

905. Re: Grundig Satellit series?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: rwhutch@nr.infi.net
Message-ID: <6vkato$1la$1@nw003t.infi.net>
Source record: 129631
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

I gather that the 700 series has been discontinued, but there WAS a 900 series planned, which had to be "rethought" when one of the primary components was discontinued by its manufacturer. Does anyone know whether the 900 series ever "got off the ground" or whether there is a replacement for it, or whether if not YET off the ground, there is now a date when it will be? A few 900s did show up at trade fairs, and there was a picture of one in an old issue of "Passport," but they were pre-production copies, and it never went into production.

"I would predict that there are far greater mistakes waiting
to be made by someone with your obvious talent for it."
Orac to Vila. [City at the Edge of the World.]

R.W. Hutchinson. | rwhutch@nr.infi.net

906. Re: FT-50RD Tone Burst?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@groucho.cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <6vkd7s$1su@groucho.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 129632

valerie65@my-dejanews.com writes:
>Anyone know if the Yaesu FT-50RD or RDH comes with a 1750 KHz tone burst
>device? Thanks, KE6OCM

It can generate the tone, and you can program it so the middle button
on the side (just below the PTT) sends tone burst instead of opening
receiver squelch.

Dave

907. Re: FT50RD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Jack T.Dragon" <tdragonn@blarg.net>
Message-ID: <361DC1F6.464D@blarg.net>
Source record: 129633

> DOES ANY ONE KNOW TX MOD FOR THE FT50RD!
> IS IT THE SAME AS THE FT50R MOD

Well, I wouldn't suggest transmitting out of band. But who dosen't do the mod, just because. Well, the FT-50rd is pretty much the exact same as the FT-50r, except that that've fixed some problems with it (power button, battery drain, wide band FM rx), and it comes with the enhanced FTT-12 keypad stock. Otherwise, it's the same as the FT-50r.
However, Yaesu has changed the ROM. You can no longer set the newer radios to freeband mode, and cell is blocked on all country code settings.
You can still do some out of band TX by performing the mars/cap mod that involves removing a little blob of solder behind the keypad. It's not as wide as the freeband mod, but it's all you can do. You can also set the radio to 05h / Canadian mode to let teh radio rx 200-299.995mhz without affecting TX bands, but cell still won't work.
I'm working on a cell mod, and will definately keep the group informed.

You can read my FAQ at:

http://www.blarg.net/~tdragon/faqs/

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/---------------------------+---------------------------\
-=Jack the TechnoDragon=-	Please remove the second,
a.k.a.	anti-spamming N from the
-=Jack T.Dragon=-	end of tdragon in my
tdragonn@blarg.net	address to respond.
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908. HF & VHF GEAR: For Sale : hamfest at home this weekend!! EL PASO OCT 23rd

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Murray Neece" <kc5mdm@iglobal.net>
Message-ID: <361DEDD3.830C5C99@iglobal.net>
Source record: 129634
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

The leaves are turning in Odessa, Texas, and I am staying home to rake them and rest from all the hamfesting travel....Next Stop EL PASO, Texas OCT 23rd.

Heres what I have for sale in HF & VHF: too many interesting tuners to list, but if you need a good one from 1.2kw to 3kw, let me know and I will tell you about em....Rigs Include: Yaesu FT 990 @ $1195.oo, Yaesu FT 900at @ $895.oo, Yaesu FT 840\fm @ $575.oo, all very nice....Icom 736 hf\6m @ $1095.oo(super like new), Kenwood TS 830S\late $525. very nice, Kenwood TS 50S, very nice @ $650.oo, Kenwood TS 711A with matching speaker $695 (near mint), Yaesu SP5 speaker like new $110.oo with DSP 59 Y in it $375.oo, Amps: Heathkit SB 220 , $550.oo , Heathkit SB 220 all measures mods $595.oo, Clipperton L's, have two with tuned inputs and very nice shape..with 811a's $495, with 572b's $550...killer amps for the money....If you dont see what you want, drop me a line, I may have forgotten some of it, will trade, can send pix if you like, Can take mastercard and visa thru my convenience store: Everything gauranteed good working order or refunded....Shipping you pay, shiip it your way.....I will pro-pack it and if dropped from under 10 feet it will probably make it....Still have Worthmore mobile amps at $329 and convinced its the best buy mobile amp around....change your mobile experience.....add 350 watts + and be heard by all you can hear!! OH! I have an Icom IC 2KL amp, pretty as new!! Want $1000+ or trade....All trades considered but take mostly HF gear....I have need of an Alinco DX 70TH , An Icom 746, A Yaesu FT 920, and am always interested in buying good used gear... Thanks Murray K5MDM Murray's Radio Ranch: Buy Sell Trade Swap Amateur Radio (Ham Radio) Equipment

909. Spectronics DD-1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul <w9ned@blueriver.net>
Message-ID: <6vktmu$4h7$1@dagobah.blueriver.net>
Source record: 129635

Hello all, I am looking for any info you might have a Spectronics Digital Display DD-1.
I picked it up at a Hamfest as part of a buy (TS-520s) I was told that it "might not work" but that
it would work with the TS-520s.
Well it doesnt work, at least the counter wont count.

What I need is to know if it will work with the 520s ?
and does any one have a schematic for it ?

thx
Paul
w9ned@blueriver.net

910. WTB: UNIDEN 2600 10 METER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ken <davedogg@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <361DFA7A.C9C2025A@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 129636

I am looking for a 2600 in very good to MINT condition.

E-Mail me with info.

If yours is modified, tell me what the mods are.
If you dont have a price in mind, we'll work that out.
I'm not cheap, I just want a good radio.

Don't be shy, all e-mails replied to.

I am ready to send the money. Had one once and sorry I got rid of it.
WB4MYE Ken Anderson
Pompano Beach FL (near Lauderdale)

911. WTB: UNIDEN 2600 10 METER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ken <davedogg@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <361DFAD2.3F27AB61@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 129637

I am looking for a 2600 in very good to MINT condition.

E-Mail me with info.

If yours is modified, tell me what the mods are.
If you dont have a price in mind, we'll work that out.
I'm not cheap, I just want a good radio.

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WB4MYE Ken Anderson
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912. HAMFEST October 25, 1998 - Lindenhurst, LI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: W2GSB <info@gsbarc.org>
Message-ID: <nlnT1.9289$i16.22479040@news.optonline.net>
Source record: 129638

HAMFEST October 25, 1998 - Lindenhurst, LI

GREAT SOUTH BAY AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
ARRL APPROVED LONG ISLAND HAMFEST-COMPUTER SHOW - OCTOBER 25, 1998

LINDENHURST, LI - NY

On October 25, 1998 the Great South Bay Amateur Radio Club will again
sponsor an indoor Hamfest-Computer Show. The location will be at the:

Knights of Columbus
400 South Broadway, Lindenhurst, NY.
This is an ARRL approved Hamfest.

There will be radio equipment, electronic componets, computers and access-
ories, softeware, books, technical manulas, ARRL information, Amateur Radio
License Exams, Door Prizes.

Advanced registration is $15.00 each table. Tables at the door are $20.00
each. Contact Peter Portanova WB2OQQ at 516 541-4886 for table reserations.
NO TABLES WILL BE RESERVED WITHOUT PRIOR PAYMENT due to the space available.

General admission is $ 6.00. $5.00 with coupon. (Coupons will be available
at the door.)

VE - ARRL - 12:00 NOON
For exam candidates please remember to bring your original FCC Amateur
Radio license (if licensed), any C.S.C.E. forms that are pending, plus a
photocopy of each, pens, calculator, formal form of ID (preferably photo ID),
and the examination fee, to the exam seesion. 1998 ARRL/VEC fee is $ 6.35,
exact change is appreciated. Novice exams are free.
The VE team is from ISLIP ARES Group and GSBARC. Thanks guys.

Talk-in will be via GSBARC Repeaters on 146.685 4Z(136.5) PL.

Food Service during the Hamfest will be provided by members of the Knights
of Columbus Council.

Information is also available during the GSBARC 2 meter info net every
Monday evening at 7:00 pm following the Newsline Report on the W2GSB repeater, 146.685 -600 4Z(136.5) PL required. You may also write to:

Great South Bay ARC
P.O. Box 1356
West Babylon, NY 11704

E-mail GSBARC at info@gsbarc.or or visit GSBARC online at
http://www.gsbarc.org/hamfest.htm

NEXT HAMFEST- March 7, 1999 - October 24, 1999

73,
GSBARC

913. FS: Sony 7600G

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: wplanck@netusa1.net
Message-ID: <6vl20k$6a5$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129639
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

FS: Sony 7600G, manual, box, case, excellent cond. $110 shipped to US 48, US Postal money order. Very nice radio.
Bill K9KZ
wplanck@netusa1.net

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
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914. FS: Icom IC-706 (late production run)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cregger <ecregger@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <6vl0cv$k29$1@camel19.mindspring.com>
Source record: 129640

The rig is complete with packing manuals and hardware. Never mobile. Includes 8-pin mic adaptor and SM-8 desk microphone. Everything works and no known problems. No physical damage such as scratches, mars or dents. $650 firm. Establish e-mail contact before attempting a phone call. I moved to Georgia since last year and am not current in the callbook.

Ed Cregger, NM2K
ecregger@mindspring.com

915. FS: Yaesu FT-890/AT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cregger <ecregger@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <6vl0hp$je8$1@camel19.mindspring.com>
Source record: 129641

Excellent condition and works perfectly as best as I can tell. Comes with stock mic, power cord, manuals and original shipping carton. Price is $850 firm, which includes an almost new Yaesu desk mic.

Establish e-mail contact before attempting a phone call. I moved to Georgia since last year and am not current in the callbook.

Ed Cregger
ecregger@mindspring.com

916. FS: RF Concepts 2 meter amp, 10 in - 170 out

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cregger <ecregger@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <6vl0krrg1@camel19.mindspring.com>
Source record: 129642

Excellent condition, works perfectly. No box or manual. That's the way I got it. $250 firm. Does include power cord.

Establish e-mail contact before attempting a phone call. I moved to Georgia since last year and am not current in the callbook.

Ed Cregger, NM2K
ecregger@mindspring.com

917. FS: Radio Shack HTX-440 HTs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: bpatton@infohwy.com
Message-ID: <MPG.1087c6a2582add82989686@news.infohwy.com>
Source record: 129643

I have for sale the following HTs:

2 - Radio Shack HTX-404 440mhz Handie Talkies
Very Good Condition......

$100.00 each

If Interested: Bill Patton bpatton@infohwy.com

918. Re: Opinions on dual band ht's...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: abrankodxxx@usa.net
Message-ID: <abrankodxxx-0910980932170001@207-172-193-196.s5.as8.nyd.erols.com>
Source record: 129644

In article <19981007002818.20101.00000052@ng72.aol.com>, user66@aol.com
(User 66) wrote:

>All of the new Ht's out there are really disappointing
>
>Yaesu 51 >>very poor hissy audio
>NO POWER JACK on the radio !!!!!!!!!

I love the 51, definetely not hissy audio... its pretty full and quite loud.
As for there not being a power jack on the radio, what the hell is the
point when you have a drop in charger? its like wondering why theres no
power jack on a motorola saber. BTW, this radio has one of the BEST front
ends available on an HT. Living in NYC and using the 51 regularly on a
10dB dualband cushcraft beam has resulted in little intermod breakthrough.
Main gripe i have about the radio is the fact that there are no 9.6v
batteries available over 650mAh.

>
>Yaesu ft 50 >>> (handgranade)
>ONE BAND AT A TIME ONLY
>no X band !!!!!!!!
>a step backwards 10 years
>CRAPY RECEIVER

I agree, this is probably the most disappointing radio on earth.
Only feature that is even halfway decent is DPL.

>
>VX1-r >>poor selectivity
>various problems
>had mine in for repairs 4 times

I have an A106 version, and have had no real problems using the radio for
what it was intended. a tiny close range simplex talkie... also i use it
for its DPL encode... 200$ DPL encoder, maybe.. but its cute...

>
>KEnwood
>
>th-79 so so ,don't like the menu crap
>new version UNREASONABLY priced
>haven't really had a chance to test receiver

A friend of mine has this radio, and i say its pretty decent except for 2
things, relative fragility (he broke the aluminum heatsink off at the bnc
connector after dropping the radio) and the battery lock, the battery will
fall off when you jump up and down...

>
>THG 71a like the ft50 step backwards 10 years
>ONE BAND AT A TIME, no X band rpt

Again, I agree that it is indeed a step back...

>
>ICOM:
>
>W32a
>DON'T BUY THIS RADIO !!!
>the receiver is a DISASTER
>gets completely overloaded and desensed
>even with the ruber duckie
>ABSOLUTELLY USELESS !!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Wholehearted agreement about the whole thing, and to top off its batteries
cost a fortune.

>
>IC-T7a more of the same
>and ONLY ONE BAND AT A TIME !!!

Agree.

>
>Alinco:
>
>Give me a break !!
>
>
>ADI:
>never tried one
>seems like older design maybe a copy of the ft 530

I had a chance to use the ADI AT600, Its intermod rejection isnt the best
in the world, but it does offer reasonably good quality and features at a
very reduced cost.

>
>
>NOTHING WORKS LIKE THE GOOD OLD YAESU FT530

I have a 530. I love this radio more than anything except for one thing.
what the hell is up with that built in speaker audio? it is the quietest
and most distorted thing on earth. no problem when hooked up to a mh-29a
or other speakermike, but the internal speaker is TERRIBLE! Is there ANY
way to remedy it?

Daniel
KC2BGZ

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Remove xxx from my address to reply.

919. Re: Looking for Tekscope THS720/730

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: abrankodxxx@usa.net
Message-ID: <abrankodxxx-0910980956120001@207-172-193-196.s5.as8.nyd.erols.com>
Source record: 129645

In article <361A8AF5.D0111E65@slip.net>, overa@slip.net wrote:

>hi,
>
>Loking for a Tektronix Tekscope THS720/730 handheld scopemeter. Any
>help greatly appreciated.
>
>
>PLease forward other newsgroups that might be of help.
>
>thanks,
>
>me :)

Well, go to www.tektronix.com they have a dealer directory there. As for the used market, these units are still a bit too new to be showing up there.

I love my THS720A Its a wonderful scope. It has excellent features like 100MHz bandwidth, True (one shot) 500MS/s sample rate PER CHANNEL!, and dual digitizers. Timebase to 50nS/div, voltage sensitivity to 5mV with a 1x probe, a big bright 4.7" diagonal display, math functions, etc.

The scope comes with:
1, Tekscope of your choice. THS710A, THS720A, THS720P, or THS730A
1, NIST Certificate of Traceable calibration.
2, 10x P6117 200MHz Scope Probes with clip adapters
1, Black Mueller 1kV Meter probe with screw on alligator clip and hook clip
1, Red Mueller 1kV Meter probe with screw on alligator clip and hook clip
1, rechargeable battery pack
1, wall wart power adapter
1, 8 conductor cable with 2 RJ-45 jacks
1, RJ-45<->DB-9 converter
1, envelope with windows/win95 wavestar program demo. (dont even ask about macs, I contacted tek, and they state that they do not have an interest in producing macintosh software for the tekscope line, nor do they even have a mac onsite. If you need mac help, email me.)
1, Nylon, foam filled form fitting carry case.
various manuals
TekScope THS720P also comes with an inductive coupling scope probe i believe.

Hope thats the info you're looking for...

-Daniel
kc2bgz

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Remove xxx from my address to reply.

920. Re: Any opinions on "T-Kit Model 1209 Transverter"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Speck <speck@qns.com>
Message-ID: <6vl447$62o$1@sunhub-tulsa.onenet.net>
Source record: 129646

Noelle M Prosper wrote in message <6vigmu$73l$1@news.fsu.edu>...
>Does anybody have put together "T-Kit Model 1209 Transverter"?
>How difficult is it to build (put together) the transverter?
>How does it perform? Any opinions are welcome and will be
>greatly appreciated. Thanks.

I've built several (4, I think) for local hams; It's a good kit, with progressive build and test steps so you are able to trouble-shoot (if necessary) a small section of the board, rather than the whole unit. I had occasion to call TT support during the building, and they were very helpful with suggestions. There are lots of parts, and several occasions to mess up on the assembly, but careful attention to the manual and drawings is rewarded. I'd not recommend this project for a first kit, though. 73, Jim W5AI

921. Icom R-100 Backlight Problem?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Knight <paul.knight@prairiecomm.com>
Message-ID: <6vl689$sh4$1@eve.enteract.com>
Source record: 129647

Hi! Has anyone had the backlight go out on their Icom R-100 receiver?
If so, did the repair require the replacement of the LCD itself?

Thanks for any information on this topic,

Paul WD8DKY

922. FT-50RD & DC power input

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Knight <paul.knight@prairiecomm.com>
Message-ID: <6vl6bgsje1@eve.enteract.com>
Source record: 129648

Hello! When one connects the FT-50RD to 12V via an EDC-5B, does that power source only power the radio, or does it also charge the battery? I have all the docs for both the radio and the charger, and there is no info in either.

Thanks much for any info -

Paul WD8DKY

923. Re: Consequence of using NiCD drop-in charger on NiMh battery?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: clintbrad4d@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <6vl8uk$ha5$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129649

In article <dgfF0IIA9.7uI@netcom.com>,
dgf@netcom.com (David Feldman) wrote:

> Any thoughts?

Since NiMH cells only last about 1/3 the total number of discharge/charge cycles than do NiCd cells, it is very important to treat them properly. And NiMH cells demand a very different algorithm for charging than do NiCds. And, as you accidentally discovered, any NiMH charger that is worthwhile should take heat into consideration when charging NiMH cells.

So...NO, your "built-for-NiCd" will not properly charge NiMH packs. It will mis-treat them, and, due to excessive heat build-up, diminish the life of your NiMH packs.

- Clint bradford

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924. Yaesu FRG-7 For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: charger7878@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6vl92sheb1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129650

I have a Yaesu FRG-7 in mint condition for sale. It works perfectly. Recently posted at $200, reduced to $150.00 firm.

Leave E-Mail to 'deanntx@e-tex.com' if interested

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925. PMSM - Need pour men's moden

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Albert Kalman <kalbert@agora.ro>
Message-ID: <01bdf390$33af2b40$5d7be2c1@CHARLOTTE.agora.ro>
Source record: 129651

I need the schematic for a simple and cheap packet radio monem.

Thanks

YO6OFY - Zoli

926. Re: 10 meter mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: jordan@santanet.com
Message-ID: <6vldne$og7$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129652

I have an HTX-100 for sale or trade with manual, mike, and bracket and no mods done.

Looking for $125 + shipping or handheld GPS unit.

Paul Jordan
KL0AN
Fairbanks, AK

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927. wanted transverters for Kenwood TS-520

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: kmc739@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981009121052.24476.00007566@ng150.aol.com>
Source record: 129653

I'm looking for the 6m and 2m transverters for the Kenwood TS-520. Let me know.

Kerry Chase
KB4KDL
kmc739@aol.com

928. FS: HTX-100, last chance

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: jordan@santanet.com
Message-ID: <6vlh29uff1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129654

I still have the Realistic HTX-100 for sale for $125.00 + shipping or I'm considering trades for a 2 meter mobile or a GPS unit.

I already have 3 offers on the table that I am pondering and I will make my final decision Saturday night.

If you have an offer for this radio, e-mail me a reply before 9pm Alaska time Saturday the 9th of October.

Thanks,
Paul Jordan
KL0AN
Fairbanks, AK

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929. FS: On E-bay Mirage B-3016 2m Amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: mikrounit@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <361e37ca.338447@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 129655

Hello All,

I have a Mirage B-3016, 2m Amp, 30 watts in, 160 watts out, all-mode.
Go check it out on E-bay:

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=34348899

It is Item #: 34348899

It is at $140 right now!!!!
Thanks & 73,

Mike Green KQ6MU

930. Re: Fry's Electronics a "RIP OFF"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Duane Park <dspark@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <361E34C1.9D5C6AB7@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 129656

OK you Fry's fans, here is another horror story from another
news group........

Subject:
CONSUMER ALERT: Fry's returns policy
Date:
Thu, 08 Oct 1998 19:50:58 -0700
From:
e_r_m@my-dejanews.com (Esther Michaels)
Organization:
None; I'd rather be skiing
Newsgroups:
comp.sys.mac.portables, comp.sys.mac.hardware.misc,
comp.sys.ibm.pc.hardware.misc, comp.windows.misc

WARNING:
BEWARE buying things from Fry's.
The returns staff have become ABUSIVE
and CONFRONTATIONAL, and it is VERY
DIFFICULT to get them to honor their
returns policy.

I have just had the day from hell, helped in no small part by Fry's
Brokaw
Road (San Jose).

I returned a flat panel LCD monitor, which I had had for 28 days. It
was
in as-new condition, with all the original packaging materials
(including
twist ties, even!), and I had the Fry's receipt.

From the get-go, the returns staff were abusive and accused me
repeatedly
of treating Fry's as a "rental place". They asked me several times why
I
wanted to return it -- despite the fact that their returns policy does
not
state that only defective items can be returned. Their attitude was,
that
if the only reason I wanted to return it was that I didn't want it, they

wouldn't refund me. They essentially treated me like a criminal. At
one
stage there were three Fry's employees trying to do a 'power play' on
me.

On at least two occasions, they told me that the reason they couldn't accept it for return was that it was no longer in new condition. This was
despite the fact that I *knew* it was in as-new condition, and on each occasion I challenged them to open it up and inspect it fully and find *one*thing* wrong with it. At no time did they do this.

In the end I asked to speak to the store manager. The supervisor of the

returns section twice tried to fob me off by telling me he was 'the manager'. Each time I asked him "Are you the store manager?" After the

second of these exchanges, he got the manager on the phone and he (the manager) duly appeared. Right away, he explained to me that he was prepared to refund me for the monitor (despite what his staff had been saying), but I would have to accept a deduction of $70 "restocking fee" since I had had the monitor 28 days and so it could not possibly be as-new. Once again I invited him to have it inspected, and to show me the
reason it was not as-new. He also did not do this.

By this time, I had spent nearly half an hour arguing with Fry's employees, so I accepted the manager's offer, thinking that being $70 out
of pocket was a lot better than $1,000!

I got home and told my husband the story; he was so annoyed that he rang

the store, and spoke to the returns manager (another one was on duty by this time). This person told my husband that there was no reason I should
have been charged the restocking fee, and if I would drive up there he could give me the money back. This is a 40 minutes round trip, however since it was the only way we were going to get the money back, I got in the car and drove up there.

At no time during the phone conversation, or during the time I spent at Fry's this evening getting the $70, did this person recognize the waste of
my time that this constituted. When I asked for an apology while at the

store, he gave me the most empty-sounding apology I've ever heard. It was
clear that he didn't really think there is a problem with his staff's attitude towards customers.

So, this episode has cost me over an hour of my time, and I have been abused, accused of ripping off Fry's, treated generally appallingly, and

had money taken off me that should never have been taken. Oh, and because
of their silly accounting system, the monitor's invoice was "voided" by the first credit today, so that to get the final $70 I had to have it deducted from another Fry's invoice as a "price adjustment". So, if I

need to return the items on that invoice, I will only get the balance outstanding on that invoice. So, once again I will be out $70.

On the back of their invoices, it says "THANK YOU FOR CHOOSING FRY'S ...

Home of fast, friendly, courteous service" -- Yeah, right! Has
anyone
ever had
(1) fast
(2) friendly
or
(3) courteous
service from Fry's? I doubt it.

My advice: if you buy something from Fry's, make damn sure you won't want
to take it back. That is, unless you like being treated like a criminal.
--
Esther Michaels
e_r_m@my-dejanews.com

931. Help Manual -Heath IM 5238 !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Souhrada <wb9iog@revealed.net>
Message-ID: <361E3468.6656@revealed.net>
Source record: 129657

Really would appreciate locating a manual for this SS A/C Voltmeter
None are listed in the usual sources. Mid to late '70's vintage.

Mike
Le Claire, Ia

932. WTB Visar UHF Low W / keypad

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: ligosa@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981009125701.09107.00005950@ng-fb2.aol.com>
Source record: 129658

WTB Visar UHF Low W / keypad

Ligosa@aol.com

933. FS: T-T Digital Century 21 and computer stuff

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "William D. Redfearn, Jr." <william.redfearn@nt.com>
Message-ID: <361E27AC.91520B22@nt.com>
Source record: 129659
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

HAM stuff for sale:

Ten -Tec Digital Century 21 HF CW Transceiver
80 - 10 Meters, no WARC bands
75 watts input, ~35 watts output CW
Digital frequency display, RIT, switchable audio CW filter
Direct conversion receiver
Built-in AC supply or runs on external 12 vDC

Good condition, slight wear, everything works.
Offset and Tune buttons replaced with R/S buttons.
Slight corrosion near Calibrator jack on rear.
With manual

$175.00 OBO

Computer stuff for sale:

Rolodex REX PC companion
256K, leather case
TrueSync software
With disks, manual, box, extra batteries
Good condition, slight wear, everything works
$60.00 OBO

Accton EtherPocket-SP Ethernet parallel port adapter
Switchable 10baseT (twisted pair) or 10base2 (coax) Ethernet adapter
With manual, disks, and AC wall cube supply
$40.00 OBO

Microcom Travelporte pocket modem
14.4 K data/fax, MNP-10
runs on battery or AC power
with RS-232 cable and AC wall cube supply
$30.00 OBO

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Dave Redfearn, BPS Network Design, NORTEL, Richardson, TX.
Email: william.redfearn@NOJUNKnortel.com (to reply,remove NOJUNK)
QRL? de N4ELM/qrp

All opinions are my own, no one else wants them.

934. Re: Ham-Equip Digest V98 #1172

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: gzabriskie@fcaog.aog.state.ut.US
Message-ID: <199810091718.LAA09639@fcaog.aog.state.ut.us>
Source record: 129660

>
> Date: Thu, 08 Oct 1998 21:14:44 -0700
> From: "Marc Robins" <marc29400@vmicro.com>
> Subject: 2m HT Amplifer NEW fs
>
> 2m HT Amplifer NEW for sale
>
> 2m HT power amplifier for sale. Radio Shack compact amplifier for mobile
or
> base operation. Includes receiver pre-amp built-in. 0.5-5w input gives up
to
>
> 30w output. Operates on 13.8 vdc. NEW IN THE BOX! $50.
>
> 73 de WA6NJR
> Marc

Amazing since RS closed them out here for $29.95

935. Re: need service manual for Yaesu FT 2400

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Casey <kd7afd@doitnow.com>
Message-ID: <6vlj2n$sj2$1@supernews.com>
Source record: 129661

Hi Nancy,

I recently opened my FT-2400 to change the light bulbs. It really wasn't a big deal. I don't have a service manual, though.

Here's what I remember.

First you should pull the knobs off. These are volume squelch, and tuning. Just pull, there's nothing holding them on but friction.

There are 2 black socket head screws on the front panel. They require a metric allen wrench. Removed these screws and the faceplate assembly can be removed. There are wires still attached so don't pull too far.

Looking in on the back of the faceplate assembly you will see the circuit board that holds all of the buttons and controls. Remove the three phillips head screws that hold this board on. Be careful as you lift the circuit board out as the button actuators could fall out. Keep the circuit board side up and gravity will keep the buttons in place. This happened to me. No big deal putting them back in though.

Next, take out the screw that holds the microphone connector in. Now the front panel is free from the circuit board.

Next, remove the nut from the tuning knob. This nut secures the white plastic illuminator/reflector that is covering the light bulbs.

Now, using a good soldering iron and a skilled hand (I had a friend with better skills than mine do this part,) remove and replace all four bulbs. You should replace even the good ones. Take the round spacers off the old bulbs and slip them onto the new bulbs before soldering them in.

Of course, reassembly is the reverse of disassembly.

I suggest you call Yaesu and order the bulbs. I bought five. They are only a dollar apiece (+$4 shipping). I looked for quite awhile and was unable to find a suitable replacement. By the way, these are 9 volt bulbs.

73 es Good luck!

Keith Casey KC7KC

936. FT: HRO-7T for hf xcvr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: ccar@geocities.com
Message-ID: <6vlq2k$d76$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129662

I have a VERY nice National HRO-7T, no mods, very good condition, with...

115 vac doghouse ps. 6 vdc doghouse ps. all coil sets available for the HRO-7 plus the VLF coil from a HRO-5 that works great in the HRO-7. matching speaker. manual (photocopy)

These are a set, not collected seperatly and put together. The original owner bought it all together, (except HRO-5 VLF coil). I won't break up the set. I have not tested the 6 vdc ps. Everything else works great. Rig has not been recapped, but is aligned.

I want to trade for a hf transciever, Kenwood, Yaesu, Icom... Must be in very good working/cosmetic condition.

Pictures of the HRO-7T are available via email upon request.

Thanks

Craig wb6rmp

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937. FS: Kenwood YK-88C/YK-88A filters - $100/pair

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3bj@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6vlo1q$a5g$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129663
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For sale: Kenwood YK-88C CW filter (500 Hz) and YK-88A AM filter (6 Khz) for lots of the Kenwoods of past years. Good shape, look new.

$100 shipped for the pair

$53 for either shipped

Alan, N3BJ
Bent Mountain, VA

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938. FS-OLD Sonar and Gonsett rigs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: williamsr@imsnet.com
Message-ID: <6vlk0uimn1@news-1.news.gte.net>
Source record: 129664

I have a very old Sonar Transceiver (tube type) 120v/12v rig. I also have a Gonsett 2m (probably AM) transceiver with amp (not sure of output). If anyone is interested, I will be glad to e-mail you the model and serial #'s. Willing to sell pretty cheap, or trade for a 2m HT.

939. For Sale!- 3 NIB NOS 6KD6s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pinky and The Brain <odin@webspan.net>
Message-ID: <6vll2p$aat@news.webspan.net>
Source record: 129665
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap

Three (3) Westinghouse 6KD6 sweep tubes. NOS NIB. $100.00 + S&H.

Steve

940. FOR SALE!!- Yaesu SP-401 Speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pinky and The Brain <odin@webspan.net>
Message-ID: <6vll7k$b2i@news.webspan.net>
Source record: 129666
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

This is the matching speaker for the 400/500 "boat anchor" series. $25.00 + S&H

Steve

941. Re: FT-50RD & DC power input

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@groucho.cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <6vlm8o$2os@groucho.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 129667

"Paul Knight" <paul.knight@prairiecomm.com> writes:
>Hello! When one connects the FT-50RD to 12V via an EDC-5B, does that
>power source only power the radio, or does it also charge the battery?
>I have all the docs for both the radio and the charger, and there is no
>info in either.

It charges the battery, if a rechargeable pack is installed. The
radio has no way of knowing whether the power is coming from the AC
charger or some other external DC source. The charger circuitry is
in the FT-50 itself, and any time the external power source exceeds
the battery voltage by a few volts, charging happens.

It may not say anything about this in the radio manual, but all the
circuitry that does it is in the block diagram and schematic diagram
that is included with the radio. Look for blocks labelled "CHG REG"
and "REG SW" on the block diagram. They're located near the DC
power input and the battery 3-pin connector.

Dave

942. Re: Opinions on dual band ht's...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: quinkman@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981009150516.16332.00004361@ng133.aol.com>
Source record: 129668

What the best dual band ht now available then?

943. SB-220 Help?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: nd4z@alltel.net
Message-ID: <6vlt4bhkk1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129669

I have a problem with my Heath SB-220 linear amp. on 80 meters only. It only puts out 400 watts into a dummey load ant. all the other bands have normal output. I checked the plate voltage, plate current, and grid current all to be normal. I calculated the input power to be 1400 watts with a mere 300 out. Also I noticed the tune control to have no effect on the power output while tunning, it acts like it's not even there, yet on the other bands it works as normal.By the way my drive power is 100 watts from a Kenwood Ts-440-s. If anyone out there has any ideas on what could cause this problem or what to check for, or perhaps had a simular problem,please drop me a line.I would really appreciate it, since I am at witts end. Thank You, Rick Hatalski ND4Z

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944. Hamfest!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: n5rkn <n5rkn@apex2000.net>
Message-ID: <361E665D.2167C3DD@apex2000.net>
Source record: 129670

We are less than 30 days away from the Odessa Texas 15th Annual Hamfest!

If you haven't been here, don't miss this year! Lots of prizes, hidden transmitter hunts, lots of door prizes, lots of fun. We fill 21,600sq ft of space with over 200 tables of vendors & hams. Yes, we are not the largest fest around.... But, we like to think it's a fun and great fest. Ask any of the dealers that have been attending for years.
Texas Bugcatcher
The Ham Store (KCOMM)
WB0W
Rad-Com Radio
and many more...

This year is the first year we have had online & secure registration. No, you do not need to attend to be eligible for the major prize drawings on Sunday. And, any unclaimed registrations are put into the hopper prior to the major drawings on Sunday. Hey! Come check out the Sunday Lunch/BBQ!
Prizes include:
Alinco DX-70T
ICOM 2710
ICOM T7A
ICOM T2A
ICOM T2A (yes, two of them)
ALINCO C1T (2 of them)
ALINCO C4T (2 of them)
COMET GP-6
And...possibly a full computer w/monitor...still working on this prize.

Check out our webpage at: http://nonprofit.apex2000.net/hamfest/

Robert Jordan Hamfest Chairman 1990-current
N5RKN ICQ #1097464
mailto:n5rkn@apex2000.net
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"If you dig a hole that's deep enough,
everyone will want to jump into it."
Firesign Theatre

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945. FS Service Monitor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "j.kyong" <j.kyong@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <361E67D5.DA8BEAFA@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 129671

Hi all
I have for sale CT Systems,Inc
(Wavetek 3000B Service Monitor .Same Design,Fuction.... Made by Wavetek)
Model: 3000B Service Monitor
Good working condition
$800.00 plus UPS
Tel:714-778-5151
*****ITEM DESCRIPTION *****
FREQUENCY RANGE 400KHZ TO 1GHZ,
RF OUTPUT 0.03UV TO 316 MV,RECEIVE SENSITIVITY 2UV,
RF SWEEP GENERATOR,TONE GENERATOR/DECODER,
FM MARKER AT 600HZ AND 5KHZ,INTERNAL WATTMETER,
INTERNAL DISTORTIONANALYZER,OSCILLOSCOPE,
BENCH MOUNTING,7.250 IN. H16.250 IN.
W,16.000 IN, 115/230VDC,50/60Hz, 12VDC
Tel:714-778-5151
Thanks

946. ICOM PRC 1000...is it any good?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: PAW <73457.650@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <#hMAfq789GA.44@nih2naab.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 129672

Anyone have the new black box by Icom? How is it? Birdies,
Intermod with 'real' antenna, etc.

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PAW
(W9JMN@Compuserve.com) Check our site for mikes, ham, video, etc
http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/w9jmn

947. Re: FS: Sony 7600G - SOLD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: wplanck@netusa1.net
Message-ID: <6vm0q4oel1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129673
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

> FS: Sony 7600G, manual, box, case, excellent cond. $110 shipped to US 48, US
> Postal money order. Very nice radio.
> Bill K9KZ
> wplanck@netusa1.net

Thanks to all who responded.
Bill K9KZ

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948. Re: WTB: UNIDEN 2600 10 METER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Nadzam <nadzam@bills2way.com>
Message-ID: <361E6F28.6D103ECF@bills2way.com>
Source record: 129674

We have two in new condition, with Chipswitch installed.
$245 each.

Ken wrote:
>
> I am looking for a 2600 in very good to MINT condition.
>
> E-Mail me with info.
>
> If yours is modified, tell me what the mods are.
> If you dont have a price in mind, we'll work that out.
> I'm not cheap, I just want a good radio.
>
> Don't be shy, all e-mails replied to.
>
> I am ready to send the money. Had one once and sorry I got rid of it.
> WB4MYE Ken Anderson
> Pompano Beach FL (near Lauderdale)

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Bill Nadzam "K8WN"
mailto:nadzam@bills2way.com
http://www.bills2way.com
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949. WTB Alinco Credit Card Dual Band

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: ian McCloy <ian_mccloy@bc.sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <6vls4m$170$1@news.bctel.net>
Source record: 129675

Looking for the new Alinco Dual Band Credit Card Radio. Must in Mint Condition.

Ian
Ve7ira

950. FS: KENWD TS-830S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: aldel@ibm.net
Message-ID: <361d5910.1219444@news3.ibm.net>
Source record: 129706

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Kenwood TS-830s Excellent.
130 Watts out. Mic, Man,etc.
$495.00. Call any Eve.
215/673-0485
aldel@ibm.net
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951. Re: FS:RADIOSHACK HTX-202

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: fireball_1000@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6vjl0ibvk1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129707

hi I just wanted to know How Much do you want for HTX-202 all standard accs. belt clip, antenna, 2 battery packs, one ni-cad rechargeable and other uses 6 AA's will include a speaker mike with clip on back.

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952. Re: FS:RADIOSHACK HTX-202

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: fireball_1000@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6vjl0jbvl1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129708

hi I just wanted to know How Much do you want for HTX-202 all standard accs. belt clip, antenna, 2 battery packs, one ni-cad rechargeable and other uses 6 AA's will include a speaker mike with clip on back.

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953. Re: Tech America

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Arthur H. Wertz" <artwertz@express-news.net>
Message-ID: <361D5A59.EA1ACCAD@express-news.net>
Source record: 129709
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

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Dealers will be glad to sell you anything you're dumb enough to buy
from them!!!!
They don't sell GEICO insurance -
They don't sell license tags - the state does - if a dealer won't
give you
temporary tags so you can go buy your own tags, you need to find
another
dealer!!!
Apparently the car dealers in California own enough legislators to
make
their own rules -
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Art Wertz N5AEN
artwertz@express-news.net
http://www.qsl.net/~n5aen
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954. WTB Dentron Amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: fun4sume@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981008210702.28440.00009286@ng37.aol.com>
Source record: 129710

Looking for a Dentron amp.
If you have one Email me.
Thanks Dave..

955. Do i need a Balun?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: fun4sume@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981008212447.15208.00008242@ng144.aol.com>
Source record: 129711

I just purchased a Mosley T-33 junior Tribander beam,should i use a Balun with it?
Thanks Dave...

956. Ranger RCI 2900 10M Radio schematic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ladi H Prochazka <harry@infoserve.net>
Message-ID: <01bdf2e8$cba0f620$9e9dafc7@SLIPHARRY>
Source record: 129712

Looking for schematic so my radio can be repaired.
The Ranger in San Diego does not have it ?????????which shows their
commitment to excellence.
Please write fax call collect:
Harry@infoserve.net
phone/ fax 604 277 3858
Thankyou.

N7SOO

957. FS: Morse Code Tapes (14)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: mattlin1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981008213924.14632.00004063@ng64.aol.com>
Source record: 129713

14 different Morse Code Instructional Cassette Tapes cover everything from Novice to 35+WPM. Most never used. $40 + $5 shipping takes them all.

Please reply Via E-Mail

958. FS Kantronics KAM PLUS All Mode $200 shipped

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: jsvare@mninter.net
Message-ID: <361d6871.3296462@news.mninter.net>
Source record: 129714

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612.444.6790
N0ZEW

959. Re: FT-50R Batt. Drain

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Smith <bs@BSartist.com>
Message-ID: <6vjrae$v0@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 129715

John Perri wrote in message <361D7E5B.DF079830@aros.net>...
>Anyone know the mod for keeping the battery from being drained in the
>off position on the FT-50R.
>I am getting near 10 ma. drain in the off position.
>

This was posted some time ago...

To All, With help from several readers of the thread "FT50 Battery Drain", I
was able to get this info regarding mod. Hope it helps !
Rick Flynn N1YYH

YAESU FT-50 Battery Drain (while Switched Off) Repair-From phone call to
Yaesu Tech 19 Aug 98.
Open the back of the radio.
Locate a corner of "Control Unit" where locations R2-102 and R2-103 surface
mount resistors reside. These locations, I'm told by Yaesu Tech, should be
easy to find with out a schematic. I haven't looked myself, but I've heard
this may not be as easy as Yaesu says.
Replace existing resistor at location D2-102 with Yaesu P/N J24185563.
Replace existing resistor at location R2-103 with Yaesu P/N J24185103.
After this mod, you should have no more battery drain than would be normal
for the Ni-Cad's normal discharge rate.
A couple of observations:
1. These are small, hard to unsolder/solder parts. Not for the inexperienced
solderer !
2. Yaesu can do this repair for you, BUT I understand they will also modify
the radio to NOT receive cellular Freq's. So you may want to have someone
else do this, if it is an important issue to you.
3. Yaesu will send you these parts FREE if you call their Parts Dept. at
(562)404-2700 (Yaesu USA) BUT, does anyone know if there is a readily
available substitute part(s) for this application ?
4. SUPPOSEDLY, FT-50's affected were produced for a time, up until a few
years ago. BUT, does anybody have better handle on this?
5. You'll know you radio has a problem if it loses a charge in a week or two
with battery attached.
6. Recent vintage (within the past year or so ?) don't have this problem,
I'm told.
I sold one FT50 awhile back for this very issue. Hopefully, this will help
other frustrated FT-50 owners, to once and for all, solve this problem.
Rick Flynn N1YYH
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960. Re: FS. MFJ 259 Antenna Analizer.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: carlt@icanect.net
Message-ID: <1A712A54A72C1E72.5253425713B9651D.A291570DC64B1F1C@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 129716

unit has been sold ,thanks to all who responded
carl

961. Re: FT50RD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Smith <bs@BSartist.com>
Message-ID: <6vjrdh$264@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 129717

Should be the same. But the radio has to be of the proper vintage for the complete freeband mod to work (serial 7L or older I believe). Although I believe Mars Cap will still work on the newer ones.

Bill
n2asa

dsee wrote in message <6vj7so$2h1$1@newnews.global.net.uk>...
>DOES ANY ONE KNOW TX MOD FOR THE FT50RD!
>IS IT THE SAME AS THE FT50R MOD
>
>

962. Re: Help: Removing HF Noise in Toyota Pick Up...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim <k5jaz@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <%4eT1.2630$Hz2.2159490@news4.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 129718
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I've seen copper braid used from frame to each front wheel. The idea is to ground the spindle/bearings to frame to eliminate static buildup. It is possible the spindles are insulated from frame by rubber/grease/etc.

Bart Hackemack wrote in message <3615D1AD.B7A6E5@ix.netcom.com>...
>I am looking for some information regarding suppressing what appears to
>be
>ignition noise in my 1992 Toyota Pick Up. I am running an IC706-MKII in
>the PU.
>I can only work signals approximately S9 or higher while driving, on all
>bands.
>
>Noise: When the PU is at rest, the 706 does not "hear" noise with the
>noise blanker on,
>even when the motor is rev'ed to rather high RPM's. However, when
>driving, the 706
>hears what appears to be ignition noise. I've tried disconnecting the
>coax (thinking that the
>noise may be entering the rig via the power cable but disconnecting the
>coax removes the
>noise.
>
>Work Done: I have grounded nearly everything and anything that I can
>find.
>Body parts to Frame, Tailpipe (3 places) to frame, bumpers to frame,
>motor to frame
>(4 places), gas tank to frame (2 places), hood to body, etc. I have
>placed torroids on
>the power cables, bypass capacitor on the primary coil wire, tried
>grounding and removing
>the ground from the rig. I have replaced the motor to firewall ground.
>All connections have
>been made by using a hobby drill to remove paint. I have also checked
>for grounds existing
>from the manufacturer, I have "improved" the ground of these by removing
>paint under the
>connection. Oh, yea, I have replaced the Wires with a good set (well
>they are supposed
>to be anyways) of suppressed spark plug wires, new resistor plugs, new
>distributer cap and
>rotor. I have removed the drive belt to the alternator to see if the
>noise is really alternator
>noise, it isn't.

>
>Results: This work has netted my virtually nothing! This work seems to
>have removed
>very little noise when the PU is in motion.
>
>Other strangeness: I have done some snooping around with a shortwave
>radio and a
>coil of wire for an antenna. I have noticed that the body appears to be
>radiating
>what appears to be ignition noise.
>
>Question: Does anyone have any experience elliniating noise with a
>Toyota Pick Up?
>Any help with this would be greatly appreciated.
>
>--
>Bart Hackemack
>hackembl@ix.netcom.com
>TRA #5213
>KN6PL
>
>

963. WTB.G.O.E.S. weather sat. antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: carlt@icanect.net
Message-ID: <0B0646A1876BBDE5.C99CED07458032DE.D199843EAD07A3B3@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 129719

want to buy antenna and preamp for G.O.E.S. weather satellite
carlt@icanect.net

964. need DX-77T comments

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: dlr18sh@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981008233230.19678.00004548@ng62.aol.com>
Source record: 129720

Hi, I am considering a Alinco DX-77T HF radio. I read the QST Review and it was OK. I realy want to hear comments from Owners of this radio. The price I have seen is under $700 and includes shipping and is all mode(no optional FM etc.) Also the CW filter is a REAL crystal filter not a ceramic Job. But the real Question is ;DO YOU LIKE IT?

THe other radios I saw were the Yeasu FT-840 and Icom IC-707

Thanks, Sammy

965. FS: Yaesu FT-301S HF qrp rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3bj@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6vjsfk$m8l$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129721
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale: Yaesu FT-301S HF qrp xcvr. Classic, rare, black face tranceiver, covers 160 thru 10 (no WARC) , unusual for a qrp rig. Excellent condition, purchased from original owner. Installed options include CW filter and crystal filter for RF speech processor. Cosmetically a 9 out of 10, electrically a 10 out of 10. Original manual and DC cord included.

$320 shipped

Alan, N3BJ
Bent Mountain, VA

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966. FS: TenTec Argosy II $375 shipped

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3bj@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6vjssc$ml3$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129722
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale: TenTec Argosy II (Model 525D) with 500 Hz filter and factory audio filter. About a 8.5 out of 10, front panel excellent and works fine. Original manual included. Great rig, switchable 5/50 watts, SSB and CW.

$375 shipped

Alan, N3BJ
Bent Mountain, VA

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967. Need help with Kenwood and Midland radio...mod...ATTN: Dealers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: jhine41015@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981008234706.17328.00004197@ng134.aol.com>
Source record: 129723

Hi,
Need so help here. Is it possible to modify with some sort of logic board or aftermarket product to do what I'd like?

I have Kenwood Model 860 - 32 channel, Kenwood Model 862 - 2 channel, Midland Model 70-1527 - 20 channel all UHF 400mghz conventional radios. I would like to use on a UHF 400mhz trunking system. Is this possible?

I 'm only asking because of the cost of the trunking radios is too high.

Does Midland manufacture a UHF 400mhz trunking radio? Cost? Any ideas, suggestions?

-Jeremy

968. Re: ICOM PC control

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Toste <saturn@interlog.com>
Message-ID: <6vk1sg$b60$1@news.interlog.com>
Source record: 129724

Yup, $3.50 in new parts to built it. Take a look at:

http://www.interlog.com/~saturn

Pierre Pastorello <pastorello.ingerop@alpes-net.fr> wrote:
y> Has anybody a scheme in order to built an homebrew computer/tx
interface to
> control ICOM HF rigs ?

> Thanks by advance.

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David Toste [VE3TOS] Internet - saturn@interlog.com
Brampton, Ontario. SWLOGit - The Ultimate Shortwave Listeners Software
ftp://qsl.net/pub/ve3tos/swlit20a.zip
http://www.interlog.com/~saturn/SWLOGit.html (SWLOGit Web Page)
ICQ: 4422700

969. Re: Bendix King LPH5141

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke6nnq@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981009002121.25195.00008429@ng117.aol.com>
Source record: 129725

>I have a partial copy of the manual and can access the programing
>mode. But can this model do DTMF and how is the feature activated and
>used?

The LPH5141 must have the dtmf encoder board attached to the keyboard, It can be added but its a pain, as the sockets are not there to plug it in, at least it wasnt on mine when I upgraded it. Group Zero values control whether DTMF is enabled, dont remember if it applies to that old of a model, might be just the EPH series. Good luck, email if you have any more questions, I can get out my service manual for that particular radio and see what I can find for ya.
Mike

970. WTB;DJ-C5 or IC-Q7A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: dbbadge@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981010143712.11333.00002186@ng58.aol.com>
Source record: 129477

Looking for one of these radios with extended tx/rx mod done- Plse email me with price

971. Pros and Cons of VHF vs. family radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: mckenzie7740@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6vohae$7gh$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129478

I want to purchase a portable radio that can be used from car to car but dont know which type is best. VHF, CB, or the new Motorolas ?

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

972. FS: Kenwood 270 hz CW Filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: gjhnkn4sx@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981010153734.25202.00004224@ng122.aol.com>
Source record: 129479

I have for sale a Kenwood YK-88CN 270hz CW Filter in the original box for sale.
This filter fits 530S--830S--430S and others. I would like $50 shipped.
Please E:mail me at
GjhnKN4SX@aol.com
Thanks
and 73
Gil Johnson
KN4SX

973. 2.45 GHz- Convertor WANTED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: abom@iaehv.nl
Message-ID: <361fcaf0.779187@news.iaehv.nl>
Source record: 129480
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

Who can help me to a 2.45GHz convertor,intended for ATV- receiption.
The IF- frequency is not so important but should be below 1.5 GHz. The
IF- bandwith on the other hand should be about 30 MHz.

Many thanks in advance for your positive reactions,

Best wishes from the Netherlands,

Alex Bom
Veldhoven the Netherlands
tel: +31-40-2539851
email: abom@iaehv.nl
http://www.qsl.net/pa0axb/

974. Lafayette HE-10 info needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dr. R. Sullivan" <bobs@isquare.com>
Message-ID: <361FC2BB.EA07E8CE@isquare.com>
Source record: 129481

I just acquired a Lafayette HE-10 whose appearance in and out is a "10"
but ... it doesn't work. I would like to purchase a manual (or copy) or
at least a schematic. Can anyone assist?

Thanks!

73, Bob
W0YVA

975. WTB: Single Board Computer, KIM-1, AIM-65, etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alan <alan.diaz@snet.net>
Message-ID: <6voetm$l8c@news1.snet.net>
Source record: 129482
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

I'm trying to put together a collection of single board computers such as
the
following units from the late 70's:

KIM-1
SYM-1
AIM-65
EBKA Familiarizor
HAL MCEM-8080
MicroDaSys MD-690a
OSI Challenger 400
OSI Model 500
AMT 2650
Sphere One-Card Computer
Microcomputer Associates Jolt

...or whatever you might have similar that is now serving as a mouse house.

You can email me at chipsndips@snet.net

Alan

976. Auction - Fair Lawn, NJ -Fair Lawn Amateur Radio Club - November 27th

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Sammartino <sammartinoj@usa.net>
Message-ID: <361FCB3D.6ADC7819@usa.net>
Source record: 129483
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.cb,rec.ham-radio,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.ham-radio.packet,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.hombrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Auction - Fair Lawn, NJ - Fair Lawn Amateur Radio Club - November 27th

On the evening of November 27th, The Fair Lawn Amateur Radio Club will host it's Annual Auction.

It will be held at the Fair Lawn Cultural Center, located at 12-56 River Road, Fair Lawn, NJ 07412.

Ham Radio, CBs, Computers, Electronics, etc.

Those interested in auctioning their merchandise should arrive at 6 PM.

The auction will begin at 8 PM. For info call Joe, 201-365-5809. You may Email with any questions at sammartinoj @ usa.net.

Directions: (or call for more detail)

Route 208 To Fair Lawn Avenue (west)
Fair Lawn Avenue to River Road, left turn About 2-3 blocks, FLARC will be on right side.

977. FS: *****MORE GP68'S - BLOW OUT SALE!!!*****

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: rgold1161@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981010171703.19679.00004883@ng62.aol.com>
Source record: 129484

Another shipment just arrived!!! ***BRAND NEW GP's***

$ 269.00 (Includes Shipping)

PREPAID ORDERS ONLY

High Capacity Battery and Rapid Charger. Also carry
a full-line of accessories. JUST ASK!!

Rich
RF Technologies

978. Alinco C1T - Whats your experience?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: usc95@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981010175458.14630.00005211@ng64.aol.com>
Source record: 129485

Anyone used one of these rigs? What do you like/dislike?

Michael

979. Allied AX-190

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: MRR <PacificCommonwealth@SecuritiesDealer.com>
Message-ID: <361FD810.4C01@SecuritiesDealer.com>
Source record: 129486

Dear Friends:

I have an Allied Radio Shack AX-190 in mint condition (I purchased this receiver sometime in the early 1970's and still have it in the box). I have had it out several times and am unable to get to perform worth a hoot. It's a beautiful looking rig (all brushed chrome), solid state in the days before digital read outs. Anyone have any experience with is rig and any suggestions as to where I might get someone who is qualified to look/work on it? Thanks for your comments.

Ron WA9JTP

980. Visit RL Drake Virtual Museum

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: JM CHERRY <jmc@dproducts.be>
Message-ID: <6volea$899$1@news1.skynet.be>
Source record: 129487

Hi Ham's,
Visit the R.L. DRAKE VIRTUAL MUSEUM at
http://www.dproducts.be/drake_museum
The all Drake ham catalogue.
--
Jean-Marie CHERRY
jmc@dproducts.be
http://www.dproducts.be

981. Re: Opinions on dual band ht's...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Louis Bybee <louisb@datacomm.com>
Message-ID: <361FE111.7F09D6EB@datacomm.com>
Source record: 129488

Glen wrote:
>
> On Fri, 09 Oct 1998 16:56:04 -0700, Louis Bybee <louisb@datacomm.com>
> wrote:
>
> >Daniel Abranko wrote:
> >> As for there not being a power jack on the radio, what the hell is the
> >> point when you have a drop in charger? its like wondering why theres no
> > >
> >Two good reasons. one, for extended operation away from 120v power
> >(camping, in a vehicle, etc.). Second, the special 12v cord from Yeasu
> >costs near $100. I agree with all your other observations. It seems to
> >be a very high quality, excellent performing radio. One additional
> >negative point, it wasn't as popular with hams as the 50 and others, so
> >Yeasu has discontinued many of the optional accessories. :-(
> > >
> >Louis
>
> If you get the DC docking station thingy (I don't recall the part #)
> that price is right. Yaesu makes a filtered cig lighter plug with a
> connector that slips onto the battery for about $35. It works, but
> the plug filer is too boxy to fit into my lighter socket. Works fine
> from an extension though.
>
> Glen

Thank you I'll look into that.

Louis

982. 7289's and 8930's wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Roger Rehr <rrehr@epix.net>
Message-ID: <6vou9lf3@news1.epix.net>
Source record: 129489

I am looking for "new" 7289's and 8930's. If not new, then excellent pulls.

Also "Track 29" cavity for 2304.

Please send availability and price info to me at the address below.

73 from
Roger Rehr W3SZ ex-AA3QK ex-WA3JYM
mailto:rrehr@epix.net FN20ah
http://www.epix.net/~rrehr
2 Merrymount Road, Reading, PA 19609
610.670.8687

983. Re: FS: FT-1000 Tuning Upgrader

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Paul F. McCarron" <w1hzy@cybertours.com>
Message-ID: <362001E0.865C2A8@cybertours.com>
Source record: 129490
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

What is the upgrade? I've never had a problem or complaint with the tuner?

Dave Pedersen wrote:

> For Sale: Tuning upgrader for FT-1000/D by International Radio. New, never
> installed. $20
>
> Dave N7BHC
> n7bhc@gateway.net

984. Need help IC-765

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Mintz <Rmintz@frontiernet.net>
Message-ID: <36200AE9.68C002A2@frontiernet.net>
Source record: 129491

Hi.

My IC-765 auto-tuner motor jammed. I know that this can be fixed by briefly reversing the voltage on connector

J6 to the motor. No service manual though.

Can anyone tell me the J6 wires that supply voltage to the tuner motors?

--
Rick, W1TY

985. FS: RF and Other Parts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bruce Rahn <brahn@erinet.com>
Message-ID: <36201018.10B10BEF@erinet.com>
Source record: 129492
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,misc.industry.electronics.marketplace,rec.radio.swap

I have a quantity of RF and other parts in excess of my personal needs.
Some items are available in large (>50) quantities.

Here's what I have and asking price:

ITEM PRICE
(each)

Johanson 8054 1.5 to 20 pf Capacitors $1.50
(Piston Style)

Piston Style 0.7 to 15 pf Capacitors $1.25

0.01 ufd Monolithic Ceramic Capacitors (Bag of 50) $2.50/bag

MCL TFM-150 Mixers $5.50
(LO/RF: 10-2000MHz, IF: DC-1000MHz, +10dBm LO)

MCL LPS-109 Power Dividers $2.50
(2 way, 0 degree, 10-500MHz)

MCL MAT-3 3dB Attenuators $1.25
(DC-1500MHz)

MCL MAT-9 9dB Attenuators $1.25
(DC-1500MHz)

AVANTEK VTO-8090 0.9 to 1.6 GHz Voltage $10.00
Controlled Oscillator, 50 ohm, +13dBm output,
TO-8 Case, with mounting hardware.

Cablewave Systems FXA 12-50 NM N Male $15.00
Coax Connector for 1/2" Hard Line
New, In the box!

2N918 Transistor $0.35

2N2907A Transistor $0.25

2N4924 Transistor $0.20

MRF5174 Transistor $0.50

USD935 Diode $0.25

Push Button Switch $0.20

Pictures and specifications (where available) on the above items may be
found on my web page at:

http://www.qsl.net/wb9anq/ or http://members.tripod.com/~wb9anq/

All parts are unused. Shipping is extra (typically $3.00)

73 -- Bruce, WB9ANQ
brahn@erinet.com

986. request Advice on HW-101 drift problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeffrey Weiss <weiss@tds.net>
Message-ID: <3620031B.17AD0C4D@tds.net>
Source record: 129493

Hello,

I am trying to get back into ham radio after decades of occasional
2M use and no HF.

My old Heatkit HW-101 is exhibiting frequency shift around a center
frequency, both in transmit and receive. I also have some audio
distortion on received signals sometimes.

I have the manual, but am very limited on test equipment. a DVM and
an old tube AF signal generator.

Can this old beastie provide useful service, or do I need to buy newer
better solid state equipment when I can afford to do so?

Any ideas on where to get started on troubleshooting and fixing this?

Any followup emails would be welcome!

Thanks, Jeffrey Weiss N0IRR

987. ICOM 735 FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jerry McGaughey <jryn7bs@ior.com>
Message-ID: <36201301.BBB381A2@ior.com>
Source record: 129494

For Sale
Icom 735 w/ cw filter and SM6 desk mic like new condition w/ hand mic.
$600 plus conus shipping Please e-mail Jerry

988. Re: Icom IC-551D and IC-720A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Smith <n3ued@desupernet.net>
Message-ID: <36201529.BD3452BE@desupernet.net>
Source record: 129495

I picked up a IC-551 in July. The guy was wanting $500.00 for it. I offered $350.00 on the spot and he took it. This included the FM Module and a pre-amp. Not a bad deal.

The only adjustment that I had to make to it was lower the power to 90 watts. He had it tweaked up all the way.

The IC-551D is a excellent all-mode transceiver. Mine came with the FM Board installed, although I just recently figured out how to add in a CTCSS Encoder/Decoder for it.

Tim Carey wrote:

> IF the 551D has FM AND the PBT, then about $400 if in condx you
> describe. Without these options, the price drops pretty fast, more fast
> for rigs w/o the PBT.
> Good luck,
> Tim
>
> In <6vjl25$r5s$1@texas.nwlink.com> reedg@nwlink.com (gail) writes:
> >
> >What's a good price for these radios in very good condition?
> >
> >Gail
> >KC8V / 7

989. Re: Icom's Tri-Band HT.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Christopher Zeman, KB9RHA" <zman@iwc.net>
Message-ID: <QwWT1.321$9c2.488@news14.ispnews.com>
Source record: 129496

If you are talking about the IC-T8A, yes. I have one. Bought mine a few months ago. It is a nice radio. Nice wide-band receive. 50-999.99 MHz (less cellular, of course). I don't like the fact that I can only listen to one band at a time. It doesn't have the ability to receive 2 or 3 bands at once. If you decide to get one, I have a little advice. Try getting the SMA connectors (if you want to hook up an external antenna) from a company that deals mainly with Amateur Radio products. I bought a couple from Digi-Key and they were expensive. I forget the name of the company, but I got some for only about 4 or 5 dollars each at Radio Expo 98 in Grayslake, IL.

As soon as I find a tri-band HT that can receive more than 1 frequency at a time, I will buy it and sell my Icom.

Have fun!!!
Christopher Zeman, KB9RHA

Quinkman wrote in message <19981010201355.22839.00008044@ng154.aol.com>...
>
>Anyone have any experience or opinions on Icom's tri band ht?

990. Re: OUTDOOR ANTENNAs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jones <Jones@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <36203740.1995@nomail.com>
Source record: 129497

> And you can proudly fly Old Glory from a flagpole in your
> yard that happens to have a base matching network concealed in the base >to tune it to the HF bands.
> Gary Coffman KE4ZV

At Terra Vita, a Del Web development in Scottsdale AZ, the board took a resident veteran to court for flying the flag. After about $15K in lawyers bills he gave up. And he wasn't even trying to conceal anything...

991. FS: TS-440S/AT and HAL P38

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Taylor <btay@bright.net>
Message-ID: <361F4918.96AFDF90@bright.net>
Source record: 129527

Kenwood TS-440S/AT All Solid-State
Mode : LSB, USB, CW, AM, FM, FSK
Input Power : LSB, USB, CW,,FM,,FSK 200 Watts PEP
AM 110 Watts
AM
General coverage reception 100khz to 30Mhz.
100% continuous duty cycle. CW full break-in.
Built-in XIT. Switchable IF bandwidth.
Switchable AGC time constant. All mode squelch.
Built-in power/SWR meter. Versatile frequency control.
Built-in Antenna Tuner. YK-88C-1 CW Filter. YK-88SN-1 SSB Filter.
Mobile Mike, Manual, and DC Cable.
EXCELLENT CONDITION. $700.00
Buyer pays shipping charges!

HAL P38 HF MODEM
Manual, P38 COMM Software.
EXCELLENT CONDITION. $150.00
Buyer pays shipping charges!

The P38 is a multi-mode HF data modem that gives you top performance
operation using RTTY, AMTOR, P-MODE*, and CLOVER waveforms. The P38
is a full-sized plug-in card for PC-AT and faster personal computers.
Multi-screen menu-driven HAL software is included with each P38 modem.
Many popular "third-party" user programs are also available for the P38.

The P38 is complete and ready to run. Plug-in the board, connect three
phono cables (not included) to your radio, and install the software -
that's all there is to it!! Whether you want to rag-chew, chase DX, or
contest, the P38 is the modem of choice.
WILL SELL BOTH THE TS-440S/AT AND THE HAL P38 FOR $800.00 BANK
MONEY-ORDER, PLUS SHIPPING CHARGES!!!!!!!

--
73,
Bill Taylor K8TBW
705 Hart Ave. Fostoria, Ohio 44830
btay@bright.net http://www.bright.net/~btay/hamradio.htm

992. Re: ** ICOM 725 Memory Bug **

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bev Or Mike <Bammoore@Pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <361F54E1.73B@Pacbell.net>
Source record: 129528

Alex Trzecieski wrote:
>
> Hello,
>
> This is probably old, but I have noticed a bug having to do with the ICOM
> 725 Memory.
> Whenever the LOCK button is operable, while in Memory mode, it does not
> circulate through
> the memories correctly- skipping many of the frequencies in memory. I
>
Check your manual. I think that you will find the lock button will also
lock mode. If set for ssb the scan will skip am, cw, and fm. I have a
726 and it works that way.

Mike....k6sqj

993. Re: FS: Alinco Credit Card 2-meter with weather and aircraft bands - NEW

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: sas4340@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981010084014.22840.00007416@ng154.aol.com>
Source record: 129529

credit card ht's by alinco are being sold by Tech America for 79.95 with earphone mic

994. FS-TS-120s Kenwood HF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: framix@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981010092603.03606.00001689@ng-fi1.aol.com>
Source record: 129530

I have for sale a very clean and excellent performing
Kenwood TS-120s Solid State HF Rig

10-80 USB/LSB/CW

Digital VFO

Original (Not a Xerox copy) Kenwood owner's manual

Original Kenwood hand mike

Radio is very clean and would make a great starter HF rig or a great extra rig
for camping or whatever.

I will ship to you for $225.00 U$

Thank you for reading.

995. Re: Strong Signal == Wide Signal??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Doran Platt <jeepp@erols.com>
Message-ID: <361F6171.E4131A3E@erols.com>
Source record: 129531

Crank in 10dB or so of front-end attenuation. If the signal is no longer "wide", its your receiver being overloaded. In many of the "modern" imported solid-state radios, this is a grevious problem. Sure, they claim extreme dynamic ranges, but only with the use of attenuation at the high end!!!

STEVEN L UMBACH wrote:

> Marty - Was this a guy from Florida who was calling cq for the far
> east/asia? If so I heard the same guy and you are exactly right about
> him.
> The guy I heard was about 28.49 and he was very wide on my FT1000MP
> and my
> TS850, both rigs with noise blankers off. I also saw his signal on my
> SM220
> scope and he was very wide. I heard another station down the band with
> the
> same signal strenght who DID NOT exhibit the same annoying problem.
> Unfortuneately you just can't convince some of these idiots that they
> don't
> know how to operate an hf rig. Another problem are guys using
> "glorified
> cbs" on ten meters. They can sound ok if adjusted right, but I heard a
> guy
> on one (Ranger or etc.) that was splattering all over the place. Some
> of
> these guys go in the radio and jack the power way up and think nothing
> of
> it. Don't worry about your rig and ignore these poor operators. ---
> Steve
> KK9ZZ
> Marty Tippin wrote in message <361cab09.212645@news.supernews.net>...
> >I was listening to a guy calling CQ on 10m yesterday afternoon who
> had
> >a 20 over signal, and I could hear splatter about 8 kHz either side
> of
> >him - to the point that he was drowning out QSOs 4 to KHz above and
> >below him. So I let him know I thought he had a rather wide signal,
> >and his reply was that any time you have a strong signal like that,
> >you're going to hear splatter. He also said I was 40 over 9 and he
> >could hear me all over the place too (which I doubt as I was running
> >100w into a half-square about 15 ft off the ground...)
> >
> >I didn't press it too much as I'm still fairly new to HF and didn't
> >know for sure. But it seems to me that I frequently hear 20-over

> >signals that seldom splatter like that.
> >
> >So, should I expect to hear that kind of mess any time I'm picking up
>
> >a strong signal? Maybe it's a defect in my FT-920, I dunno - but I
> >still think he just had a poor signal or was driving his amp too hard
>
> >or something...
> >
> >
> >-Marty KI0LO
> > martyt@pobox.com

996. Re: semiconductor hi power

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "W. Edwin Lambert, Jr." <ma_locksmith@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <eVwsPNF99GA.138@upnetnews05>
Source record: 129532

Try RFParts Co.. rfp@rfparts.com as they are listed for $27 each with
limited quantity. Order phone is 1-800-737-2787.

Ed Lambert
verlon "buddy" McDown wrote in message <6vmi8e$bj4$1@news-1.news.gte.net>...
>I need a MRF477 FINAL FOR MY EMPEROR TS5010 HAM MOBILE TRACIEVER. CAN ANY
>ONE HELP ME FIND ONE. VMCDOWN@aol.com
>
>

997. Solid State Amplifiers for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Falcon <metropolys@infonie.fr>
Message-ID: <908026686.670228@si1-paris>
Source record: 129533

Solid state amplifiers wide broadband 10 - 170 MHz

In 4 W Out 300 W

MOS-FET Technology

Broadcast quality

998. FS: Sony AN-1 Active Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Pedersen <n7bhc@gateway.net>
Message-ID: <6vno44$1n8$1@server2.wans.net>
Source record: 129534

For Sale: Sony AN-1 Acive antenna, new in box. $65

Dave Pedersen N7BHC
(801) 967-5896

999. FS: Amplifier Tuner. End-of-transmission beeper

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Pedersen <n7bhc@gateway.net>
Message-ID: <6vnp1g$5uk$1@server2.wans.net>
Source record: 129535

For Sale: Amplifier Tuner with End of Transmission Beep Generator by International Radio.

Puts out a low-duty cycle tone for tuning an amplifier. Also generates a short beep on the end of your tranmsiision. Corrently wired for Yaesu FT-1000/D. $25

Dave N7BHC
(801) 967-5896
n7bhc@gateway.net

1000. Re: FS: Info-Tech M-6000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiomatt@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981010101219.18678.00009703@ng143.aol.com>
Source record: 129536

>For Sale: Info-Tech M-6000 V2. Decodes CW, RTTY, Packet, ARQ, FEC, ASCII,
>has SelCal capability. With manual. $150 + shipping.
>
>

I already have one, but might be interested in spare/backup.
If you do not sell at your price, I'd go $100+UPS.
Please don't consider this offer an insult, just a n offer that's there if all
else fails.
73s
Matt

1001. WTB - Kenwood BC10 Power Cube

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: swoodwar@fix.net
Message-ID: <pXJT1.188$Q15.353996@twinkie.callamer.com>
Source record: 129537

Need a Kenwood BC-10 Power Cube, has special connector, used to provide memory retention power to earlier Kenwood radios.

Steve W7AZF
swoodwar@fix.net

1002. FS: FT-1000 Tuning Upgrader

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Pedersen <n7bhc@gateway.net>
Message-ID: <6vnon9$49r$1@server2.wans.net>
Source record: 129538
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale: Tuning upgrader for FT-1000/D by International Radio. New, never installed. $20

Dave N7BHC
n7bhc@gateway.net

1003. FS. Kenowwd R-5000 with accessories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Pedersen <n7bhc@gateway.net>
Message-ID: <6vnoie$3bm$1@server2.wans.net>
Source record: 129539
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale: Kenwood R-5000 Reciver in very good condition. Includes the
following options:
VC-20 VHF Converter
6 kHz AM filter by International Radio
2.1 kHz SSB filter by International Radio
Service manual
Owners Manual
DCK DC-Power kit
Dust Cover
Oriiginal packing
$750

Dave N7BHC
n7bhc@gateway.net

1004. Re: Anyone still love the hobby

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Piercey <salmo@nf.sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <361F6FA6.2B6740A1@nf.sympatico.ca>
Source record: 129540
Cross-posted to: att.ham-radio,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.spa

I find i'm not spending as much time on-air since the internet came along, yet i'm using the internet quite often to get information about amateur radio! (and I bought two pieces of equipment for Ham radio this week.....

It's a wonderfull hobby and learning place that I will never completely part from!

de Keith VO1AE

1005. FS: TS-440S/AT and HAL P38

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Taylor <btay@bright.net>
Message-ID: <361F69EF.C2F80254@bright.net>
Source record: 129541

Kenwood TS-440S/AT All Solid-State Transceiver
Mode : LSB, USB, CW, AM, FM, FSK
Input Power : LSB, USB, CW,,FM,,FSK 200 Watts PEP
AM 110 Watts AM
General coverage reception 100khz to 30Mhz.
100% continuous duty cycle. CW full break-in.
Built-in XIT. Switchable IF bandwidth.
Switchable AGC time constant. All mode squelch.
Built-in power/SWR meter. Versatile frequency control.
Built-in Antenna Tuner. YK-88C-1 CW Filter. YK-88SN-1 SSB Filter.
Mobile Mike, Manual, and DC Cable.
EXCELLENT CONDITION. $650.00 or Best Offer
Buyer pays shipping charges!

HAL P38 HF MODEM
Manual, P38 COMM Software.
EXCELLENT CONDITION. $125.00 or Best Offer
Buyer pays shipping charges!

The P38 is a multi-mode HF data modem that gives you top performance
operation using RTTY, AMTOR, PACTOR, and CLOVER waveforms. The P38
is a full-sized plug-in card for PC-AT and faster personal computers.
Multi-screen menu-driven HAL software is included with each P38 modem.
Many popular "third-party" user programs are also available for the P38.

The P38 is complete and ready to run. Plug-in the board, connect three
phono cables (included) to your radio, and install the software
(included)
that's all there is to it!! Whether you want to rag-chew, chase DX, or
contest, the P38 is the modem of choice.
WILL SELL BOTH THE TS-440S/AT AND THE HAL P38 FOR $700.00 or Best Offer
BANK MONEY-ORDER, PLUS SHIPPING CHARGES!!!!!!!

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73,
Bill Taylor K8TBW
705 Hart Ave. Fostoria, Ohio 44830
btay@bright.net http://www.bright.net/~btay/hamradio.htm

1006. Re: FS: FT-1000 Tuning Upgrader

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: wk1v@shore.net
Message-ID: <361f6e5d.52724046@news.shore.net>
Source record: 129542
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Sat, 10 Oct 1998 07:42:30 -0700, "Dave Pedersen"
<n7bhc@gateway.net> wrote:

>For Sale: Tuning upgrader for FT-1000/D by International Radio. New, never
>installed. $20
>
>Dave N7BHC
>n7bhc@gateway.net

What is a tuning upgrader?
****
*Jim Martin, WK1V Listed email address is not real *
* Change wk1v to jjm for real email address *
*************<.procmail> Spam Resistant**************

1007. Electronics Garage Sale/Clean-up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: reycomm@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981010104325.07734.00008781@ng20.aol.com>
Source record: 129543

Hello,

I need floor space for a home theater, but must first sell MY SURPLUS equipment

via "My Internet Electronics Garage Sale "

* Ameritron AL-811 $500.00

* MFJ 989 3kw tuner with balun $150.00

* B&K 2160 oscilloscope $300.00

* B&K digital sig.gen. $ 50.00

* Elenco digital sig.gen. w/counter $ 50.00

*** You can view the equipment at : http://members.aol.com/Reycomm

You pay for shipping COD/UPS Cash only

R.Fimbres
415-753-3788

E-MAIL: Reycomm@aol.com

1008. 8877 Specs Sheet???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmuthcuz@amauta.rcp.NET.pe
Message-ID: <361F7219.CC3F0DAD@amauta.rcp.net.pe>
Source record: 129544

Greetings from Peru! Can anyone help me out by clueing me in on where I can get all the specs for an 8877 triode? Web pages, Scanned info sent by e-mail, someone willing to FAX me a copy. Any help would be much appreciated.

73's de OA7ABZ, Dan

1009. TRADE BC890XLT SCANNER FOR 2MTR 440 RIG

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: fun4sume@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981010111447.04124.00009304@ng102.aol.com>
Source record: 129545

I have a Uniden Bearcat BC890XLT Scanner with 800MHZ cell receive also box manual and cord.Only one year old for trade on a 2mtr-440 rig.
Email me if you have one.Dave...

1010. FS: Yeasu Mobile Mount "M" for older Yaesus

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Pedersen <n7bhc@gateway.net>
Message-ID: <6vnq8vdaq1@server2.wans.net>
Source record: 129546
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale: Yeau Mobile Mount "M", new in box. This mount is large, made of heavy steel, and is adjustable in size. I believe it is for the FT-101,225, 625, 301,401, and 901 series of radios. It mounts the radio over the transmission hump or on a flat surface.

NIB: $ 10 plus shipping

Dave N7BHC
(801) 967-5896
n7bhc@gateway.net

1011. FS: FET Analog Multimeter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Pedersen <n7bhc@gateway.net>
Message-ID: <6vnpma$9j2$1@server2.wans.net>
Source record: 129547
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale: Micronta FET Analog Multimeter. New Condition. $25

Dave N7BHC
(801) 967-5896
n7bhc@gateway.net

1012. FS: Bud Lowpass Filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Pedersen <n7bhc@gateway.net>
Message-ID: <6vnqh3$e56$1@server2.wans.net>
Source record: 129548
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale: Bud LF-601-A Variable Low Pass filter. Adjust cut off frequency
and input/output impedances.

Very Good condition. $15

Dave N7BHC
(801) 967-5896
n7bhc@gateway.net

1013. FS: AEA/Hamlink Remote Radio Controller

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Pedersen <n7bhc@gateway.net>
Message-ID: <6vnr19fgm1@server2.wans.net>
Source record: 129549
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale: AEA HR-60 Hamlink Remote Control. This unit lets you remote control your HF or VHF radio via the telephone. Operates with Kenwood, Icom, and Yaesu radios.

New in the box. $180

Dave N7BHC
(801) 967-5896
n7bhc@gateway.net

1014. FS: Heath Most-Accurate Clock

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Pedersen <n7bhc@gateway.net>
Message-ID: <6vnqo9$f0t$1@server2.wans.net>
Source record: 129550
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale: Heathkit GC-1000 "Most Accurate Clock". Decodes WWV signal on 5, 10, and 15MHz. Needs front-end transistor replaced again (these radios do not like lightning within 1000 feet).
$90

Dave N7BHC
(801) 967-5896
n7bhc@gateway.net

1015. FS: JPS ANC-4 Antenna Noise Cancellor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Pedersen <n7bhc@gateway.net>
Message-ID: <6vnr6ffkr1@server2.wans.net>
Source record: 129551
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

For Sale: JPS ANC-4 Antenna Noise Canceller. $110

Dave N7BHC
(801) 967-5896
n7bhc@gateway.net

1016. FS: Icom SP-2 and SP-8 Speakers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Pedersen <n7bhc@gateway.net>
Message-ID: <6vnpd7$763$1@server2.wans.net>
Source record: 129552
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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For Sale: Two Icom Speakers.
Icom SP-2 $25
Icom SP-8 $25

Dave N7BHC
(801) 967-5896
n7bhc@gateway.net
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1017. Wanted 4x1000As, Alum. Sockets, Filiment Transformer...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: NPCIA
Message-ID: <361f7890.53021158@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 129553

Wanted 4x1000As, Alum. Sockets, Filiment Transformer (45A at
7.5V)

Mike
AE4FB
exomike@REMOVEmindspring.com

Col. M.D. Adams MAF (Ret.)
aka Commandante' Null NPCIA* (Active)

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de AE4FB 3878kHz
770-451-7671

* Non Peer Competitor Intelligence Agency

1018. Re: Opinions on dual band ht's...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: merlin willis <merlinw@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <361F7C5E.935ED27B@pacbell.net>
Source record: 129554

I guess it depends on what you use it for,
I have a ADI AT 600, a great radio with a very good price, my only
complaint is
the audio, and I guess the size.
My other HT is a Icom T7A, Small, good audio, and easy to carry around
all day.

Merlin, KB6TNP

Quinkman wrote:

> What the best dual band ht now available then?

1019. WTB: FT-767 2m & 6m modules

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: jlicata8525@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6vo2kgikb1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129555

I would like to purchase the 6 meter and 2 meter modules for the Yaesu FT-767.
Please let me know vial email what you have.

Thanks,
Joe WB2DGL
jlicata@webex.net

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http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1020. FS: TS-440S/AT and HAL P38

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Taylor <btay@bright.net>
Message-ID: <361F8006.11DA1D86@bright.net>
Source record: 129556

Kenwood TS-440S/AT All Solid-State Transceiver
Mode : LSB, USB, CW, AM, FM, FSK
Input Power : LSB, USB, CW,,FM,,FSK 200 Watts PEP
AM 110 Watts AM
General coverage reception 100khz to 30Mhz.
100% continuous duty cycle. CW full break-in.
Built-in XIT. Switchable IF bandwidth.
Switchable AGC time constant. All mode squelch.
Built-in power/SWR meter. Versatile frequency control.
Built-in Antenna Tuner. YK-88C-1 CW Filter. YK-88SN-1 SSB Filter.
Mobile Mike, Manual, and DC Cable.
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BANK MONEY-ORDER, PLUS SHIPPING CHARGES!!!!!!!

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73,
Bill Taylor K8TBW
705 Hart Ave. Fostoria, Ohio 44830
btay@bright.net http://www.bright.net/~btay/hamradio.htm

1021. FS: Tripolet 630-A & 666-R for $40

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: MICHAEL NEIDICH <neidich@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <36202CF0.E0BAEFE9@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 129557

Clean cosmetically, condition unknown, + shipping from 95050.
Mike
Santa Clara, CA

1022. Wanted Info on small HTs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: duane olexa <do@1st.net>
Message-ID: <361FB22F.3511@1st.net>
Source record: 129558

i am thinking of getting one of the Very small HTs.

looking at the Icom ic-q7a, Alinco c5, and Yaesu vx1.

i wondered if ayone had anything in particular good or bad to
say about any of these. this would NOT be my main HT, still
have my trusty Kenwood th78, just something VERY small to carry.

duane wm8n

1023. Need AEA CK-1 Keyer Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: smurph555@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981010122736.07837.00009469@ng17.aol.com>
Source record: 129559

Hi all:
Acquired an AEA CK-1 keyer and I need a manual for same. Happy to pay
copying and postage costs. Thanks for any help!
Cal K4JSI

1024. FS or Trade: Drake Twins crystals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3bj@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6vo6je$oa8$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129560
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchor,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale or Trade: Crystals for the Drake T4* and R4* rigs. Subtract 11.1 Mhz for operating freq. Some ham band, some SWL. For sale as a lot only, please no requests for individual xtals

Crystal freq. in Mhz - qty.

12.5 - 1
12.6 - 6 (160M)
13.1 - 2
13.5 - 1
15.4 - 1
17.1 - 1
18.6 - 1
19.1 - 1
19.6 - 1
21.1 - 2 (30M)
21.6 - 1
23.1 - 1
25.0 - 1
25.1 - 1 (20M)
25.6 - 3
26.1 - 2
26.1 - 1
27.1 - 1
28.1 - 1
30.6 - 1
31.1 - 1
31.6 - 2
32.6 - 1
35.6 - 1
38.1 - 6 (CB)
38.6 - 3 (CB)
39.1 - 4 (10CW)
40.6 - 1 (10 high)

$230 shipped or trade toward TR-7/TR-7A with filters. Rig must be in very good electrical condition, PS-7 desirable, but not necessary. Have other R4C parts that could be included in trade.

Alan, N3BJ
Bent Mountain, VA

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1025. Re: Icom R-100 Backlight Problem?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John J. Healy" <jjhealy@erols.com>
Message-ID: <6vo2jejsi1@winter.news.erols.com>
Source record: 129561

If it's like most other Icom stuff, open the radio and you will see tiny leds or lamps. They used to be soldered in. Look in your parts breakdown that came with the manual and order the part from Icom.
Paul Knight wrote in message <6vl689$sh4$1@eve.enteract.com>...
>Hi! Has anyone had the backlight go out on their Icom R-100 receiver?
>If so, did the repair require the replacement of the LCD itself?
>
>Thanks for any information on this topic,
>
>Paul WD8DKY
>
>

1026. Icom Q7A Anyone Have Any Mods?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bruce A Shurtz <boingo1@nwlink.com>
Message-ID: <361F892E.3D0BD017@nwlink.com>
Source record: 129562

Looking for any TX mods for this radio.

1027. Re: 8877 Specs Sheet???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb9sikk@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981010130839.28450.00001846@ng10.aol.com>
Source record: 129563

Go to Eimacs webpage and you can get print it from there.

73,
K-K

1028. Re: 20 Brand New 6146Ws made by GE for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: KB4AEP <crslex@iglou.com>
Message-ID: <361F9925.786A5706@iglou.com>
Source record: 129564
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I just mentioned what I paid for them at Dayton. I didn't tell anybody not to buy Chris's tubes at his stated price. I am not a price cop. What a person pays for his items is between the seller and buyer. I did not intend to start an arguement. I just wanted to inform others of what I paid for similar items and where I got them. What a person does with that information is up to him..... KB4AEP

Chris wrote:

> New in box made in 1987 by General Electric. I have 20 of them for
> sale.
> $26 each. 73 Chris VE3NGW/W4 Florida

1029. Knwd cable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: xxx@nb.net
Message-ID: <361FF7C9.97544B6A@nb.net>
Source record: 129565

I have a pair of 599A twins and need the trancieve cable.
Does anyone have one to part with or know where I can
get one? Tnx

Walt.

1030. Standard C710 (extended TX-Range)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Amsler <peter.amsler@ag.NOSPAM.ch>
Message-ID: <01bdf471$e4380400$8909050a@kai-137>
Source record: 129566

The Standard tribander C710 has TX-range 144 - 146, 430 - 440 and 1260 -
1300 MHz.
Who has other TX-ranges on his rig?
For working with european repeater's in the 1200 MHz-range, i 'am searching
a
possibility to extend the normal TX-range 1260-1300 MHz to 1240-1300 MHz.

Who knows more?

Tnx, 73 de Peter
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peter.amsler@ag.NOSPAM.ch

To reply remove .NOSPAM from mail address.

1031. Icom speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: xxx@nb.net
Message-ID: <361FF8AB.2B25071F@nb.net>
Source record: 129567

I am looking for a IC-SP3.

Walt.

1032. icom ic-706 deaf outside ham portion of 2m

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: WebMonkey <address@below.com>
Message-ID: <361F980B.2B30@below.com>
Source record: 129568
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

i know this circulated alot but i didn't get anything from the archive.
i'd appreciate if someone would point me where i can find the "fix" for
the ic-706 being deaf outside the ham portion of 2m
don't really care about the transmit power, just would like it to hear
the police/fire/rescue as good as my ht when i'm mobiling about.

thanks
--
A.C. Curtis
KBï¿½WLF

mailto:demoman@rollanet.org
http://www.rollanet.org/~demoman

1033. FS: SX-115 HALLICRAFTER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: JB Geer <jbgeer@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <361F9904.5CA0@swbell.net>
Source record: 129569

Very clean and working SX-115 in DFW Texas area. $695 firm. u-ship.
JIM.....WB5LXZ

1034. FS: ACC SM100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al <K6DJP@postoffice.pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <361F98E3.7C710576@postoffice.pacbell.net>
Source record: 129570
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have a Shackmaster in excellent condition with the book.$400
Al

1035. Re: HELP:DG-5 Freq..Display

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Irv Finkleman <finkirv@cadvision.com>
Message-ID: <361F9D4B.893ED0B8@cadvision.com>
Source record: 129571
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.cb

Yes -- the capacitor adjustment visible in the hole is for the reference oscillator in the counter. First calibrate your rig to WWV as per the rig's manual. Do not look at the counter -- just calaibrate the rig. Once the rig is calibrated, adjust the capacitor on the counter to the frequency to which the rig is tuned. This is quick and simple. After performing this adjustment, get someone who "knows his stuff" on the air -- preferably someone with a good rig that will read frequency accurately, and confirm your adjustments. I run a DG5 with a TS520S and have performed this procedure with excellent results.

Irv VE6BP

? wrote:

> My kenwood DG-5 digital display seems to be out by 100 hz or so on both
> receive and transmit.
> can anyone please tell me how to adjust this so that the freq... would be
> correct. ??
>
> i noticed on the bottom of the DG-5 there is a hole in the cover near the
> back that allows me access to a screw with a screwdriver slot for adjustment.
>
> will this ajust the readout ?
>
> any help greatly appreciated .
>
> please email me at email@tig.com.au
>
> thanks.

1036. FS:Icom 820H $750

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al <K6DJP@postoffice.pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <361F9AB6.6C62EF9C@postoffice.pacbell.net>
Source record: 129572
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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Radio is a dual band (2mtr & 440) all mode base station in excellent
condition.
Al
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1037. SX-115 SOLD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: JB Geer <jbgeer@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <361FA1AE.3102@swbell.net>
Source record: 129573

THANKS!

1038. TUBES F.S.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: BOB BIEKER <n9tew@jorsm.com>
Message-ID: <361FA335.42799E00@jorsm.com>
Source record: 129574
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.shortwave

NOS TUBES
MATCHED PAIR OF 6JS6C TUBES,PLUS A 12BY7A DRIVER (BULK PACK RCA SILVER TONE) 64.00 (32.00 EACH). MATCHED PAIR OF 6146W OR 6JB6A PLUS A 12BY7A DRIVER (BULK PACK RCA SILVER TONE)36.00(18.00 EACH) .6LQ6 32.00,6LR6 25.00 ,6KD6 30.00,6JG6 25.00,6LF6 OR 20LF6 40.00,6JT6 20.00, SOLVTEK 6CA7 MATCHED PAIRS 25.00 . OTHER TUBES ARE AVAILABLE . USED TUBES ARE ALSO AVAILABLE FOR 50% OFF.ALL TUBES ARE TESTED . BEST TO EMAIL ME AT n9tew@jorsm.com

1039. Re: Anyone still love the hobby

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: quinkman@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981010142855.16332.00004868@ng133.aol.com>
Source record: 129575

Some of the conversations I heard on 20m this AM was enough to turn anyone considering to join the hobby to "re-consider".

Perhaps the code, no code dispute has less to do with attracting new hams than the " CB enviornment" that perspective hams overhear while making up their minds wheather to join the hobby.

just one guy thinkin

1040. For Sale!- (3) Westinghouse 6KD6s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Bermudez <odin@webspan.net>
Message-ID: <6vo9nv$dsk@news.webspan.net>
Source record: 129576
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap

NOS NIB Used in Yaesu 400/500 series final amp. $100.00 plus S&H

1041. AM transmitters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: f117ab@ameritech.net
Message-ID: <361FBC89.27BADE5C@ameritech.net>
Source record: 129605

Look in your attics and basements. . if you have Johnson and Globe King. . .or, dare I mention it, Collins AM transmitters I will be pleased to trade my Motorola service monitor model s1327a with plug ins, a VHF spectra, UHF maxtrac, Bird mod 43, 903 xvrter (homebrew), for them. . . .don't miss this chance to unload a boatanchor for a useful item. . .I know what they are worth and would be pleased to do business with you. . .finally, if you have the brass ring in AM rigs. . you know who you are. . .there is an R2002 waiting. . If you have to ask. . . :)
Art

1042. Mods for Icom IC-2400a

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: doug <doug@pnc.com.au>
Message-ID: <361e8826.0@occy.pnc.com.au>
Source record: 129606

Can antone please help with and mods for the IC-2400a or IC2500a
dualband transceiver please

doug@pnc.com.au

Sydney Australia

1043. FS: Info-Tech M-6000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: capn@dhol.com
Message-ID: <6vmagq$6s4$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129607

For Sale: Info-Tech M-6000 V2. Decodes CW, RTTY, Packet, ARQ, FEC, ASCII, has SelCal capability. With manual. $150 + shipping.

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1044. For Sale: FRG-100 Shortwave Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: jasonkirkham@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6vmatt$7m3$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129608
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale....Yaesu FRG-100 shortwave receiver. It is the newer "B" model. In like new condition hardly used. Bought new and has box, manuals, and all accessories as new. Will sell for $325.00 shipped in USA. Money orders only please. From Atlanta, Georgia, KE4FOQ

jasonkirkham@my-dejanews.com

-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1045. ICOM IC-2SAT modification codes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: blairhogg@NOSPAM.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <361eadc7.8840428@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 129609

Does anyone have a copy of the button sequences used to control the configuration of the IC-2SAT? As I recall, if you pressed certain buttons while turning on the unit it would alter particular settings in the unit, such as allowing extended receive, locking the transmitter off, etc. After recently returning the unit to ICOM for service they had reset it to factory condition and now I can't receive the extended frequencies.

Thanks,

Blair WB3AWI

Another mindless blabbering from Blair Hogg, whose
3 year old son, Jeffrey, makes more sense than he
does.

1046. Re: SB-220 Help?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: qroking@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981009205446.14920.00004574@ng135.aol.com>
Source record: 129610

I agree, put an SWR meter between output of radio and input of amp, if radio has a built-in SWR meter use that one, and read the SWR looking into the amp on transmit. If the amp worked OK on 80 meters before, I doubt if the input coil needs adjusting, but perhaps one of the "pi-net" input caps have opened. However I agree also with the idea that a "padding" capacitor on the tune variable may have gone south, more likely to me that that would be the problem, its probibly one or two doorknobs switched in the circuit on the 80 meter position to ground. I would suspect this more so than the input circuit since the fellow says the exciter is putting out 100 watts to the amp, if the exciter was cutting back in power I would suspect a bad input tuned circuit. Therefore, I think the padding on the tine variable is the key problem. Please let us know how it turns out..73 LOU

1047. Re: Icom IC-551D and IC-720A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: ni6l@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6vmcqk$sgk@sjx-ixn10.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 129611

IF the 551D has FM AND the PBT, then about $400 if in condx you
describe. Without these options, the price drops pretty fast, more fast
for rigs w/o the PBT.
Good luck,
Tim

In <6vjl25$r5s$1@texas.nwlink.com> reedg@nwlink.com (gail) writes:
>
>What's a good price for these radios in very good condition?
>
>Gail
>KC8V / 7

1048. NEED ADMS SOFTWARE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: n8ppz73@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981009214145.03768.00008088@ng-fd2.aol.com>
Source record: 129612

I have a friend who has a VX-1r software version A-100 and my A-105 software won't seem to work with it. Can someone send me a copy of the A-100 ADMS software?

Thanks, Greg
n8ppz73@aol.com

1049. !!!!!!!!!!Conspiracy at McGill University!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nizar Hajjage <redsun@vif.com>
Message-ID: <IjzT1.269$By.506044@198.235.216.4>
Source record: 129613
Cross-posted to: att.ham-radio,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.spa

I have a serious problem with McGill's administration and I need your immediate assistance.

I am a student in the Chartered Accounting Department at McGill University.

On October 1, 1996, I started working at McGill University's Center for International Management Studies (IMS) to reconcile funds provided by the World Bank to the University.

However, I noticed that McGill's administration had been manipulating the accounts and falsifying the reports. The manipulations amount in the hundreds of thousands of dollars.

When I reported what I saw to the University's Internal Audit and to Professor Bernard Shapiro (McGill's Principal and Vice-Chancellor), the University expelled me from the CA program, claiming that I failed my exams. I wrote excellent exams, but McGill rigged the marking to stop me from reporting what I saw at IMS. Please contact Professor Shapiro at SHAPIRO@UMS1.LAN.MCGILL.CA and ask him why the university rigged my marks.

I tried to settle the matter with the University's Ombudsperson, Mrs. Estelle Hopmeyer and with the Legal Clinic director, Mr. Alex Pless, without success. When I went to see Mr. Pless, the University's security hastily dragged me outside the University. This action is a gross breach of the University's own Charter of Students' Rights which allows me to contact Mr. Pless.

My conflict with McGill's administration reached the University's Board of Governors and Audit and Finance Committee, but nobody listened to me.

I lodged complaints against the chairmen of McGill's Board of Governors and Audit and Finance Committee with Quebec's Order of Chartered Accountants, since the chairmen of the above committees are both CAs. However, I was given a mock hearing at the Order, and the President of the Committee on Discipline ruled, unjustly and unfairly, in favor of McGill's chairmen. You can understand why, can't you? You could confirm the details with Mr. Nicholas Chagnon V.P. Publications.

The lawyers whom I contacted so far are not defending me. I suspect that the Dean of Students Professor Rosalie Jukier is influencing these lawyers not to defend me. Please go to the office of the Dean of Students and ask her why is she stopping my lawyers from defending me.

To silence me, a collaborating judge ruled that I may not contact anybody at McGill. He also ruled that I am not allowed to be on the University's campus, although I did nothing wrong. You must contact me to see my evidence about the funds manipulations at IMS and to reestablish justice at McGill.

The University sent me to jail although I am innocent of the harassment charge which Dr. Lees is accusing me of. Dr. Lees sent me to Riviere des Prairies Psychiatric Detention Center, alleging that I have been harassing the university's staffs. This is not true, since I was only questioning the staffs about the suspicious funds manipulations.

Now I am out of work, cannot continue my education, and the University is suing me for criminal harassment. The court ordered that I undergo mental evaluation. A conspiring psychiatrist alleged that I suffer from delusional disorder of grandiose type. This is a lie that is intended to silence me. Will you help me report my psychiatrist to the appropriate authorities?

You might want to confirm the above facts with McGill's Secretary-General, Dr. Victoria Lees at: LEES@UMS1.LAN.MCGILL.CA, but I advise you not to, because she will give you false answers.

Other strange events happened, and I will tell it all to you after you contact me. I request that you communicate with the University's reporters, student groups, the students in the CA department and your colleagues to expose the World Bank funds conspiracy at IMS.

This could happen to you or to your friends, so you must help me put an end to McGill's injustices. Also, I need your assistance. My family and I are in a desperate situation because of McGill's emotional and financial pressures. Would you help us in this respect?

Please respond and take action. Thank you for your collaboration.

Regards,

Nizar Hajjage
redsun@vif.com
Tel.: (514) 735 3657

<<<<<<===========--M--A--S--A--T--A--K--A----N--O--D--A--==========>>>>>>

De Thu, 08 Oct 1998 01:38:50 GMT,
<KIUS1.97$w3.189341@198.235.216.4>,
"Nizar Hajjage" <redsun@vif.com>
a crit dans le message (!!!!!!!!!!Conspiracy at mcGill
University!!!!!!!)...

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>I have a serious problem with McGill's administration and I need your =
>immediate assistance.=20

I have a serious problem with McGill's administration as well so I
will be quitting the study [degree program] by the end of this term...

doing something else from winter.
Too bad that McGill is losing the students like we are.
I will be posting these articles in concordia.general, can.general
etc. and you should do the same to avoid getting excellent students in
this fuc*king university.

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of course !!!!! they can do whatever they want !!!!!

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>of Governors and Audit and Finance Committee, but nobody listened to me.

do you want to take this whole university to court ?? I was thinking
of that last year.

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>and Audit and Finance Committee with Quebec's Order of Chartered =
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>Students and ask her why is she stopping my lawyers from defending me.

well... if she has 1 billion in her pocket and pass it to the lawyer
whomever you hire... what happens ? probably you shouldn't think
of lawyers but just to take this university court directly. It [this
university...] is ridiculous. I have enough evidence to win court
battle.

>To silence me, a collaborating judge ruled that I may not contact =
>anybody at McGill. He also ruled that I am not allowed to be on the =
>University's campus, although I did nothing wrong. You must contact me =
>to see my evidence about the funds manipulations at IMS and to =
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>Prairies Psychiatric Detention Center, alleging that I have been =
>harassing the university's staffs. This is not true, since I was only =
>questioning the staffs about the suspicious funds manipulations.

yep. they will do whatever they can do to prevent you from finding
out the evidence. Thanks for your post. I will be using this as
well to kick this university's staffs out of their administrations.

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I talked with one of the students here and he told me that professor
changed the course outline after the final exam is written. That's
not acceptable. (i.e. changing the final exam weight from 50% to
2/3 of final mark). It is ridiculous. Just keep up posting and
I will post my stories also.
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>Now I am out of work, cannot continue my education, and the University =
>is suing me for criminal harassment.

let's sue this university. are you willing ?

> The court ordered that I undergo =
>mental evaluation.

probably I have to go under mental evaluation as well !!!!!

> A conspiring psychiatrist alleged that I suffer from =
>delusional disorder of grandiose type. This is a lie that is intended to =
>silence me. Will you help me report my psychiatrist to the appropriate =
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>contact me. I request that you communicate with the University's =

>reporters, student groups, the students in the CA department and your =
>colleagues to expose the World Bank funds conspiracy at IMS.

>This could happen to you or to your friends, so you must help me put an =
>end to McGill's injustices.

YES !!!!! Let's sue this university. I am serious about it. With
series of events like this, I am sure that the ones who are in charge
of this university MUST BE KICKED OUT from this institution.

> Also, I need your assistance. My family and =
>I are in a desperate situation because of McGill's emotional and =
>financial pressures. Would you help us in this respect?

I will be putting my money if you and others are willing to take this
university to court etc. in question.

Just to let you know... there are students who know and who care about
the ongoing incidents at this university.

>Please respond and take action. Thank you for your collaboration.

>Nizar Hajjage
>redsun@vif.com
>Tel.: (514) 735 3657
>--------------------------
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Masataka Noda (Infinite Communications (TM)), Montr&#65533;al, Qu&#65533;bec, Canada
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Membre d'internationale aucun code Morse pour services radioamateur - NCI2014
Pilote Avion Priv&#65533;(avec la qualification de vol de nuit)
&#65533;tudient @ m&#65533;t&#65533;orologie, physique et l'environnement d'Universit&#65533; McGill
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URL : http://www.radiotelephone.net (Principale/Universel)
http://www.radiotelephone.net/masataka.htm (Moi !!)
/amateur/ /no-code/ (Radio)
/mcgill/ (Universit&#65533; McGill)
/examiner/ (Examens de U.McGill)

ATTENTION: Je n'ach&#65533;terai pas ou r&#65533;ponse aucun produit des C&#65533;S non sollicit&#65533;s!!
*** Pour me repondre, enlever .PAS_DE_SPAM de mon adresse ***
*** To reply to me, remove the .PAS_DE_SPAM from my address ***

1050. Re: Opinions on dual band ht's...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: kf4ypn@qsl.net
Message-ID: <361ec3f5.7598898@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 129614

On Fri, 09 Oct 1998 16:56:04 -0700, Louis Bybee <louisb@datacomm.com>
wrote:

>Daniel Abranko wrote:
>> As for there not being a power jack on the radio, what the hell is the
>> point when you have a drop in charger? its like wondering why theres no
>
>Two good reasons. one, for extended operation away from 120v power
>(camping, in a vehicle, etc.). Second, the special 12v cord from Yeasu
>costs near $100. I agree with all your other observations. It seems to
>be a very high quality, excellent performing radio. One additional
>negative point, it wasn't as popular with hams as the 50 and others, so
>Yeasu has discontinued many of the optional accessories. :-(
>
>Louis

If you get the DC docking station thingy (I don't recall the part #)
that price is right. Yaesu makes a filtered cig lighter plug with a
connector that slips onto the battery for about $35. It works, but
the plug filer is too boxy to fit into my lighter socket. Works fine
from an extension though.

Glen

1051. FS - Heathkit Sideband Adapter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Asp <larry.asp@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <361ECA03.352C@sympatico.ca>
Source record: 129615
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Heathkit SB10 Sideband Adapter with copy of manual. $60.00 OBO plus postage.

1052. OUTDOOR ANTENNAs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: David J Riggins <matrixII@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <36202586.518D3FE2@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 129616

Hi All,
I've been wondering if someone might be able to help me out. I live in a developement that has an Association. I am new to amateur radio and would like very much to have an outdoor antenna. Is there some way that I might be able to bypass any certain limitations set forth by the neighborhood association in regards to outdoor antennas? I reside in an Arizona community and need every little bit of help I can get.
Please help!

1053. Re: FT-50R Batt. Drain

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Smith <bs@BSartist.com>
Message-ID: <6vmkup$bdp@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 129617

Do you have any tips for doing this conveniently or do I just need to build
temp wire connections so I can get the meter in series with the battery?

Bill
n2asa

Dave Martindale wrote in message <6vk0ta$1kc@groucho.cs.ubc.ca>...

>Other method: measure battery drain with a meter. It should be well under
>1 mA with the radio off.
>
> Dave

1054. Converter kit survey ending soon

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: rcgoodman@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <361eee70.2792819@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 129618
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

Only 5 more responses needed to complete the survey at
http://www.worldwave-inc.com/survey.html
there is only 5 questions. . . Go for it.

1055. Re: OUTDOOR ANTENNAs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <36851251.572363933@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 129619

On 10 Oct 1998 03:28:36 GMT, David J Riggins <matrixII@worldnet.att.net> wrote:
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>a developement that has an Association. I am new to amateur radio and
>would like very much to have an outdoor antenna. Is there some way that
>I might be able to bypass any certain limitations set forth by the
>neighborhood association in regards to outdoor antennas? I reside in an
>Arizona community and need every little bit of help I can get.
> Please help!

Your best option is to move somewhere that doesn't have Association-Nazis.
But failing that, there are a few options. The FCC has pre-empted restrictive
covenants banning outdoor TV antennas, so the Association can't stop you from
putting up a TV antenna. If you want an outdoor VHF antenna, this is your out.
Log Periodic TV antennas also work on 2 meters, and UHF corner reflector
antennas can be modified to work on 70 cm. You can have a rotator too. If a
HF antenna is what you want, you can treat the TV antenna mast and antenna
as a top loaded vertical.

You can also go to a concealed antenna. You can conceal a VHF or UHF
vertical in a fake vent pipe on the roof (somebody even sells this commercially,
calling it a Ventenna). And you can proudly fly Old Glory from a flagpole in your
yard that happens to have a base matching network concealed in the base to
tune it to the HF bands. And since you're in Arizona, someone makes an antenna
that looks like a big sagaro cactus. Stick that in your yard. Use your imagination.
If it doesn't look like an antenna, your neighborhood antenna Nazis won't know
that it is an antenna.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

1056. Cubic/Swan Astro-150A info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: dslosty@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <361f170a.46596063@news.pipeline.com>
Source record: 129620
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Anyone know much about a Cubic/Swan Astro-150A synthesized HF rig?
It was one of Cubic's last amateur products.

I'm having some problems with synthesizer lock-up.
Anyone have a tech manual with schematics and/or know of a parts
source?

73,
Doug/WA1TUT

"Use it up, wear it out. Make it do, or do without."

Remove the "_" in my return address to reply.

1057. HELP:DG-5 Freq..Display

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: email@tig.com.au
Message-ID: <6vncau$j7h$1@toto.tig.com.au>
Source record: 129621
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.cb

My kenwood DG-5 digital display seems to be out by 100 hz or so on both
receive and transmit.
can anyone please tell me how to adjust this so that the freq... would be
correct. ??

i noticed on the bottom of the DG-5 there is a hole in the cover near the
back that allows me access to a screw with a screwdriver slot for adjustment.

will this ajust the readout ?

any help greatly appreciated .

please email me at email@tig.com.au

thanks.

1058. ISO: Service manuel for GE UHF MVS Mobiles

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: brienm@teleport.com
Message-ID: <brienm.6.00040627@teleport.com>
Source record: 129622

Hello, I am in search of a service manuel for a GE UHV model MVS mobile radio.
Please e-mail me at brienm@teleport.com. Thank You.

1059. ISO:Programming software/hardware for GE MVS Mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: brienm@teleport.com
Message-ID: <brienm.7.00040DD7@teleport.com>
Source record: 129623

I am looking for the programming software and hardware for GE MVS Mobile radios. E-Mail brienm@teleport.com

Thanks!

1060. FS: ICOM AT-180 Tuner $350

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: jhulet@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981010075119.10256.00008179@ng149.aol.com>
Source record: 129624

Excellent condition AT-180 tuner for sale..

$350 Firm

Shipped COD, in box...

Jason S. Hulet/KC8FXE
141 West Harbor Hwy
Maple City, MI 49664
616-947-5049

1061. FS: Mirage 2 meter Amp. 100w output

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: jhulet@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981010075305.10256.00008180@ng149.aol.com>
Source record: 129625

For sale

Mirage 2 meter amp Model - B-310-G

excellent condition

Asking $150

Jason S. Hulet
KC8FXE
616-947-5049

1062. Azden 2mFM Handheld (AZ-21A) Modifications(??)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Smith <n3ued@desupernet.net>
Message-ID: <362170A1.C979137@desupernet.net>
Source record: 129377

I have looked high and low on the Internet and have not found any type of modifications for this particular radio.

I heard that AZDEN no longer supports Amateur Radio Communications <HOW SAD!!> and that there weren't too many modifications for these radios, as they were not very popular.

But in the event that there is even a SLIGHT Chance that someone has worked with these radios, I felt that this is the best place to post this in this news group.

If you can help me out I would Really Appreciate it..

Thanks, N3UED
Visit me at N3UED'S Home On The World Wide Web

1063. Re: How to power a mobile radio for a base station??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Louis Bybee <louisb@datacomm.com>
Message-ID: <36219458.AE4E7EB1@datacomm.com>
Source record: 129378
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Depending upon what part of the country you are in, I am taking a Ten Tech 20 amp 13.8 volt power supply with amp meter to the Ham Fest just South of Salem Oregon, Saturday the 17th to sell. I plan on asking $50 for it.

You could also use a deep discharge battery, and charge it when the radio isn't in use. Most automotive type chargers aren't clean enough to use when the radio is on.

You could use a much smaller power supply with the transmit power set lower.

Good luck, hope you get on the air soon.

Louis

jeannie@NOSPAM.lansol.com wrote:
>
> Hi,
>
> Just bought myself a mobile Yaesu FT-5100 from the last swap meet to
> use a base station (per recommendations from this NG). How in the
> world do I get power to the radio?? It comes all the accessories and
> cables for the car. No AC adapter or anything of sorts.
>
> The manual mentions an optional FP-700 power supply/speaker for base
> station operation. I called the local Ham shop and they want $200.00
> for it. Ouch!! I can't afford that. The manual also says that it
> requires 13.6VDC and at least 12A. The DC transformers they sell at
> Radio Shack only rated at 0.5A.
>
> Please help... 73, Jeannie
>
> ** remove NOSPAM if reply by e-mail **

1064. EAS Receiver/decoder?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thomas & Karen Mitchell <kg7u@olympus.net>
Message-ID: <36219DBF.647@olympus.net>
Source record: 129379

Does anyone know where we could obtain a receiver/decoder for the
Emergency Alert System? (Formerly Emergency Broadcast System).

MTS Communications has one, but only for FM radio; we need AM
(no FM stations in town).

Thanks.

Tom Mitchell, KG7U
Karen Mitchell, KB7CEN

1065. High frequency speaker responce

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dennis Hennigan <dennis@top.monad.net>
Message-ID: <6vqr2q$a7d$1@news.monad.net>
Source record: 129380

I recently purchased a IC746 with external Icom SP21 speaker.
At least for my ears there is way too much bass responce. When Im listining
to a SW station, I cant even understand what they are saying because of the
lack of highs and too much low frequency resopnse. Is there an add on
device (i.e. equalizer) which I can use to increase the high frequency
response?
73 Dennis WA1HOG

1066. looking for good headset

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dennis Hennigan <dennis@top.monad.net>
Message-ID: <6vqqdb$9i0$1@news.monad.net>
Source record: 129381

I am looking for a GOOD headset. I am currently using a Kenwood HS-6
headset. After gluing the sucker back together for the umteenth time I
figure it's time for a new headset. I am using a IC-746 and IC 735.
Its got to be comfortable and good responce at the high frequencys.
Well guys what should I buy???
73 Dennis WA1HOG

1067. Re: For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: mousie@n-jcenter.com
Message-ID: <3621a397.3087127@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 129427

UNIT HAS BEEN SOLD

On 4 Oct 1998 22:45:50 GMT, "mousie" <mousie@n-jcenter.com> wrote:

>
>TenTec Hercules II Amplifier with Remote Control Unit
>--
>500 watts
>
>Perfect condition. Works great!
>
>$600
>
>Clay Langston - WB8ZMV
>
>904-756-8952
>

1068. NCRG Hamfest 98 !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: greg <greg@faroc.com.au>
Message-ID: <6vqc6h$f29$1@newsreader.omen.com.au>
Source record: 129428
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.packet,rec.radio

G'day Folks !

Don't forget it's HAMFEST 1998 again for the Northern Corridor Radio Group,
at Perth, Western Australia. Whether you are a tourist or a local get your
self
down to hamfest for some of the most interesting exhibits for a *long* while
!

Checkout the latest breaking news at : http://www.ncrg.org.au/hamfest to get
up-to-date information.

Hope to catchyou there !

73's Greg VK6YEI
Hamfest co-ordinator 1998
email : ncrg@ncrg.org.au

1069. ICOM Service Provider

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cyber357 <cyber357@nwol.net>
Message-ID: <6vqch4$oi0$1@hornet.fibr.net>
Source record: 129429

Any info. on AVVid out of Irvine, Texas which is an independent
authorized ICOM service provider?

Steve

cyber357@nwol.net

1070. Re: Icom's Tri-Band HT.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: dgf@netcom.com
Message-ID: <dgfF0o0pD.G8F@netcom.com>
Source record: 129430

In article <QwWT1.321$9c2.488@news14.ispnews.com> "Christopher Zeman, KB9RHA"
<zman@iwc.net> writes:
>If you are talking about the IC-T8A, yes. I have one. Bought mine a few
...
>cellular, of course). I don't like the fact that I can only listen to one
>band at a time. It doesn't have the ability to receive 2 or 3 bands at once.

If you want to receive 2/440/1.2G simultaneously I think the only HT that
will do that is the ICOM DELTA-1; it's unfortunately obsolete.

73 Dave WB0GAZ dgf@netcom.com

>>Anyone have any experience or opinions on Icom's tri band ht?

1071. Dentron G-1000B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: fun4sume@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981011094734.20698.00009991@ng142.aol.com>
Source record: 129431

Can some one tell me something about this amp and is it a ok one?
73 Dave,kb8mcz

1072. FS: Glen Martin Roof Tower + More.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: ^Fretts <n2rif@kwiknet.net>
Message-ID: <EO2U1.364$Gq.514@news6.ispnews.com>
Source record: 129432
Cross-posted to: nj.forsale,pa.ne.forsale,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap
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4Sale "Glen Martin Roof Tower, Thrust Bearing & Heavy Duty!"
Aluminum Mast Price & Specs New from Glen Martin are below:
#1; New Glen Martin Roof Tower, Specs & Price...
Model: RT-424, Height: 4.5', Shelf to top: 34.75, Base width 24",
Max Ant. in sq ft @ 87mph@6 / 100mph @4.5 / 112mph @3.6,
Max Ant load: 100lbs Weight: 18lbs Price: $162.00+ Shipping
#2; New Glen Martin Heavy Duty Thrust Bearing, Specs & Price...
Thrust Bearing for rotating setups, premium quality, weatherized
twin bearing for 1.3 to 2.6 mast diameters. TB-25 Price: $89.95
#3; Glen Martin Heavy Duty Aluminum Mast, Specs & Price...
MA-2069 106" X 2.375" OD ,.145 wall aluminum hvy duty 12 lbs
$108.00 New Price for all $359.95 + Shipping and Un-Assembled.
Everything is like new and completely assembled. Asking $240/obo.
Must Pickup! Qth Burlington, NJ. I'm about 10 miles S. of Trenton
& 6 miles N.E. Of Phila, Pa.. Email or Call 609-386-9382 Or
if busy Call: 609-386-3272 {afternoon's only please!!}
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"please remove knowspam to reply"

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1073. Parts HTX-242

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: capt_kirk50@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6vqi5r$q4c$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129433

I need some parts for my HTX-242 but radioshack has discontinued them.
ant Ideas where to find a keypad for one
Thanks
Kirk

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1074. FS IFR 1200A Service Monitor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: summitrt@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981011104049.18741.00006246@ng113.aol.com>
Source record: 129434

Clean IFR 1200A service monitor. Works great with manual and accessories.
Does not have spectrum. $3,300.

Bob Kassel
Summit Radio

1075. WTB: Kenwood Cig Lighter Adapter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: psNOSPAM@adnc.com
Message-ID: <3622c0e9.1639773@news.adnc.com>
Source record: 129435

Need a PG-3H for a Kenwood HT. Would anybody like to sell one??
Peter, W2PWS

1076. BIG ANTENNA SYSTEMS . I5JVA CALL USA 1840KC-3800KC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: i5jva <giovannini@antenna.it>
Message-ID: <01bdf527$2213e220$a59367c3@default>
Source record: 129436

You are invited to visit our pages [INTERNET] to address
http://www.antenna.it
I am active on 80m [SSB] 3790-3800 [KC] all days after the 22.00 [GMT] and
in 160m [SSB] after the 23.00 [GMT] at 1840 [KC]. They are welcome also
only relationships I listen via [E-MAIL] giovannini@antenna.it
Novelty of year is aerial [MOD]: [D2T] 1.5 - 200 [MHZ] 1 [KW] [PEP], who
desires catalogue of this aerial via [INTERNET] can require it via
[E-MAIL].
Thank you and 73 [DX] at all from [I5JVA] [CARLO].

1077. Re: Problem with Outback Outrunner Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5egg@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6vqgtq$nma@sjx-ixn3.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 129437
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hi Tom,

I have had the same trouble with my Perth on some bands, not to mention when I go to Alaska where they operate on the lower end of 40M. The good news is the solution is simple.

The problem is that there is not enough stinger for the lower end of many bands. Since a longer stinger is difficult I use a diffrent system.

Go to Radio Shack or the supplier of your choice and get a few bananna plugs. Solder bare copper wire about a foot long into the plugs. Plug the bananna plug wire combo into a tap above the tap you are using ie. if you are trying to tune 20M put it into the 15M tap. Then check the resonant point and trim the copper wire as needed. When you like the match melt a little blob of solder onto the end of the wire for a corona ball. You can make a little cheat sheet for the various bands. I don't find it any more trouble than changing the tap when changing bands you just change the tap and install the proper tuning gizmo.

I have a several of these tuning gizmos in various lengths that I carry with me when I travel. These and my trusty Autek RF-1 let me tune up on most anything the rental car company gives me.

Hope this helps Jerry

In <quWT1.1871$4g1.3055454@news3.atl.bellsouth.net> "Badger" <thermionic@techie.com> writes:
>
>Yea, I know some of you guys will say " That is is the
>problem, I have an Outback antenna" But seriously,
>the problem is that the dangblasted thing tunes way
>too high. It hits resonance at the upper edges of each
>band, with the stinger all the way out. I have it mounted
>on a standard ball-and-spring mount on the rear quarter
>panel of my Escort station wagon, so it seems like it would
>have at least a minimum amount of metal under it. I have
>the rear body panels & doors bonded with copper strapping for
>even more peace of mind. It is mounted as high up on the quarter
>panel as it will go, so is not up against the metal body. Any ideas?
>Other than to toss it and get Ham Sticks for each band?
>
>The problem is consistant - pretty much the same on all bands.
>Even subbing a longer stinger only helps slightly. Great for the
>few MARS and SHARES freqs that are above the ham bands,

>but not so great for the "normal" bands.
>
>Please cc: your reply via email, as my news server seems
>to not be too awfully reliable at times.
>
>Thanks
>
>Tom Norris
>KA4RKT
>Nashville, TN USA
>badger@telalink.net
>
>

1078. FS: Kenwood 2 Meter Mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan Elekman <elekman@interaccess.com>
Message-ID: <6vqhb1$90a$1@supernews.com>
Source record: 129438

For Sale: Kenwood TM-251A 2 meter mobile radio with memory expansion unit (200 memories). $300 + shipping

Look at the features and specifications at:

http://members.tripod.com/~elekman/TM251A.html

If interested please send me an email:

Dan AA9NK
elekman@interaccess.com

1079. Re: A note to Steve and Murray

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Murray Neece" <kc5mdm@iglobal.net>
Message-ID: <3620CD80.BCADCFE1@iglobal.net>
Source record: 129439
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Gerald, Im sure I speak for Steve as well, when I say: Why dont you just ignore our posts....I for one intend to post as I please within the parameters of MY system....it doenst seem to bother most people....chill out man!! To me thats kinda like saying dont post on the radio cause "I dont have one"...Murray

Gerald Schmitt wrote:

> If you guys want to run your little radio businesses on the internet
> fine, but could you PLEASE stop posting in mime format. I know it looks
> cute with all the bold, color blah blah but for those of us who
> generally read these postings in ASCII it looks like shit. Even if you
> have equipment I would want I can't wade through this crap to find out
> what you are offering.
>
> Just a suggestion.

1080. Tektronix 2335 100Mhz Portable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: mts@plix.com
Message-ID: <6vqnkg$16g$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129440
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

This is a good condition, fully functional, 100Mhz portable scope with delay.

We upgraded the scopes in the shop, so this is available at a great price.

$400 includes US shipping. Jpeg (picture) available on request, please email questions or pic request.

Thank you for stopping by.

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1081. FS: Tektronix 2335 100Mhz Portable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: mts@plix.com
Message-ID: <6vqnl3$16i$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129441
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

This is a good condition, fully functional, 100Mhz portable scope with delay.

We upgraded the scopes in the shop, so this is available at a great price.

$400 includes US shipping. Jpeg (picture) available on request, please email questions or pic request.

Thank you for stopping by.

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1082. FS: Ham Equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Repstad <rcc@together.net>
Message-ID: <3620D4FA.6AF70C4B@together.net>
Source record: 129442
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Homebrew RF-Deck uses pair 4-125's, about 500W out needs HV supply:
$150.00

Thoradson Plate Xformer 1.2KV @ 1A: $50.00

Unbuilt Head Coax-Switch $60.00

Heathkig IG-102 RF Signal Generator: $30.00

Heathkit DX-60B w/matching HG-10 VFO: $130.00

MFJ 752C Signal Enhancer: $40.00

Heathkit AM-2 Swr Meter: $15.00

Pair Collis Motorized Roller Inductors $80.00

Pair of HTX-202 2M HT's with hand mic., exec cond: $75.00 ea

Kenwood TS-930SAT w/250hz CW filter, auto tuner, etc... exec condition:
$900.00

Linear Amp Parts (sold as set, will not split): Pair of 4CX1500B medical
pulls, w/1-Socket/Chimney,
Peter W. Dahl Plate transformer a 115/230 VAC primary and a 1250 VAC @
1.5A CCS secondary
8-1500mfd @ 450V Computer Grade caps, pair of 6KV block diodes,
pair of ducted blower fans (pulls from military equipment) all for $450.

Ham-IV Rotor & Controller $200.00

Above prices do not include shipping. E-mail direct if interested:
KB1CGA

--Tom
KB1CGA

1083. LOOK HERE FIRST !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: HRE <hamradio@wizzards.net>
Message-ID: <3620E6B4.142D@wizzards.net>
Source record: 129443

HRE wrote:

* BUY ~ SELL ~ TRADE * ONLY TOP CONDITION HAM RADIOS AND EQUIPMENT !!!

Look at HRE Web page under "USED Equipment".
You will find that I sell nice clean bench tested Radios and
equipment for less money than I see most hams selling the same gear
for... If you want to save some money and get Good Gear, With No Worry
of Getting Ripped-Off... Or getting Junk Radios that don't Work...
GO TO > http://www.wizzards.net/hamradio

1084. Re: ISO:Programming software/hardware for GE MVS Mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brad <bradw@pacifier.com>
Message-ID: <3620E918.1D78@pacifier.com>
Source record: 129444

Brien F. Morris wrote:
>
> I am looking for the programming software and hardware for GE MVS Mobile
> radios. E-Mail brienm@teleport.com
>
> Thanks!

This guy is one of the biggest trouble makers in the Portland
ham radio area. PLEASE no one help him with this or any other
plan he is attemting for the good of the ham community.

He is known as a boil on the ass of the ham community
here that won't go away.

1085. ALERT Re: ISO: Service manuel for GE UHF MVS Mobiles

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brad <bradw@pacifier.com>
Message-ID: <3620E96D.523C@pacifier.com>
Source record: 129445

Brien F. Morris wrote:
>
> Hello, I am in search of a service manuel for a GE UHV model MVS mobile radio.
> Please e-mail me at brienm@teleport.com. Thank You.

This guy is one of the biggest trouble makers in the Portland
ham radio area. PLEASE no one help him with this or any other
plan he is attemting for the good of the ham community.

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here that won't go away.

1086. Re: Help:Inexpensive Reapeter controller

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brad <bradw@pacifier.com>
Message-ID: <3620E9CB.5C8A@pacifier.com>
Source record: 129446

Brien F. Morris wrote:
>
> I need some help. I have two GE UHF mobiles. They have accessory connectors.
> I am looking for an inexpensive repeater controller. Does not need all the
> bells and whistles of the expensive ones.

This guy is one of the biggest trouble makers in the Portland
ham radio area. PLEASE no one help him with this or any other
plan he is attemting for the good of the ham community.

He is known as a boil on the ass of the ham community
here that won't go away.

1087. TRADE: Yaesu FT-600 for IC-751A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Terry <pridgent@pinn.net>
Message-ID: <Ih6U1.40$fl.780420@audrey2.cais.com>
Source record: 129447
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Looking to trade a new Yaesu FT-600 all mode HF transceiver for a like new
Icom IC-751A transceiver. This radio covers all the ham bands and has a
general coverage receiver. Please respond to my email address.
73, Terry/KC4YTF
pridgent@pinn.net

1088. Wntd: AEA Radio Link $$!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: orlin@calserve.com
Message-ID: <3620F0CA.CD8E8AF@calserve.com>
Source record: 129448
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

Hello, Looking for an AEA, "Radio Link". If you have one for sale please call 909-517-1107, or email orlin@calserve.com . If you know where to find one, email me & I'll make it worth your while!

Thanks, & 73's

Orlin -- KO6PX

1089. FS: Heathkit SB102, HP23, SB600

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: mark <imok1@mc.net>
Message-ID: <36210004.B6E0D46E@mc.net>
Source record: 129449
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

For sale:

Heathkit SB102, HP23, SB600. All in excellent condition. All original
except small speech processor added. No holes, additional switches, mods
etc.
$250

Mark
KB9LIO
imok1@mc.net

1090. Anyone have ICOM R-7000 mods?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John J. Healy" <jjhealy@erols.com>
Message-ID: <6vr2bo$5pr$1@winter.news.erols.com>
Source record: 129450

I am looking for any modifications for the ICOM IC-R7000 Communications Receiver. The only one I have is the 200 memory channel modification. I seem to remember that there were a number of modificationsin QST some years ago. Any help would be appreciated. Thanks.

1091. FA: Electro Voice Model 635 Microphone, cord, stand

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Etter <retter@bright.net>
Message-ID: <36210EB8.258D@bright.net>
Source record: 129451

Electro Voice
Model 635 Microphone

Microphone comes with stand, 6' cord, and wind screen. All in very good
to excellent condition.

Dual impedence, 250 ohm and 50 ohm. In very good condition,
with some minor scratches, and wear on the name plate. (see scans)

$4.00 shipping in US

No Reserve --- $9.99

Thanks for looking! See at:
http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=35191920

1092. need icom q7a mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bruce A Shurtz <boingo1@nwlink.com>
Message-ID: <36210D27.61CFE845@nwlink.com>
Source record: 129452

Any info on TX mods would be greatly appreciated...

1093. Re: How to power a mobile radio for a base station??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: n4veh@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981011162754.08202.00003721@ngol06.aol.com>
Source record: 129453

In article <3613f2bb.16696247@news.flashcom.com>, jeannie@NOSPAM.lansol.com writes:

>
>Just bought myself a mobile Yaesu FT-5100 from the last swap meet to
>use a base station (per recommendations from this NG). How in the
>world do I get power to the radio?? It comes all the accessories and
>cables for the car. No AC adapter or anything of sorts.
>
>
Get a lawn tractor or motorcycle battery and a charger. Charge the battery when you aren't using the radio.

1094. FS: TenTec Argosy II, loaded, $375

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3bj@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6vr7tg$n22$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129454
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale: TenTec Argosy II (Model 525D) with 223 Noise Blanker, 224 Audio Filter and 219 CW filter. Very clean, inside and out, about a 9 out of 10. Works FB. Front panel and case has been repainted, but done incredibly well. Some scratches on side of case, none on front panel. Small rocker switch mod on bottom of case for speaker/headphone switching.

If you have been wanting an Argosy II, this is a deal on a loaded unit.

$375 shipped

Alan, N3BJ
Bent Mountain, VA

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1095. FS: TenTec Model 280 PS - $85 shipped

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3bj@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6vr8gb$oc7$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129455
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale: TenTec Model 280 power supply, works fine, about a 8.5 out of 10, from estate sale, no manual. This is the PS that matches the Omni C and has a panel mounted ammeter.

$85 shipped

Alan, N3BJ
Bent Mountain, VA

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1096. For Sale - SWAN 400 Transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: mousie@n-jcenter.com
Message-ID: <3621101f.621864@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 129456

SWAN 400 transceiver

1: VFO Unit
2: Transmitter/Receiver unit
3: Power Supply
4: Sure desktop mic

Unit is in mint condition and fully functional

$300.00 - obo mousie@n-jcenter.com

1097. alternate belt clip for icom q7a

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: ANDREWJ <andrewj@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <6vr5n0$24t$1@birch.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 129457

the clip on my q7a broke; does anyone have a more durable solution?

andy

1098. WTB Tempo 2020 power cord, Manual, or parts rig.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris <ck5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <36211A44.6269@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 129458
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Title says it all. I need the ac cord immediately. Thanks Chris

1099. FOR SALE - BEARCAT DX 1000 COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: mousie@n-jcenter.com
Message-ID: <36211774.2499092@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 129459

EXCELLENT CONDITION AND FULLY FUNCTIONAL

WITH POWER CORD AND NICAD BATTERIES

$100 FIRM

MOUSIE@N-JCENTER.COM

1100. Replacement antenna for VX-1R?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: lewisgregory@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <3621214c.2113807@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 129460

I bought a Yaesu VX-1 from HRO in Atlanta this weekend, and while I like the radio OK so far, the stock antenna has just *got* to go. (But, hey, it's a factory dummy load from Yaesu--what else should I expect? My FT-530 was useless until Yaesu replaced the hard rubber antenna that came with it with a surplus FT-470 whip, which works great. Go figure.) Does anybody have any suggestions for a decent antenna to complement my VX-1?

Check six,
Lewis "Moose" Gregory +----------
lewisgregory@earthlink.net | ICQ UIN 745844 Amateur Radio: KS4RY
Columbia, South Carolina +----------
Confederate States of America | WarBirds: "moose-"
----------+----------
Proud Member of the Flying Pigs Squadron - http://www.flyingpigs.com
OINK! OINK! TO WAR!!

"Dammit, Beavis, quit screwing around. We've got an experiment to do."

1101. wtd battery kenwood 77a

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: kable guy minn <n0mnb@minn.net>
Message-ID: <01bdf53c$bca7d340$245910d0@default>
Source record: 129461

wanted kenwood 77a 7.2v @ 600 mha or better nicad.

n0mnb@minn.net

1102. wtd info on any fm 900mhz busness band to convert

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: kable guy minn <n0mnb@minn.net>
Message-ID: <01bdf53d$31db2ea0$245910d0@default>
Source record: 129462

looking for info on any busness band radio that i could re-tune to used on
900 mhz
fm...

n0mnb@minn.net

1103. need service manual for yeasu business band uhf 7006 ht's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: kable guy minn <n0mnb@minn.net>
Message-ID: <01bdf53d$b1351c60$245910d0@default>
Source record: 129463

looking for service manual and instruction manual for yeasu uhf 16 channel
ht's
#7009 any help

n0mnb@minn.net

1104. FOR SALE: Yaesu FT-290R MK II & 690R II

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Phillip G. Johnson" <phillij1@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <36213F72.35F5@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 129464

I have for sale a Yaesu FT-290R II 2 meter all-mode and a FT-690R II for sale. I am asking $425 each shipped. If interested e-mail me at phillij1@bellsouth.net.

Phillip Johnson KF4TGY

1105. IC-Q7A Need Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bruce A Shurtz <boingo1@nwlink.com>
Message-ID: <36213962.4798E10D@nwlink.com>
Source record: 129465

Need TX mods. Any info would be helpful.....

1106. WTB TM742 Parts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <jal@sinosa.com>
Message-ID: <6vrfkf$e05$1@supernews.com>
Source record: 129466
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I am looking to by the 440 mhz RF section or plug in for the Kenwood 742 triband radio. Must be in working Cond. Contact me by e-mail jal@sinosa.com

John

1107. Setting Guide For Tube Tester

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: sppolak@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981011194408.24476.00008709@ng150.aol.com>
Source record: 129467

Iam looking for a copy of the setting guide for a Monarch tube tester model TT-200. Any ideas where i could get one?

1108. FS: Viking Challenger

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: ww <wwhite@sprynet.com>
Message-ID: <6vrfns$408$1@juliana.sprynet.com>
Source record: 129468

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Excellent original condition. $140.00 plus shipping.
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1109. Looking for doc's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <jal@sinosa.com>
Message-ID: <6vrgrf$qf5$1@supernews.com>
Source record: 129469
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I am looking for any lit or paper work on the RF power amp PA1-1AE made by TPL Communications INC., 1324 W 135st. Gardena, CA 90247. Freq is 35-50mhz, power in is 1-6w power out is 80-100w. Thanks in advance. respond by e-mail jal@sinosa.com.

John
KC7IM

1110. Re: FS: TenTec Model 280 PS - $85 shipped

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: jsm@n4vu.dyn.ml.org
Message-ID: <6vrg81$t8g$1@n4vu.dyn.ml.org>
Source record: 129470
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

n3bj@hotmail.com wrote:
> For Sale: TenTec Model 280 power supply, works fine, about a 8.5 out of 10,
> from estate sale, no manual. This is the PS that matches the Omni C and has
> a panel mounted ammeter.

I'd be up for it if someone wanted to take my model 252M off
my hands for a comparable amount.

--
John Miller, N4VU Linux! Offense should be in
'96 base model MCA #70258 short supply; so much
"Shiroi Kuruma" DoD #1942 more is taken than given

1111. FS- Alinco DJ - S11 2m. HT (anib) ends 10/12 @ 2:46 pm EST

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: *varmint*@peapod.com
Message-ID: <*varmint*-1110982107320001@tc1ppp39.ascinet.com>
Source record: 129471
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Can be seen on eBay at:
http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=34086663

"....and he wore a hat,
and he had a job, Fisher Huntsmann
and he brought home *varmint*@peapod.com
the bacon, so that...
....no one knew." anti-spam " * " added
=DEVO=

1112. Message from Murray::::NERO FIDDLED WHILE ROME BURNED !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Murray Neece" <kc5mdm@iglobal.net>
Message-ID: <36215CB2.DE49694B@iglobal.net>
Source record: 129472
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

> : Message from Murray:::: "NERO FIDDLED WHILE ROME BURNED "
>
>
>
> Well now, more comment from more people showing thier amazing
> intelligence and lack of any real understanding, or much to
> do (about nothing)...actually it appears that many have not
> much to do... But heres a statement of policy from Me: Murray
> Neece, in the convenience store business in Odessa, Tx....My
> hobby is buying and selling and trading and swapping ham
> radio, antiques, musical instruments, and even ocasionnally
> some restaurant equipment....HOBBY I said.... (I have some
> nice DRINK coolers right now but wrong group unless you want
> to keep your cash and radios cold) Its a hobby, if you dont
> like my posts, pass em by.....If you shake my tree...expect
> the more rotten peaches to fall....maybe on your head...if you
> want a war of words, go to www.biteme.com and fight with
> him...I LOVE THIS RADIO STUFF...Join me tonite on the Sun Nite
> Continental traders net 3.922 at 8pm central....My deal are
> honest, I back my sales, I return money to those unhappy, and
> I rarely whine about the crap you "once in a while ers" send
> me as "Great clean radios" Phewwwww.....I shouldnt send this
> cause I know it will draw comment, which I really dont want
> and dont intend to respond to anymore...Back to FUN..... 17
> mtr CW is open, why not catch me there and voice your opinions
> , if youve got all nite, hi hi...73 Murray K5MDM PS:
> Remember, if I offend you, so do you..........offend me! OH
> YEAH, and to you PRICE POLICE, I have no problem with those
> who sell for less, they know what thier stuff is worth........

DO YOU GET IT GERALD?

1113. Message from Murray::::NERO FIDDLED WHILE ROME BURNED !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Murray Neece" <kc5mdm@iglobal.net>
Message-ID: <36215CED.4392C080@iglobal.net>
Source record: 129473
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

> :

I understand that some of you might have missed this....here it is
again...hopefull in a plain enuff format for all.M

> Message from Murray:::: "NERO FIDDLED WHILE ROME BURNED "
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>
> Well now, more comment from more people showing thier amazing
> intelligence and lack of any real understanding, or much to
> do (about nothing)...actually it appears that many have not
> much to do... But heres a statement of policy from Me: Murray
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1114. WTB YEASU FL-7000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ralph M. Ferrara" <rmf218@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <eyhIFTY99GA.233@upnetnews05>
Source record: 129474

I am looking for a Yeasu FL-7000 linear amp to use with my FT757GXll.
Hopefully there is one out there that is in relatively mint condition with
the manual. Thanks Ralph rmf218@msn.com (WA2NTK)

1115. i have a yaseu ft-50r with a problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Garvelink <link@cdc.net>
Message-ID: <E363C3465E06340B.BC725EC7EFD7E2B7.CDE6E32140558D90@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 129475

Is there a way to reset the cpu or every setting on the yasue ft-50r

my ptt does not work at all i was plugging in my speaker mic and it said
error twice
because it was off band (i was lessening to a radio program) and then
the ptt on the radio and the spker mic dident work and suggesting

73's kf4vwj Zachary Garvelink

1116. ?? industrial tube identification ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Amy Fedorchak <amyf@erols.com>
Message-ID: <36215DAC.8B36C03F@erols.com>
Source record: 129476
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hi,
I stumbled across a box of industrial (I think) type vacuum tubes. Anybody know anything about these and/or know of anyone who might be able to utilize them ? Most are NOS.

The numbers:

EL-1C

NL-5632 / C3J

NL-623

3C23

2050

EM-5

CE-5557

EL- C16J

3B28

812A

966

1117. Re: Alinco C1T - Whats your experience?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: macw2389@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6vp002rgk1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129498

Keeping the earphone in your ear while the radio is turned on, because the radio has no speaker, is worse then you think. Later I traded with the DJ-C5T dual band card which has a little speaker bult-in (an obvious feedback from the DJ-C4T users) but drive isn't enough and I can hardly hear the audio while it's in my shirt pocket.(There's no belt clip option). It's good perhaps for experiments or remote-controls where audio monitoring is of secondary importance.

Marc

In article <19981010175458.14630.00005211@ng64.aol.com>,
usc95@aol.com (USC95) wrote:
>
> Anyone used one of these rigs? What do you like/dislike?
>
> Michael
>

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1118. Help:Inexpensive Reapeter controller

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: brienm@teleport.com
Message-ID: <brienm.10.00113CF1@teleport.com>
Source record: 129499

I need some help. I have two GE UHF mobiles. They have accessory connectors.
I am looking for an inexpensive repeater controller. Does not need all the
bells and whistles of the expensive ones.

1119. Icom's Tri-Band HT.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: quinkman@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981010201355.22839.00008044@ng154.aol.com>
Source record: 129500

Anyone have any experience or opinions on Icom's tri band ht?

1120. FS Kenwood R599 Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Asp <larry.asp@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <36200433.4D17@sympatico.ca>
Source record: 129501
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Kenwood R599 receiver, one half of the Kenwood Twins. Clean radio, running, no mods. $125.00 plus shipping.

1121. Re: Icom Q7A Anyone Have Any Mods?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: dbbadge@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981010213225.01499.00005131@ng53.aol.com>
Source record: 129502

Try this site ...!The Qrz Shareware Collection

1122. FS: NOS 6LB6's $15 ea.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: MAK <blusky@internetcds.com>
Message-ID: <01bdf4c5$4c7ae8e0$79841ad0@blusky>
Source record: 129503
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap,uk.radio.swap

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and unboxed look like new for $9 ea.
all + shipping
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1123. Ten Tec tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: chickenfuz@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981010225954.00719.00000831@ng72.aol.com>
Source record: 129504

Want to buy a Ten Tec 238 tuner

Thanks, WA6CBP

1124. Re: 2.45 GHz- Convertor WANTED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: dutch@dish-NET.com
Message-ID: <6vp97i$911$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129505
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

In article <361fcaf0.779187@news.iaehv.nl>,
abom@iaehv.nl (Alexander) wrote:
> Who can help me to a 2.45GHz convertor,intended for ATV- reception.
> Many thanks in advance for your positive reactions,
> Best wishes from the Netherlands,

Nederland is so small, people don't need ATV, they just need two cans and a
string........
Regards - Rene VE6WCA (ex PA0YS) Also known as "dutch"

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1125. Is $200 good for a pair of Radius sp10's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: achalupa@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981010234620.03609.00001939@ng-fi1.aol.com>
Source record: 129506

Is 200 a good price for a pair of Motorolla Radios p10's .
VHF 1 watt, they have the optionas code squelch added and come with nicads and
base chargers.

Supposed to be in good working condition.
Need for small job and some outside applications.

He want's 210 for the pair with shipping.

If not what kind of equivalents and where can i find them

anthony

1126. Re: OUTDOOR ANTENNAs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rudi Wiedemann <wiedemann@home.com>
Message-ID: <UWVT1.245$IM1.1611004@news.rdc1.sfba.home.com>
Source record: 129507

If you want to get on HF, then believe it or not, you can use 2 slinkies (yes, the old metal kid's spring toy, $3.50 at KayBee Toys) and hang them under your porch eaves on some 150lb monofilament line to create a dipole. Use some coax to a 1:1 balun and a pair of alligator clips on 6" leads to connect to the inside ends of the legs. Stretch each leg out to 7.5-8.0 feet and use the entire 90 turns for 40m. Adjust LENGTH of the spring for best SWR. Bunch up 25 turns on each leg and stretch the other 20 turns about 7.5-8.0 feet and stretch to resonance to work 20m. Play around with this same principle for 15m and 10m. To get 80m, you'll need a total of 4 slinkies at 15 feet each leg, which is longer than most porches.

With this EXACT setup I've worked all continents with at least a 5x5 signal report! So don't dispair about HF, it CAN work for you.

Rudi - KF6RLQ

David J Riggins wrote in message <36202586.518D3FE2@worldnet.att.net>...
>Hi All,
> I've been wondering if someone might be able to help me out. I live in
>a developement that has an Association. I am new to amateur radio and
>would like very much to have an outdoor antenna. Is there some way that
>I might be able to bypass any certain limitations set forth by the
>neighborhood association in regards to outdoor antennas? I reside in an
>Arizona community and need every little bit of help I can get.
> Please help!

1127. Re: Is $200 good for a pair of Radius sp10's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: ligosa@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981010235328.15495.00005423@ng63.aol.com>
Source record: 129508

That is a reasonable price

1128. Re: Best Cheap HF Small Antenna not requiring a Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rudi Wiedemann <wiedemann@home.com>
Message-ID: <I%VT1.246$IM1.1612970@news.rdc1.sfba.home.com>
Source record: 129509

HamStick from Lakewood on a car roof. Fantastic DX

ddgsk@tic.net wrote in message <6vi5du$809@news-central.tiac.net>...
>x-no-archive: yes
>
>Any thoughts?

1129. WTB: BIG OLD XMTG TUBES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: MAK <blusky@internetcds.com>
Message-ID: <01bdf4d1$085e9380$79841ad0@blusky>
Source record: 129510
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap

Wanted big old xmtg tubes i.e.:
211
212
801
810
833
845
849
851
250TL
304TL
450TL

1130. Problem with Outback Outrunner Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Badger <thermionic@techie.com>
Message-ID: <quWT1.1871$4g1.3055454@news3.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 129511
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Yea, I know some of you guys will say " That is is the
problem, I have an Outback antenna" But seriously,
the problem is that the dangblasted thing tunes way
too high. It hits resonance at the upper edges of each
band, with the stinger all the way out. I have it mounted
on a standard ball-and-spring mount on the rear quarter
panel of my Escort station wagon, so it seems like it would
have at least a minimum amount of metal under it. I have
the rear body panels & doors bonded with copper strapping for
even more peace of mind. It is mounted as high up on the quarter
panel as it will go, so is not up against the metal body. Any ideas?
Other than to toss it and get Ham Sticks for each band?

The problem is consistant - pretty much the same on all bands.
Even subbing a longer stinger only helps slightly. Great for the
few MARS and SHARES freqs that are above the ham bands,
but not so great for the "normal" bands.

Please cc: your reply via email, as my news server seems
to not be too awfully reliable at times.

Thanks

Tom Norris
KA4RKT
Nashville, TN USA
badger@telalink.net

1131. Cross Band repeat on Kenwood TM-732A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke6jgn@garlic.com
Message-ID: <362246b5.16534861@news.garlic.com>
Source record: 129512

Has anyone been able to get their TM-732A to cross band repeat? I
have followed the instructions in the manual, and it does not work.

Thanks,
ke6jgn

1132. Emergency Sale: Complete HF Station $2000.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: reycomm@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981011033718.22950.00005643@ng98.aol.com>
Source record: 129513

I have 3 pieces of test equipment-
B&K 2160 DUAL TRACE 60 MHZ SCOPE AS NEW, $250.00
B&K DIGITAL AUDIO FREQ. GENERATOR 1 THROUGH 2 MHZ, $50.00
ELENCO AUDIO FREQ. GEN. WITH COUNTER 1 THROUGH 2MHZ $50.00

***COMPLETE POWER HF STATION
1-Icom 756 with SM-20 Desk Mic. Excellent cond.
1- AL811 3 tubes HF Amp 1.8 through 30 MHz. Excellent cond.
1- 989C MFJ 3KW ANT TUNER ROLLER INDUCTOR , Excellent cond.
2 AIR VARIABLE CAPS. SWR/WATT CROSS METER, Excellent cond.
BUILT IN BALUN. Excellent cond.
*** aLL FOR $2000.OO

E-Mail Me at: Reycomm@aol.com
415-753-3788 REY KC6GAW

IF INTERESTED SEND YOUR MAILING ADDRESS,CITY,STATE,ZIP
THIS WAY I CAN CALCULATE SHIPPING RATE.

COD UPS <<U.S.POSTAL MONEY ORDER MADE PAYABLE TO REY FIMBRES>>
<<DRIVER WILL ONLY ACCEPT U.S.POSTAL MONEY ORDER>>

1133. Re: FT-50R Batt. Drain

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@groucho.cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <6vpu8f$h9o@groucho.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 129514

"Bill Smith" <bs@BSartist.com> writes:
>Do you have any tips for doing this conveniently or do I just need to build
>temp wire connections so I can get the meter in series with the battery?

A couple of clip leads and perhaps the help of a Friend with some
extra hands should allow you to make all the connections you need and
hold them for the few seconds needed to make a measurement.

You can also use the external power input on the FT-50 if you have a
suitable cable. In that case, remember to take the battery off,
or you'll be measuring battery charge current as well as radio
idle current.

Dave

1134. Leader Dip Meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Owen <orbo@xtra.co.nz>
Message-ID: <6vpujg$q94$1@titan.xtra.co.nz>
Source record: 129515

Hi,Can anyone help me with the coil winding details for a Leader LDM-810 Grid Dip Meter?
Any details/schematics etc would be most welcome.
Thankyou and regards Owen. ZL1OB.
Owen R Booth ZL1OB
40A Esk St. Ph 07 5776724
Tauranga Fax 64 7 5776728
e-mail orbo@xtra.co.nz

1135. Re: WTB: BIG OLD XMTG TUBES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: arnoldg@sf.telia.no
Message-ID: <36210460.710399@news1.telia.com>
Source record: 129516
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap

On 11 Oct 1998 04:00:17 GMT, "MAK" <blusky@internetcds.com> wrote:

>Wanted big old xmtg tubes i.e.:
>211
>212
>801
>810
>833
>845
>849
>851
>250TL
>304TL
>450TL

I have some of these in stock and a lot of others, also many European types. Visit my homepage for a complete list, prices etc.

Regards,

Arnold Goksoyr

DEMOSTENES A. Goksoyr
N5850 Balestrand
NORWAY
Phone +47 5769 1340
Fax +47 5769 1267
e-mail arnoldg@sf.telia.no

New and better homepage with valves, sockets, transformers,
caps, resistors and books about valves and valve equipment
1800 different valves in stock. Many rare European types.
You will find it at my homepage: http://demostenes.vestdata.no

1136. WTB: Johnson Navigator

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: wd1v@amsat.org
Message-ID: <wd1v-1110980633530001@bnh-4-34.mv.com>
Source record: 129517

Contact John Seney, WD1V

603.668.1096

wd1v@amsat.org

1137. F.S. Nye-Viking MB-V-A $525.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: kcoin@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981011074551.21526.00008220@ng151.aol.com>
Source record: 129518

Nye-Viking MB-V-A 3 KW. Tuner 3yrs.? old Like New Cond.
$525 Shp. (48's)
This Equipment is Guarantee as Described or your Money Back Minus Shipping
Ken (WN9N) 815-478-5109 kcoin@aol.com

1138. F.S. Mirage 2 Mtr. Amp $195.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: kcoin@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981011075256.21526.00008226@ng151.aol.com>
Source record: 129519

Mirage Model 83016 (144-148) (30in-160 out) 2 Mtr. Amp FM/SSB
W/Preamp $195.+Shp.
This Equipment is Guarantee as Described or your Money Back Minus Shipping
Ken (WN9N) 815-478-5109 kcoin@aol.com

1139. Re: icom ic-706 deaf outside ham portion of 2m

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clinton <cpeebles@_nospam_netidea.com>
Message-ID: <3620A307.EA6@_nospam_netidea.com>
Source record: 129520
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

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WebMonkey wrote:
>
> i know this circulated alot but i didn't get anything from the archive.
> i'd appreciate if someone would point me where i can find the "fix" for
> the ic-706 being deaf outside the ham portion of 2m
> don't really care about the transmit power, just would like it to hear
> the police/fire/rescue as good as my ht when i'm mobiling about.

Check out http://www.qrz.com/mods/

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Kill the MAI

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Clinton Peebles VE7KNL Grid DN19ie
Remove _NOSPAM_ to reply.
E-Mail: VE7KNL@RAC.CA
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1140. Re: FT-1000 Tuning Upgrader

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Christensen <paulc@mediaone.net>
Message-ID: <5x1U1.5102$Xt4.28142353@news2.jacksonville.net>
Source record: 129521
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

The IRC tuning upgrade kit works like this: As the main tuning VFO is spun, the rate of frequency change per dial turn accelerates as the knob is spun faster. There are three speed rates. Additionally, IRC very cleverly designed the the kit such that the FT-1000's "CW TUNE" LED would change color between red, green and amber, indicating the acceleration rate. If you spin the VFO knob faster, the color of the LED would change. When tuning stopped, the LED functions as normal on CW receive.

The kit was also available for the sub-receiver. I installed both on mine and they worked great. Installation was easy and it only required tipping the front panel down.

-Paul, W9AC

Dave Pedersen wrote in message <6vnon9$49r$1@server2.wans.net>...
>For Sale: Tuning upgrader for FT-1000/D by International Radio. New, never
>installed. $20
>
>Dave N7BHC
>n7bhc@gateway.net
>
>
>

1141. WTT: Drake C line stuff for TR-7

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3bj@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <6vqc0u$hc6$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129522
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchor,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Have over 50 assorted crystals (hamband and SWL) for the T4*/R4* series, over 100 tubes for same (lots are NOS), 20 pcs. of the rare TL-422CN IC for the Sherwood product detector mod and assorted R4C parts, including some brackets and relays used in the Sherwood mods, other stuff. Would like to trade it all for/towards a TR-7 in good shape. More details if someone is interested.

Alan, N3BJ
Bent Mountain, VA

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1142. Re: Advise on Icom T8A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: danger_man_mi6@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <6vqbj0$gr1$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129523

In article
<58FFEA15CEFC69AC.A77510B52197C23E.B672BAE11D359E55@library-proxy.airnews.net
>, "John & Kari Mapes" <shannon4@airmail.net> wrote:

> I am currently in themarket for a new HT and I was thinking of getting the
> IC-T8A.
>
> Just wondering what people opinions were on the this HT
>
>

Just got mine a week or so ago, so far no problems BUT it does not appear to
be able to do split frequency work (bummer). The only thing that I REALLY
didn't like and I'm getting used to is the frequency change knob. Icom
decide to put the volume controls as very small push buttons while the
frequency control is a honkin great knob on the top of the unit. I haven't
been able to get some of the controls to work the way they say in the book
but that could just be me. Also it has a SMA connector for the antenna rather
than a BNC the adapters run in the neighbourhood of $10 each.

Other than that it is a good radio I paid about $700 CDN for it in Ottawa

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1143. Re: OUTDOOR ANTENNAs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <368bad82.677645341@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 129524

On Sat, 10 Oct 1998 21:42:40 -0700, Jones <Jones@nomail.com> wrote:
>> And you can proudly fly Old Glory from a flagpole in your
>> yard that happens to have a base matching network concealed in the base
>>to tune it to the HF bands.
>> Gary Coffman KE4ZV
>
>At Terra Vita, a Del Web development in Scottsdale AZ, the board took a
>resident veteran to court for flying the flag. After about $15K in
>lawyers bills he gave up. And he wasn't even trying to conceal
>anything...

Yeah, some of these Associations won't even allow you to display the flag.
Makes you wonder what's happened to this country.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

1144. Re: request Advice on HW-101 drift problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Clarke <w2blc599@radiolink.net>
Message-ID: <3620af98.0@news3.ibm.net>
Source record: 129525

The caps in the VFO have gone bad. You can either replace them (with high quality temperature compensated caps) or leave the rig on all the time. Until you are sure you want to use the rig for a long time, I'd do the latter.

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Bill Clarke W2BLC
W2BLC@radiolink.net

1145. For Sale - Swan 400 HF Transciever

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: mousie@n-jcenter.com
Message-ID: <3620a0d7.2383474@news.newsguy.com>
Source record: 129526

Mint condition - 4 piece unit

1: VFO Unit
2: Reciever/Transmitter Unit
3: Power Supply
4: Sure desk microphone

Unit transmits and recieves 10m - 80m

Sorry do not have manuals.

Make offer

Jim Glenn - KE4IZA

mousie@n-jcenter.com

1146. WTD: Schematic for Icom BC-35

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Stan Labinsky Jr." <stanbarb@warwick.net>
Message-ID: <36221C35.6027A17D@warwick.net>
Source record: 129327

Hello, I'm looking for a copy of the schematic and operator's manual for
the Icom BC-35 Rapid Charger, the one used to charge IC2 (and 02) At
H.T. batteries.
Please reply to my Email with requested cost.
Thanks, Stan

1147. Re: EAS Receiver/decoder?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "my ham call"
Message-ID: <36226777.153277549@news.bna.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 129328

On Sun, 11 Oct 1998 23:12:16 -0700, Thomas & Karen Mitchell
<kg7u@olympus.net> wrote:
>Does anyone know where we could obtain a receiver/decoder for the
>Emergency Alert System? (Formerly Emergency Broadcast System).
>MTS Communications has one, but only for FM radio; we need AM
>(no FM stations in town).

Unless you want to spend the $$ for a broadcast product, I can't
answer that directly, but...

The EAS information is transmitted as audio. So if you could find a
schematic diagram for the unit, you could figure out where the audio
output of the FM radio part is, cut the circuit, and insert the audio
from an external AM receiver instead.

Alternatively, you could buy a FM wireless mike (unfortunately it
might take some doing to find one that doesn't drift too much...) and
feed the AM audio into it, then tune the EAS receiver to the FM
frequency.

On that subject, Radio Shack sells one that works with the NOAA
162.xMHz weather radio. It should be equally modifiable.
Unfortunately I haven't seen one since they sold out VERY quickly
after the big Nashville tornado!

73 Doug
Doug Smith (ham call W9WI) - EM66 nr. Nashville, TN, USA
real email address is:
{my ham call} @ b e l l s o u t h . n e t (kill the spaces!)

1148. FS: Transistor Tester

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: yulius@shay.ecn.purdue.edu
Message-ID: <6vt86g$ijk@mozo.cc.purdue.edu>
Source record: 129329

Hello,

I have a B&K Precision 520B Transistor Tester forsale. It can test
NPN/PNP/FET in and out circuits. It can also determine whether the
transistor is NPN/PNP, determine B,E,C leads, identify if the transistor
is Silicon or Germanium, measure leakage current. The tester is in excellent
working condition and coming with complete manuals and test leads.

Picture of the Tester:

http://expert.cc.purdue.edu/~yulius/transistor.jpg

I am asking for $95.00(shipped). If interested, please send email to
yulius@ecn.purdue.edu

Best regards,

Aristo Yulius
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* Aristo Yulius | Purdue University *
* Internet: yulius@ecn.purdue.edu | West Lafayette, IN 47907, USA *
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1149. Re: FS: MICROWAVE RELAYS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: keng@techlock.com
Message-ID: <36222b18.9607489@news.erinet.com>
Source record: 129330

We need more information. Do you have a list of part numbers
and specifications?

On Mon, 12 Oct 1998 14:07:52 GMT, lothina1@my-dejanews.com wrote:

"PRICES FROM 30$ T0 75$ DEPENDING ON CONFIGURATION
"

Ken Gunton WB6QWF Microwave & RF Components
http://www.techlock.com Techlock Microwave Distributing
Phone 937-434-5078, Fax 937-434-5079

1150. Re: FS: Radiotron Designer's Handbook 4th edition

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: mai@iquest.net
Message-ID: <6vt6h9$130_001@news.iquest.net>
Source record: 129331

Gee, glad I got mine prior to its extinction - they were only $7 SUGGESTED
Many electronic distributors gave them away to customers as RCA promo's.
Its good reading and reference source.

Bests
Patrick

In article <6vt772$i7c@mozo.cc.purdue.edu>,
yulius@shay.ecn.purdue.edu (Aristo Yulius) wrote:
>Hello,
>
>I have a Radiotron Designer's Handbook 4th edition forsale. It is
>published in May 1968. As far as I know this is the last edition of RDH.
>They are 1498 pages total. The book is in good condition i.e. the
>binding is solid, no tearing pages, no missing pages. There are light
>wears along the lower edges and spine edges and no dust jacket.
>
>I am asking for $108(shipped). If interested, please send email to
>yulius@ecn.purdue.edu.
>
>Best regards,
>
>Aristo Yulius

1151. WTB SP-820 Kenwood Speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: ham1484174@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981012123130.21388.00000076@ng126.aol.com>
Source record: 129332

Looking for a speaker for Kenwood 820 contact at JSCHOF7579@aol.com

1152. Re: I have a ft-50r with a problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: davez <davez@ticon.net>
Message-ID: <6vtasgcun1@galileo.ticon.net>
Source record: 129333

I'm not sure if this is your cure to you problem (does not sound like it ??), but going to pass this along anyway. The little tact switch that Yaesu uses in the FT-50 for the PTT is great for "Failing". The angle that this switch is sitting at (and the way the rubber boot just hits it) causes this little switch to fail. When I had my FT-50 mine failed TWICE in less in a year (with Very Light use). May only turn flakey (might work good MOST of the time) when it first starts to act up, and have to keep pressing to harder and harder to make it "TX". Sooner or later you will have to replace it. Part is about 60 cents, shipping is about $ 5.00. Not very reliable there Yaesu.....davez

Steve Garvelink wrote in message ...
>Is there a way to reset the cpu or every setting on the yasue ft-50r
>
>my ptt does not work at all i was plugging in my speaker mic and it said
>
>error twice
>because it was off band (i was lessening to a radio program) and then
>the ptt on the radio and the spker mic dident work and suggesting
>
> also it does not say how to reset it in the radio manual
>
>73's kf4vwj Zachary Garvelink
>
>
>

1153. Help- need settings guide for tube tester

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: sppolak@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981012133518.06929.00000107@ng123.aol.com>
Source record: 129334

Monarch TT-200

1154. Re: ?? industrial tube identification ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Heath <jimheath@foothill.net>
Message-ID: <6vt6d5$f7e$1@ns2.foothill.net>
Source record: 129335
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hi Amy,

The 3B28 is a high voltage rectifier from the 1960's and 1970's. Due to solid state devices, they are not in new equipment. I happen to have purchased an old amplifier over the weekend that has two of them in it. I will replace the two tubes and associated parts with some little diodes from Radio Shack.

I can probably research the other numbers if you need information on them. Take care!

Jim Heath

1155. FS: IC-735 and AT-150 automatic antenna tuner - Mint

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Terry Brown <brownt@frl.orst.edu>
Message-ID: <36223FD2.C985BDC5@frl.orst.edu>
Source record: 129336
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I have a truly mint IC-735 transceiver and Icom AT-150 matching
automatic antenna tuner. These have been seldom used because I
kept them as backups to my base station. Someone else might
as well get some use from them. Here are the particulars:

IC-735 Transceiver with 500hz CW narrow filter and electronic keyer
AT-150 Matching Antenna Tuner
IC-735 Service Manual
All instruction manuals and original boxes

Price: $950 ppd. in CONUS.

This price truly reflects the value of this equipment. If you are not
happy in any way after using for a week, just send back to me in
same condition I sent it to you and I will refund your money.

References on request.

73's de Terry Brown, N7TB

1156. Gernsback's Radio For Beginners 1938

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Melissa9Z@Zconcentric.net
Message-ID: <6vtg3s$ifr@chronicle.concentric.net>
Source record: 129337
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I have this booklet from 1938 called Gernsback's Radio For Beginners.

http://www.concentric.net/~Melissa9/radiobeg.gif

It's a fascinating collector's kind of item. 32 pages, good condition.

It should probably be in a radio museum somewhere.

Does anyone know what it might be worth? I could use the money if I knew it was going to a museum instead of sitting around here.

And that's my opinion.
- Melissa Personal web pages:http://www.concentric.net/~Melissa9

Libertarians! - Please help boycott:

Sarah Lee / Playtex; for helping to destroy the Second Amendment by giving Sarah Brady a $50k award! Everyone DOESN'T like Sarah Lee!

Walmart; for being against full and equal civil rights for lesbigatrs and supporting causes of the extremist RELIGIOUS REICH!

Home Depot; for supporting the War On Some Drugs, drug testing all job applicants, invading their privacy with no probable cause, and hanging a big sign on their doors saying people using drugs should not apply! The Drug War is race war, class war, and civil war! It's none of the state's business!

To email me, remove the spam proofing capital letters on each side of the @ .

Support Equality Colorado : Equality For All! No Exceptions!

1157. Manual for FT757GX Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Roy & Marlene Richards <2ndbyte@kendaco.telebyte.com>
Message-ID: <01bdf5ff$62e851e0$96a135ce@shop>
Source record: 129338

I recently picked up a Yaesu Ft-757GX at a swap meet. The it was an estate sale and came with no manual. I would like to buy or borrow to copy a manual for this radio. e-mail at 2ndbyte@kendaco.telebyte.com or reply here.

Thanks

Roy Richards N7ARO

1158. Re: Anyone still love the hobby

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Patricia Gibbons <wa6ube@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <362247B4.2083@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 129339
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Michael Ruther wrote:
>
> Well I do knock" the 59/599 please send qsl to buro 73 ,,,QRzed"
> If all you want is a card fine, but sure seems cold to me
> AA7QA Mike
>

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I enjoy ham radio when it is actually getting to know other
hams on the air and being able to run into them more than
once..

I am very active on 80 and 40 meter pactor/gtor and find
this mode very condusive to a long-winded "let's share war
stories" type of operation. I am not into contesting, but if
you are, then that's your niche in ham radio. Personally,
exchanging signal strength reports and qsl information, only
to run off and do the same to the next station seems a waste
of spectrum resources...

Trish
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Comment: My key: <http://pgp5.ai.mit.edu/pks-commands.html>

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-----END PGP SIGNATURE-----

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Patricia E. Gibbons
Acting Chief Communications Technician
City of San Jose - ITD/communications
....
My Public Key is available at:
<http://pgp5.ai.mit.edu/pks-commands.html>
Key ID: 0xEDECB44F
This key is RSA, NOT Diffie-Hellman !!

1159. W.T.B 2meter module for TM742A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: cybrking <cybrking@azone.net>
Message-ID: <6vthdr$e3n$1@supernews.com>
Source record: 129340

I need a 2-meter module for my Kenwood 742A so if you have or know of one for sale please let me know A.S.A.P I am willing to buy it or trade for it (817)516-8768

1160. VX1-R for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike N2OX <globalcm@erols.com>
Message-ID: <6vti60$i5k$1@autumn.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 129341

From: Mike N2OX <globalcm@erols.com>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: Monday, October 12, 1998 12:47 PM
Subject: VX1-R for sale

Hi,
I have a mint condx Yaesu VX1-R sub-mini dual band HT for sale.
In box with all original parts and Manual.
Anyone interested can reply to this e-mail (globalcm@erols.com)
or you can call me @ 516-736-9126 and we can make arrangements.

73's de Mike Grant N2OX
Long Island, NY
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http://www.qsl.net/mid-islandarc
http://members.aol.com/kg2mmike/n2ox/webpage.html

1161. ADI AT-600?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike N2OX <globalcm@erols.com>
Message-ID: <6vtip3$l69$1@autumn.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 129342

Does anyone have any opinions on the AT-600?
Is it the Radio Shack HTX 204 in disguise?
What is the average going price?

Mike N2OX
Long Island, NY

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http://www.qsl.net/mid-islandarc
http://members.aol.com/kg2mmike/n2ox/webpage.html

1162. Re: Pros and Cons of VHF vs. family radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Lyons <boblyons@umich.edu>
Message-ID: <36224EED.F9A8D6AC@umich.edu>
Source record: 129343

Clarification on a few points from the previous poster:

bdiaz@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>
> In article <6vohae$7gh$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
> mckenzie7740@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> > I want to purchase a portable radio that can be used from car to car but dont
> > know which type is best. VHF, CB, or the new Motorolas ?
>
> CB:
>
> A 5 watt car radio, with a good antenna will offer more distance. I'm
> not 100% sure, so my GUESS is about 5 to 25 miles range, but this is all
> subject to conditions.

In my experience with AM CB (the cheapest, most common type), you can expect about 5 miles car-to-car, and then only under rather ideal conditions. Usually there are too many people on the channel to get more than a mile or so. Note also that the language and behavior of CB'ers is atrocious. My wife now refuses to use CB, and I don't like my kids to listen either.

> VHF (Ham Radio):
>
> This does require a license AND you can't use Ham Radio for business.

[snip comments about busy channels and repeaters]

The 2-meter ham band has plenty of unused frequency space allocated to simplex use. When on the highway, I rarely hear people on even the calling frequency (146.52), let alone the other simplex frequencies. Typical car-to-car distances should *easily* beat CB or FRS radios, especially when you put quarter-wave antennas on each car (cheap, easy to homebrew). Add amplifiers (illegal on FRS and CB) for extra reliability. I've talked home-to-car at 65 miles distance using only 5 watts on each end.

Of course, a repeater gives the greatest distance, if that's what you need. By looking up the repeaters before the trip, both drivers can agree on what repeaters they'll use during each leg of the trip. You'll be able to communicate 30-60 miles apart, with careful planning.

So, in my opinion, VHF ham radio (or UHF, if you've got the gear) is the best choice for car-to-car communications, whether you need distance, reliability or simply a quiet channel ... as long as all participants have the license.

Bob, KI8AB

1163. Re: Anyone still love the hobby

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Sampson <ssampson@access.usa-site.net>
Message-ID: <UGsU1.837$d91.4824082@news.goodnet.com>
Source record: 129344
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Not to mention, that most of these are robots.

Basically the whole disease is what General Patton referred
to as "paper hangers."

That is, people who's sole lease on life is to accumulate paper
to hang on the wall. The extreme being people who belong to
Mensa type organizations. If their IQ was so high, they must
realize how stupid the whole idea sounds. But that isn't the
case.

There's four things to hang on your wall: 1) Your High School
Diploma, 2) Your College Bachelors Degree, 3) Your College
Masters Degree, and 4) Your Doctorate.

Everything else is akin to mowing the lawn...

Steve

Patricia Gibbons wrote in message <362247B4.2083@ix.netcom.com>...
>Michael Ruther wrote:
>>
>> Well I do knock" the 59/599 please send qsl to buro 73 ,,,QRzed"
>> If all you want is a card fine, but sure seems cold to me
>> AA7QA Mike
>>
>
>-----BEGIN PGP SIGNED MESSAGE-----
>
>I enjoy ham radio when it is actually getting to know other
>hams on the air and being able to run into them more than
>once..
>
>I am very active on 80 and 40 meter pactor/gtor and find
>this mode very condusive to a long-winded "let's share war
>stories" type of operation. I am not into contesting, but if
>you are, then that's your niche in ham radio. Personally,
>exchanging signal strength reports and qsl information, only
>to run off and do the same to the next station seems a waste
>of spectrum resources...
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>Trish
>-----BEGIN PGP SIGNATURE-----
>Version: 4.5

>Comment: My key: <http://pgp5.ai.mit.edu/pks-commands.html>
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>v/MIZ/n95Sgpc0kKBdYdFsrXRZLPsoIHyJb6QXCYsxCxawlgQ8wmjXfHHZuRV8X3
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>
>Patricia E. Gibbons
>Acting Chief Communications Technician
>City of San Jose - ITD/communications
>.....................................
>My Public Key is available at:
><http://pgp5.ai.mit.edu/pks-commands.html>
>Key ID: 0xEDECB44F
>This key is RSA, NOT Diffie-Hellman !!

1164. Any MOTOROLA XTS 3000 Owners ou there ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: ligosa@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981012151626.27957.00000186@ng-fb2.aol.com>
Source record: 129345

Hello, I am an XTS3000 owner who would like to share comments, problems etc. with other owners. We are few so it would be great to exchange as much info as possible. Please email here and me privately you XTS experiences...

Thanks fello "Cosmo"Knights

Chris
ligosa@aol.com

1165. Re: High frequency speaker responce

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: cslc82@email.mot.com
Message-ID: <362255d0.20107943@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 129346

I run my receivers to an old low power stereo amplifier, which drives
some low-price (RS) bookshelf speakers. The extra audio output,
speaker audio response, and treble/bass controls of the audio amp make
for MUCH better audio than stock speakers that come with the
receivers. Also, the balance control makes mutlireceiver operation
more flexible as well. I'd had the old stereo amp sitting around for
years, and finally found a good use for it!

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On Sun, 11 Oct 1998 13:52:17 -0300, "Dennis Hennigan"
<dennis@top.monad.net> wrote:

>I recently purchased a IC746 with external Icom SP21 speaker.
>At least for my ears there is way too much bass responce. When Im listining
>to a SW station, I cant even understand what they are saying because of the
>lack of highs and too much low frequency resopnse. Is there an add on
>device (i.e. equalizer) which I can use to increase the high frequency
>response?
>73 Dennis WA1HOG
>
>

1166. Re: W.T.B 2meter module for TM742A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: framix@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981012153056.25763.00000240@ng67.aol.com>
Source record: 129347

I have a 70cm module if you are interested...

1167. Re: Anyone still love the hobby

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: ron@fc.hp.com
Message-ID: <6vtljf$1ek@fcnews.fc.hp.com>
Source record: 129348
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Steve Sampson (ssampson@access.usa-site.net) wrote:

: There's four things to hang on your wall: 1) Your High School
: Diploma, 2) Your College Bachelors Degree, 3) Your College
: Masters Degree, and 4) Your Doctorate.

Actually, you probably should hang your station license there so
you don't forget to renew it in time.

But then again, I don't know why you'd waste space with the above when
you could put other things that are more meaningful up instead.
(like photos of places you'd like to return to, awards from other
parts of your life, a poster or two......)

Ron
NW0U

1168. Re: Icom's Tri-Band HT.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: mjgilbert.NOSPAM@wcom.net
Message-ID: <36223a8d.15153990@news.compuserve.com>
Source record: 129349

I've had mine about 3 months now, nice rig. I got my SMA connectors from Surplus Sales of Nebraska (about $5 each).

I love the rig. Great receive (even out of band), transmit power and quality is very good as is the audio from such a small speaker. It seems to be fairly rugged but I try not to drop mine. Some have complained the battery fits loosely, I don't have that problem with mine. The only problems I have with it are I find it eats batteries and (just to make it eat more batteries) I would have preferred a backlit keypad.

On 11 Oct 1998 00:13:55 GMT, quinkman@aol.com (Quinkman) wrote:

>
>Anyone have any experience or opinions on Icom's tri band ht?

1169. Kenwood TS 790A All Mode Dualbander

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Grover Yarbrough <grover3@nortexinfo.net>
Message-ID: <3622577A.217CD0FB@nortexinfo.net>
Source record: 129350

Like new Kenwood TS790 for sale. Includes Voice Module
and Tone encode and CTCSS decode board. Hand Microphone,
power cord and I will provide Duplexer for use with one
dual band antenna. Has 2 meter and 70 CM modules.

100% Functional. Original documentation and Box.
Email direct with questions. $900.00 Firm

You pay shipping.

1170. Looking for UT-220s module

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: framix@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981012154759.26461.00000303@ng-fi1.aol.com>
Source record: 129351

Hello and thanks for reading.

I am looking for a clean and working FB UT-220S module for
the Kenwood TriBand 742 etc.

I would pay cash or trade for a 70cm UT-440S that I have extra.

KE6NDM

Thanks and 73

1171. 2Mtr Transvtr.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: tprovost@hoflink.com
Message-ID: <36226661.15162975@news.hoflink.com>
Source record: 129352

There was a post selling a demi 2mtr trnsvtr.
I blew it away in error. Is it still for sale? If so I am
interested.Please repost or E-mail me...

Thanks Tom,WA2YJF

1172. WTB: KENWOOD SW-100 WATTMETER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: k6eg@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981012165309.16381.00000232@ng20.aol.com>
Source record: 129353

LOOKING FOR KENWOOD SW-100 WATTMETER IN GOOD CONDITION AND AT A REASONABLE
PRISE Ed K6EG TNX

1173. WTB: KENWOOD SW-100 WATTMETER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: radioeg@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981012170131.16380.00000240@ng20.aol.com>
Source record: 129354

LOOKING FOR KENWOOD SW-100 WATTMETER IN GOOD CONDITION AND AT A REASONABLE PRICE Ed K6EG TNX

1174. Info on MFJ9406X

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: stu <stu@harborcom.net>
Message-ID: <362272B0.B0BBE5EE@harborcom.net>
Source record: 129355

Greetings,
I am looking for information on the MFJ 9406X six meter ssb rig. I
am thinking abut buying one. But would like to find out other person(s)
opinions on this radio. Thanks in advance. 73, Stuart KB8VIY

1175. Kenwood 440SAT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Newsgroups <w7prv@teleport.com>
Message-ID: <1yuU1.356$IU3.190070@news.teleport.com>
Source record: 129356

For sale Kenwood 440SAT w/ ant. tuner, all four filters, FM module, Voice module. Just aligned noted service shop. Hand mike Inc. $675, Prefer N.W. area sale. Reply E-mail w7prv@juno.com

1176. Knight T-60 - Cute !!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: RHJ <russja@stratos.net>
Message-ID: <6vtu28doe1@supernews.com>
Source record: 129357
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I have a Knight T-60 in working condition 40 watts out on CW on 80 meters with supplied 3773 xtal. MANUAL included. AM works . The large knobs are better than original - have nice aluminum skirt with etched black pointer. I would give it a 7.5 -8 out of ten. $40.00 plus shipping

1177. Melissa the Lesbian Ham (was: Re: Gernsback's Radio For Beginners 1938)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981012173727.04333.00003667@ngol01.aol.com>
Source record: 129358

Looks like Melissa the Lesbian Ham has returned. Complete with a signature larger than her actual post and supporting every left-wing wacko fringe cause in America.

"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

1178. rec.radio.swap

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: rhka0fbj@netins.net
Message-ID: <6vttod$k19$1@ins8.netins.net>
Source record: 129359
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

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Net-Tamer V 1.10 - Test Drive
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1179. wtb ten tec 234 speech processor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: rhka0fbj@netins.net
Message-ID: <6vtvdgqrg1@ins8.netins.net>
Source record: 129360
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

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Net-Tamer V 1.10 - Test Drive
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1180. Re: Replacement antenna for VX-1R?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: lewisgregory@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <362380e4.2475690@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 129361

On Mon, 12 Oct 1998 12:45:07 GMT, ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman) wrote:

>On Sun, 11 Oct 1998 21:24:43 GMT, lewisgregory@earthlink.net (Lewis Gregory) wrote:
>> I bought a Yaesu VX-1 from HRO in Atlanta this weekend, and while I like the
>>radio OK so far, the stock antenna has just *got* to go. (But, hey, it's a
>>factory dummy load from Yaesu--what else should I expect? My FT-530 was useless
>>until Yaesu replaced the hard rubber antenna that came with it with a surplus
>>FT-470 whip, which works great. Go figure.) Does anybody have any suggestions
>>for a decent antenna to complement my VX-1?
>
>The Comet SMA-3 is about the best replacement antenna, but
>the stock antennna actually works pretty well in the ham bands,
>particularly 70 cm. Outside the hambands, it doesn't work well
>at all, but that doesn't matter unless you bought the radio for
>use primarily as an outband scanner.

First, thanks to all who sent me advice--I'm leaning toward the SMA-3.

I bought the VX-1 as a backup HT and pseudo-scanner. My primary HT is a
Yaesu FT-530 with extended-length Periphex battery packs and a Diamond RH77CA
15" ducky--not the most portable portable in the world, if you get my drift. :)
The VX-1 will probably be the radio I take out walking, or take on trips where I
don't think I'll be doing any operating but would like to scan and have an HT
handy just in case--with a decent antenna I can even take it to work and keep up
with NOAA/Skywarn stuff on the rare occasions we get real bad weather here in
SC. Out-of-band receive was a big factor in purchasing it. The antenna
replacement is a necessity for me--beats me why, but the radio/stock antenna
combo is virtually dead up around 162 MHz, and I listen to NOAA a fair amount.

I have to say that I'm not happy with some of the design decisions Yaesu made
with it (why the heck would they set it up so you can't use the dial to spin
through the memories?) but overall I like it. I can't see using it as a primary
day-to-day HT, but it seems like a great light-duty go-everywhere thing.

Check six,
Lewis "Moose" Gregory +--
lewisgregory@earthlink.net | ICQ UIN 745844 Amateur Radio: KS4RY
Columbia, South Carolina +--
Confederate States of America | WarBirds: "moose-"
-----------------------------------+--
Proud Member of the Flying Pigs Squadron - http://www.flyingpigs.com
OINK! OINK! TO WAR!!

"Dammit, Beavis, quit screwing around. We've got an experiment to do."

1181. HELP:Looking for GE Net on 20 Mtrs!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ernie Stedman <n2ojq@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6vu1c0$h25@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 129362

Does anyone know the freq/time(s) for the GE Net thats an 20 meters in the
AM?
Need to pass some traffic-
Thanks
Ernie
N2OJQ

1182. Re: Melissa the Lesbian Ham (was: Re: Gernsback's Radio For Beginners 1938)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa8ulx@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981012191240.06053.00003827@ngol03.aol.com>
Source record: 129363

In article <19981012173727.04333.00003667@ngol01.aol.com>, cbrambo@aol.com (CBRambo) writes:

>Looks like Melissa the Lesbian Ham has returned. Complete with a signature
>larger than her actual post and supporting every left-wing wacko fringe cause
>in America.
>
>"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
> "I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

At least she is out in the Open, maybe you ought to do the same CBer.

1183. Digital receivers, scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dean, Greg" <N9NWO@GTE.net>
Message-ID: <6vu3m6$cc4$1@news-2.news.gte.net>
Source record: 129364
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner

Does anyone know what the format of digital radios is?
(TDMA, CDMA)

And did Congress ban the ownership of civilian ownership
of digital receivers?

1184. Re: Melissa the Lesbian Ham (was: Re: Gernsback's Radio For Beginners 1938)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan K Nelson <kf6knb@usa.net>
Message-ID: <6vu3njlhg1@news-1.news.gte.net>
Source record: 129365

WA8ULX wrote in message <19981012191240.06053.00003827@ngol03.aol.com>...
>
>In article <19981012173727.04333.00003667@ngol01.aol.com>, cbrambo@aol.com
>(CBRambo) writes:
>
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cause
>>in America.
>>
>>"Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
>> "I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"
>
> At least she is out in the Open, maybe you ought to do the same CBer.

There's no need to call him such a foul name...

73 de KF6KNB

1185. manual for yaesu ft301d

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Walter Chandler <wchandlr@scsn.net>
Message-ID: <6vu39cknj1@supernews.com>
Source record: 129366

need manual for Yaesu FT-301 D

if you have one you will part with are copy please e-mail with price etc.
walt chandler at wchandlr@scsn.net
thanks

1186. Tektronix 570 Tube characteristic-curve tracer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: rmart <rmart@satlink.com>
Message-ID: <01bdf635$5f98f040$62d409c8@default>
Source record: 129367

Hi:

Looking for one in good operating condition.

Please e-mail me at rmart@satlink.com or post to the group.

Regards.

1187. Re: FS: FT-1000 Tuning Upgrader

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: jsutton@erols.com
Message-ID: <3622944b.1361929@news.erols.com>
Source record: 129368
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Sat, 10 Oct 1998 07:42:30 -0700, "Dave Pedersen"
<n7bhc@gateway.net> wrote:

Dave what is a tuning upgrader? I have a FT-1000/D but have never
heard of this device.

72/Jim/AC4CZ

>For Sale: Tuning upgrader for FT-1000/D by International Radio. New, never
>installed. $20
>
>Dave N7BHC
>n7bhc@gateway.net
>
>
>

1188. Re: EAS Receiver/decoder?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: sparksw4eas@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <6vuct5$o4b$1@samsara0.mindspring.com>
Source record: 129369

The EAS system/decoder works on the "audio" output of a receiver...
Therefore it don't care what typw of radio receiver is used. Sparks "W4EAS"
:)

Thomas & Karen Mitchell wrote in message <36219DBF.647@olympus.net>...
>Does anyone know where we could obtain a receiver/decoder for the
>Emergency Alert System? (Formerly Emergency Broadcast System).
>
>MTS Communications has one, but only for FM radio; we need AM
>(no FM stations in town).
>
>Thanks.
>
>Tom Mitchell, KG7U
>Karen Mitchell, KB7CEN

1189. Re: local disable of 800 MHz cellphones?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <jeepguynospam@geocities.com>
Message-ID: <6vugh5$t0m$1@shiva.direcpc.com>
Source record: 129370

Not that it would be legal... but from a strictly theoretical approach you have to bands to concentrate on. The first will be a A and B license carrier in your area. This is traditional "cellular". The second set is PCS licensees. They have higher frequencies that would be covered by a second transmitter.

The good news is that you only need two illegal transmitters to accomplish what you want. The bad news is that customers would probably complain to their cell providers and they would send a engineer or engineering team into the area to investigate the coverage loss. When they discovered your transmitter, they would probably ask not so nicely for you to turn it off. As you would be infringing on their license, which I might add they pay handsomely for. They would probably also turn you into the FCC. The FCC has a habit of handing out fines starting at $2500.

A more simplistic approach might be to offer a courtesy phone check and to go get the person if it rings. But then again, you would probably lose customers.

So I guess the only solution is to request that customers keep the ringers low.

Oh, I forgot, one other thing you can do... if your walls contain enough concrete and steel, the signal will be blocked naturally, at no additional cost, and best of all, completely legally. I think the mark is about 2" of steel and 4' of concrete. About the density and size of a freeway tunnel.

Good luck.
Brian
Joe Leikhim wrote in message <36217a5f.15946548@news2.nettally.com>...
>The intent was for these devices to be used in theaters, hi class
>restraunts and other similar venues. I can't see why it would be
>immoral (I didn't say ilegal) for the operator of such an
>establishment to resort to that means to prevent the mis-use of
>annoying cellphones in his business.
>
>robpetersonSPAMME@iname.com wrote:
>
>>I read that in Japan a device is available which disables the
>>functioning of cell phones over a very limited area, say a 50' radius.
>>(Mainly this stops those annoying rings and conversations in a quiet
>>area). I gather the device is a small noise source which overloads
>>any reciever within its limited range.
>>
>>Has anyone heard of any source of these devices (or any information on
>>them) in the States?

>>
>>Thanks, rob
>
>Joe Leikhim K4SAT (EX KE4TZH)
>Jleikhim@nettally.com
>
>"tv dinner by the pool,
>i'm so glad i finished school" -F.Zappa 1967
>
>"The Revolution will NOT be televised" -Gil Scott Heron
>

1190. FS: YAESU 990

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Schuckert <mikes@newulmtel.net>
Message-ID: <3622C91F.562E@newulmtel.net>
Source record: 129371

radio is in nice shape. It is a ac unit. $1250.00

1191. Heathkit group on yahoo

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: ia <v42bis@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <6vuk6i$242$1@supernews.com>
Source record: 129372

I just put together a 'club' on yahoo devoted to heathkits, come visit at

http://clubs.yahoo.com/clubs/heathkits

steve

1192. Re: FS: Alinco Credit Card 2-meter with weather and aircraft bands - NEW

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: jim nielson <jimn@cpNoSPAMinternet.com>
Message-ID: <36225BEB.7B5A@cpNoSPAMinternet.com>
Source record: 129373

I just bought mine from TechAmerica with the speaker mike for 79.95!

73,
Jim

J.R. Hehnly wrote:
>
> I have 10 of these with the extra clip on speaker/mic selling on ebay
> starting at $79.99.
> They are brand new in box.
> The link is:
> http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=33734420

1193. Re: Replacement antenna for VX-1R?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: jim nielson <jimn@cpNoSPAMinternet.com>
Message-ID: <36225ECE.77DD@cpNoSPAMinternet.com>
Source record: 129374

I've had excellent results with a Premier RD-98SMA replacement for my VX-1R. It is a very flexible thin 17" whip. With the radio on my belt, the antenna runs up my side or under my jacket, and I use an earphone/mic, it is an almost invisible setup. The longer whip doesn't seem to detune against my body like the stock one did.

73,
Jim KB9RQD

Lewis Gregory wrote:
>
> I bought a Yaesu VX-1 from HRO in Atlanta this weekend, and while I like the
> radio OK so far, the stock antenna has just *got* to go. (But, hey, it's a
> factory dummy load from Yaesu--what else should I expect? My FT-530 was useless
> until Yaesu replaced the hard rubber antenna that came with it with a surplus
> FT-470 whip, which works great. Go figure.) Does anybody have any suggestions
> for a decent antenna to complement my VX-1?
>
> Check six,
> Lewis "Moose" Gregory +--
> lewisgregory@earthlink.net | ICQ UIN 745844 Amateur Radio: KS4RY
> Columbia, South Carolina +--
> Confederate States of America | WarBirds: "moose-"
> ------------------------------------+--
> Proud Member of the Flying Pigs Squadron - http://www.flyingpigs.com
> OINK! OINK! TO WAR!!
> --
> "Dammit, Beavis, quit screwing around. We've got an experiment to do."

1194. FS: TS-440SAT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: jherhold <jherhold@mci2000.com>
Message-ID: <5ZAU1.539$Ni2.98039@news.cwix.com>
Source record: 129375

I have a Kenwood TS-440SAT for sale, in excellent condition, as follows:

TS-440SAT with
Built-in antenna Tuner
MC43S Hand Microphone
YK-88C 500 Hz CW Filter
YK-88S 2.4 KHz SSB Filter
Mobile Mounting Bracket
Power Cable
Instruction Manual
International Radio User's Supplement
Service Manual

Asking $675, shipped to your US location from Las Vegas, NV.
e-mail to jherhold@mci2000.com
or call 702 658-7057

1195. Elements for Bird wattmeter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: rcote <rcote@pixi.com>
Message-ID: <3622FE65.7A594D88@pixi.com>
Source record: 129376

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-
Bird and other brand elements for Bird 43 Wattmeter.
Sold most of my elements, here is what is left.

Elements are as folllows:

1 5 watts 50-125 mhz 5B Bird brand
2 50 watts 50-125 mhz 503C-50 Struthers Brand

Bird element is $30
Struthers brand $20

I will cover shipping to US addresses
Send e-mail and quanties to hold your items wanted.
Payment by check or Money order.
================================================================
MEN and Women--differences
Mistakes: Any married man should forget his mistakes - it's no
use for two people remembering the same thing.

The Battle: A woman always has the last word in any argument.
Anything a man says after that is the beginning of
a new argument.
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Raymond Cote
1405 Dominis ST #105
Honolulu, HI 96822-3213
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1196. How do you like FT-50RD?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brana From YU <kbrana@eunet.yu>
Message-ID: <6vrc06qcl1@SOLAIR2.EUnet.yu>
Source record: 129382

I'd like to buy a Yaesu FT-50RD. So tell me something about it.
Post to kbrana@Eunet.yu . Thanks.

1197. Yaesu FT767 GX - Help please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Terry Gaff <shbcommm@indigo.ie>
Message-ID: <36214524.FE43B9E7@indigo.ie>
Source record: 129383

Hi all,

Could somebody kindly shed some light on a problem with my Yaesu FT767GX rig. The problem is there is no audio from the speaker, audio out, headphone or external speaker sockets. The unit transmits normally (checked with another rig) and the signal meter deviates normally when I tune a signal that I know is present. So it seems to be purely an 'audio' problem. I have replaced the 'audio chip' which is an MB3713 (SIP package) but the problem remains. If somebody could give me any ideas on what else to check I would very much appreciate it.

Many thanks and regards to all.

Terry Gaff Dublin, Ireland.

1198. Re: Replacement antenna for VX-1R?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joseph A Vilardo <jvilardo@voicenet.com>
Message-ID: <362194DF.6DDA1688@voicenet.com>
Source record: 129384

Lewis

Try the SMA3 by comet. It is about 12" overall and covers 3 bands. It fits directly on the SMA fitting on the VX-1, seems to work good.

Joe

Lewis Gregory wrote:

> I bought a Yaesu VX-1 from HRO in Atlanta this weekend, and while I like the
> radio OK so far, the stock antenna has just *got* to go. (But, hey, it's a
> factory dummy load from Yaesu--what else should I expect? My FT-530 was useless
> until Yaesu replaced the hard rubber antenna that came with it with a surplus
> FT-470 whip, which works great. Go figure.) Does anybody have any suggestions
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> OINK! OINK! TO WAR!!
> --
> "Dammit, Beavis, quit screwing around. We've got an experiment to do."

1199. Trade: Drake TR-4 for NC-303

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: k9two@sprintmail.com
Message-ID: <6vrl4edkg1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129385

Will trade my very good condition Drake TR-4 with matching
power supply and speaker for your very good original unmodified
National NC-303. TR-4 front panel is excellent unscratched
condition and works perfect.

73 Don Ferrill K9TWO

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http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1200. Re: Pros and Cons of VHF vs. family radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Richard A. Ferguson" <raferguson@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3620FB97.1B45@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 129386

mckenzie7740@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>
> I want to purchase a portable radio that can be used from car to car but dont
> know which type is best. VHF, CB, or the new Motorolas ?
>
I like the new family band radios, which I use for family
ski trips, etc. I just bought another one. However,
since you cannot connect an external antenna, the range
car to car will not be that great. CB works fairly
well car to car most of the time, if you use a sizable
antenna (3 feet or more tall). However, at this phase
of the sunspot cycle, there will be a lot of skip coming
in from other parts of the US and the world, at certain
times of day, etc. The best choice would be a licenced
VHF or UHF radio, using an external antenna when in a car.

Richard, KA0DXM

1201. Want: Kenwood mobile mic for VHF/UHF radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Burch <occupant@syix.com>
Message-ID: <01bdf584$42d845c0$484aabcd@default>
Source record: 129387
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

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Want Kenwood mobile mic for '241A, '441A, etc
Kenwood model number T91-0380-X5 or MC-44.
This is an ":upside down tear-drop" shaped mic
with TT encoder, and four additional buttons
across the top front "Call" "MR" "VFO" and "PF"

Please let me know what you have, and what
you want for it.

Thanks de John
occupant@syix.com
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1202. Re: How to power a mobile radio for a base station??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: W9FL <tbrock@execpc.com>
Message-ID: <6vropg$p3d@newsops.execpc.com>
Source record: 129388
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

jeannie@NOSPAM.lansol.com wrote:
>Hi,
>
>Just bought myself a mobile Yaesu FT-5100 from the last swap meet to
>use a base station (per recommendations from this NG). How in the
>world do I get power to the radio?? It comes all the accessories and
>cables for the car. No AC adapter or anything of sorts.
>
>The manual mentions an optional FP-700 power supply/speaker for base
>station operation. I called the local Ham shop and they want $200.00
>for it. Ouch!! I can't afford that. The manual also says that it
>requires 13.6VDC and at least 12A. The DC transformers they sell at
>Radio Shack only rated at 0.5A.
>
>Please help... 73, Jeannie
>
>** remove NOSPAM if reply by e-mail **

Call one of the Amateur Radio dealers.
You should be able to get a power supply for around $70.00, or so.

1203. FS: MFJ 20 meter travel radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim <mallon@burgoyne.com>
Message-ID: <6vrr7c$99g$1@news.burgoyne.com>
Source record: 129389
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

.For Sale:

MFJ 20 meter SSB travel radio. This rig is 12 watts SSB and with a
module will work CW. The rig is about 1 year old. The radio come with a mike
and a home-brew power supply. 150 + shipping.

Jim WC7X

jim435@yahoo.com

1204. Kenwood TH 28A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: gledrew@thezone.net
Message-ID: <6vrpnk$kb9$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129390

Hello Out There.....
Looking for solution to poor key-pad operation on the Kenwood TH 28 A
in cool tempatures......(below 50 Deg. F.) Winter is comming.....

Tnx De VO1ET Jerry cul

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1205. HTX-204 need parts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: kscott323@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6vrs76$n1s$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129391

need a keypad for a HTX-204 duel band handy talkie my local radio shack says its no longer avalable. where else may I find one Thanks

-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
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1206. Re: Message from Murray::::NERO FIDDLED WHILE ROME BURNED !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5egg@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6vrtgp$kap@dfw-ixnews4.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 129392
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Murray posting to the newsgroup is enough I don't want or need a copy sent to my mail box. My original suggestion was intended to be constructive your posts are hard to read on many browsers. Since you and Steve have gone off on me so hard about the business aspect I guess you feel a bit exposed.

Let me make it real clear for you and others:

1. I don't give a rat's buttocks if you are or are not running a business.

2. I do not care to have email from you on this or any other subject.

3. I have an opinion of you based on several hamfests I have seen you at but that opinion was never an issue. The issue was hard to read posts nothing more or less.

To those who feel you the need to defend Murray I never attacked him just suggested that he and Steve posted in a manner that was hard to read.

In <36215CED.4392C080@iglobal.net> "J. Murray Neece"
<kc5mdm@iglobal.net> writes:
>
>> :
>
>I understand that some of you might have missed this....here it is
>again...hopefull in a plain enuff format for all.M
>
>> Message from Murray:::: "NERO FIDDLED WHILE ROME BURNED "
>>
>>
>>
>> Well now, more comment from more people showing thier amazing
>> intelligence and lack of any real understanding, or much to
>> do (about nothing)...actually it appears that many have not
>> much to do... But heres a statement of policy from Me: Murray
>> Neece, in the convenience store business in Odessa, Tx....My
>> hobby is buying and selling and trading and swapping ham
>> radio, antiques, musical instruments, and even ocasionnally
>> some restaurant equipment....HOBBY I said.... (I have some
>> nice DRINK coolers right now but wrong group unless you want
>> to keep your cash and radios cold) Its a hobby, if you dont
>> like my posts, pass em by.....If you shake my tree...expect
>> the more rotten peaches to fall....maybe on your head...if you

>> want a war of words, go to www.biteme.com and fight with
>> him...I LOVE THIS RADIO STUFF...Join me tonite on the Sun Nite
>> Continental traders net 3.922 at 8pm central....My deal are
>> honest, I back my sales, I return money to those unhappy, and
>> I rarely whine about the crap you "once in a while ers" send
>> me as "Great clean radios" Phewwwww.....I shouldnt send this
>> cause I know it will draw comment, which I really dont want
>> and dont intend to respond to anymore...Back to FUN..... 17
>> mtr CW is open, why not catch me there and voice your opinions
>> , if youve got all nite, hi hi...73 Murray K5MDM PS:
>> Remember, if I offend you, so do you..........offend me! OH
>> YEAH, and to you PRICE POLICE, I have no problem with those
>> who sell for less, they know what thier stuff is worth........
>
> DO YOU GET IT GERALD?
>

1207. FS Bencher Low Pass Filter NEW

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: ku7s@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981011234842.06470.00009936@ng07.aol.com>
Source record: 129393

Selling Bencher YA-1 Low Pass FIlter. This unit is rated at 1.5 kw and >80db of attenuation. Very well built. I have a new one with box. $40 shipped.

Thanks,

Lynn Ritchie KU7S
Salt Lake City, Utah

KU7S@aol.com

1208. Re: local disable of 800 MHz cellphones?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: jleikhim@nettally.com
Message-ID: <36217a5f.15946548@news2.nettally.com>
Source record: 129394

The intent was for these devices to be used in theaters, hi class
restraunts and other similar venues. I can't see why it would be
immoral (I didn't say ilegal) for the operator of such an
establishment to resort to that means to prevent the mis-use of
annoying cellphones in his business.

robpetersonSPAMME@iname.com wrote:

>I read that in Japan a device is available which disables the
>functioning of cell phones over a very limited area, say a 50' radius.
>(Mainly this stops those annoying rings and conversations in a quiet
>area). I gather the device is a small noise source which overloads
>any reciever within its limited range.
>
>Has anyone heard of any source of these devices (or any information on
>them) in the States?
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>Thanks, rob

Joe Leikhim K4SAT (EX KE4TZH)
Jleikhim@nettally.com

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i'm so glad i finished school" -F.Zappa 1967

"The Revolution will NOT be televised" -Gil Scott Heron

1209. Re: Yaesu FT767 GX - Help please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: no8rf@juno.com
Message-ID: <36238678.2223499@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 129395

Heck I sent my to Yaesu for the rear speaker jack being bad along with
some other probems and don't even think they fixed the audio out jac
as I still have to wiggle the thing to get audio thru the SP767 make
it kinda worthless in a way.

On Mon, 12 Oct 1998 00:54:12 +0100, Terry Gaff <shbcommm@indigo.ie>
wrote:

>Hi all,
>
>Could somebody kindly shed some light on a problem with my Yaesu FT767GX
>rig. The problem is there is no audio from the speaker, audio out,
>headphone or external speaker sockets. The unit transmits normally
>(checked with another rig) and the signal meter deviates normally when I
>tune a signal that I know is present. So it seems to be purely an
>'audio' problem. I have replaced the 'audio chip' which is an MB3713
>(SIP package) but the problem remains. If somebody could give me any
>ideas on what else to check I would very much appreciate it.
>
>Many thanks and regards to all.
>
>Terry Gaff Dublin, Ireland.

1210. Re: WTB YEASU FL-7000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: feinstei@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <362183bb.11654205@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 129396

On Sun, 11 Oct 1998 22:05:24 -0400, "Ralph M. Ferrara"
<rmf218@email.msn.com> wrote:

>I am looking for a Yeasu FL-7000 linear amp to use with my FT757GXll.
>Hopefully there is one out there that is in relatively mint condition with
>the manual. Thanks Ralph rmf218@msn.com (WA2NTK)
>
>

Just a word of advice. If you don't have experience with one of
these, I wouldn't buy it. A worse linear amp, you'll never find.
These were real pigs.

Fred
KB7UUC

1211. Re: Pros and Cons of VHF vs. family radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: no8rf@juno.com
Message-ID: <36248720.2391021@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 129397

FSR are in fact UHF radios but if you want more power you have to pay
for it and that comes by way of Amateur radio which involves everyone
you wanting to talk to having a lic or get on the commerical bands,
pay $100 and your set, if you want to stick to FRS I have two Cherokee
FRS radios new in soft case with box sell for $120 each and I'll sell
the pair for $175 plus shipping.

On 12 Oct 1998 00:38:21 GMT, "Richard A. Ferguson"
<raferguson@worldnet.att.net> wrote:

>mckenzie7740@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>>
>> I want to purchase a portable radio that can be used from car to car but dont
>> know which type is best. VHF, CB, or the new Motorolas ?
>>
>I like the new family band radios, which I use for family
>ski trips, etc. I just bought another one. However,
>since you cannot connect an external antenna, the range
>car to car will not be that great. CB works fairly
>well car to car most of the time, if you use a sizable
>antenna (3 feet or more tall). However, at this phase
>of the sunspot cycle, there will be a lot of skip coming
>in from other parts of the US and the world, at certain
>times of day, etc. The best choice would be a licenced
>VHF or UHF radio, using an external antenna when in a car.
>
>Richard, KA0DXM

1212. HP HP141 Spectrum analyse tracking generator

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: keithmcr@central.co.nz
Message-ID: <6vs3f6$g97$2@news.iconz.co.nz>
Source record: 129398

Has anyone had any experience with adding a tracking generator to a HP spectrum analyser model Hp141-18Ghz.
Any knowledge of designs or published articles would be a help.
Thankyou.
K.McRoberts

Nelson, New Zealand Zl2TKM

1213. Re: HTX-204 need parts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Juchtien Improsieve <istol@quillione.net>
Message-ID: <6vs4r2$6lp$1@news3.mr.net>
Source record: 129399

Screw the local RS shop, most of them are lucky to find their way to work in the morning. Try calling the parts dept at: 1-800-442-2425 and I've had good luck also with the repair facility in MN at : 1-612-784-7810. If the girl here acts dumb , ask to talk to Dave K., he's a pretty sharp tech. It's a recent enough unit that they should have parts. Heck, they even had some parts for an old DX-160.

kscott323@my-dejanews.com wrote in message
<6vrs76$n1s$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>need a keypad for a HTX-204 duel band handy talkie my local radio shack says
>its no longer avalable. where else may I find one Thanks
>
>-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1214. Re: i have a yaseu ft-50r with a problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hectom Flexmorr <uppitl@sousmin.net>
Message-ID: <6vs5ouctd1@news3.mr.net>
Source record: 129400

It tells in the manual how to reset the cpu. The same manual that says
YAESU on the front cover.

You might be a redneck if: You refer to the 4th grade as your senior year.

Steve Garvelink wrote in message ...
>Is there a way to reset the cpu or every setting on the yasue ft-50r
>
>my ptt does not work at all i was plugging in my speaker mic and it said
>error twice
>because it was off band (i was lessening to a radio program) and then
>the ptt on the radio and the spker mic dident work and suggesting
>
>73's kf4vwj Zachary Garvelink
>
>
>

1215. Re: WTB YEASU FL-7000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Filmoire Eppelmier <friclit@pwone.net>
Message-ID: <6vs8ob$lf2$1@news3.mr.net>
Source record: 129401

You obviously haven't had the 757 long enough to notice on the unit or in the manual how to spell Yaesu so I don't advise buying a 7000, it does require looking at the manual or at least at the unit for operation.

Ralph M. Ferrara wrote in message ...
>I am looking for a Yeasu FL-7000 linear amp to use with my FT757GXll.
>Hopefully there is one out there that is in relatively mint condition with
>the manual. Thanks Ralph rmf218@msn.com (WA2NTK)
>
>

1216. Re: SB-220 Help?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: gelleric@goethe.informatik.uni-stuttgart.de
Message-ID: <6vsdan$a25$1@inf2.informatik.uni-stuttgart.de>
Source record: 129402

Try checking the band switch. They sometimes burn up. Good luck!

73, Wolfgang DJ3TZ

1217. Re: HP HP141 Spectrum analyse tracking generator

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Miles <jmiles@pop.removethistomailme.net>
Message-ID: <3621B877.75B1@pop.removethistomailme.net>
Source record: 129403

Keith McRoberts wrote:
>
> Has anyone had any experience with adding a tracking generator to a HP
> spectrum analyser model Hp141-18Ghz.
> Any knowledge of designs or published articles would be a help.
> Thankyou.
> K.McRoberts
>
> Nelson, New Zealand Zl2TKM

Are you talking about the 8555A analyzer plugin? I don't think they
ever made a tracking generator specifically for the higher frequency
range of that one. The 8444A generator works with either the 8554B or
8555A up to about 1.25 GHz, but above that you'd have to roll your own.

-- jm KE5FX

Note: My E-mail address has been altered to avoid spam

1218. Power supply help. PBX swichboard 50vdc convert??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Crew <dc@citynet.net>
Message-ID: <6vs9ef$u5c$1@news.citynet.net>
Source record: 129404
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap

Well, nobody wanted the PBX telephone network thing.. so I dismantled it!
Now I have a million cards with ic's, cpu's, led's and dandy little
switches! the big thing is a nice self-contained power supply which I tested
at 52volts DC! I'm hoping it is an amp monster, too...
It is an Executone Enterprise PBX, removed power supply is about waist high,
all heatsink inside, 60lbs, 3blade fuses everywhere... and caps the size of
a pepsi can. has 'alarm' led for what I assume to be a fault protect,
117vac with sticker on back saying series 2 and ps-a?? vom says 52vdc at the
terminals.
Question: anybody know about this thing and how to turn it
down/convert/resist/whatever to 13.8? how to test amperage output without
blowing something up? Hams dream supply or welder? help!!
thanks!
Randy

1219. Re: HTX-204 need parts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: roncook@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <3621e0fb.312487266@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 129405

Try calling RadioShack Unlimited through the RS support line:
1-800-THE-SHACk (1-800-843-7425) or 1-800-433-2024.

If you can locate the RadioShack repair facility nearest to you try
calling them, as well.

The RS stores with a long-time staff are usually more able (and
willing) to poke through the layers of RSU and National Parts to
determine if the parts really are available.

Tandy used to (and still does, as far as I can tell) have a policy of
keeping repair parts available for seven years from the date the
product was discontinued.

I've been able to get parts, and repairs, for RS items that are over
fourteen years old.

Hope this helps.

On Mon, 12 Oct 1998 03:14:47 GMT, kscott323@my-dejanews.com wrote:

>need a keypad for a HTX-204 duel band handy talkie my local radio shack says
>its no longer avalable. where else may I find one Thanks
>
>-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

Ron N1ZHI
roncook@att.net
cook@amsa.com <-- preferred
cooky@delphi.com

1220. Motorola MX340/350 Crystal Elements

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: TechText <techtext@worldonline.nl>
Message-ID: <6vsnu9$4ff$1@news.worldonline.nl>
Source record: 129406
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,uk.radio.amateur

Hi all,

I am looking for plug-in crystal elements (CEs I think they're called) for Motorola MX340 and MX350 UHF radios. These elements were pulled from the radios I have.

Anyone able to help?

Jan Buiting
PE1CSI
techtext@worldonline.nl

1221. FS: HP204C AUDIO OSCILLATOR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: lothina1@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6vt2ng$4b4$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129407

45$ PLUS SHIPPING

EMAIL: LOTHINA@HOTMAIL.COM

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1222. FS: MICROWAVE RELAYS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: lothina1@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6vt2fm$404$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129408

PRICES FROM 30$ T0 75$ DEPENDING ON CONFIGURATION

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
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1223. Re: Wanted Info on small HTs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: clintbrad4d@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <6vt59q$89n$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129409

In article <361FB22F.3511@1st.net>,
do@1st.net wrote:

> looking at the Icom ic-q7a, Alinco c5, and Yaesu vx1.

I am enjoying the heck out of my Yaesu VX-1R, Duane. I already had the ADMS-1 Programming Software for my Yaesu FT-50RD...although I have manually programmed frequencies on the unit.

Two minor problems: the stock antenna isn't as good as a performer as I would like, but that's easily remedied with one of several SMA-mount units available from other manufacturers.

The second item that needs improvement is the belt clip. The stock clip just isn't as strong as I would like it. BUT - Bob Dashoff has taken care of that for us. He offers a modified Motorola pager belt clip that fits our VX-1Rs perfectly! See it at

http://www.icongrp.com/~sllewd/beltclp.htm

...and browse that site for its information on the VX-1R.

Just remember - 1/2-Watt with supplied Lithium Ion battery. I happen to live in a very repeater-rich region of Southern California...and can hit a lot of repeaters. I also am close toOntario Int's Airport - which provides some interesting monitoring. 2 Meter and 440 performance for me has been fine - with an antenna change fromth stock one.

- Clint Bradford, KE6LCS

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1224. Re: Pros and Cons of VHF vs. family radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: clintbrad4d@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <6vt5la$8g7$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129410

In article <6vohae$7gh$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
mckenzie7740@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> I want to purchase a portable radio that can be used from car to car but dont
> know which type is best. VHF, CB, or the new Motorolas ?

Well, VHF requires a license...CB is unreliable...the FRS units are 1/2 watt UHF units that would be ideal for car-to-car communications. I just personally do not like the design of the Motorola units (like, look at where the push-to-talk button is - right in the middle of the front of the HT).

I personally prefer either the Kenwood FRS HT or the Vertex VFX-1/10. The VFX-1 is discontinued, and available for $85.00 each at HRO. It has the full legal output, and is as good a performer as anything else on the market. The new VFX-10 adds Weather channel reception - and a solid belt clip. If you want solid performance - and ease of use (NO learning curve!) - the Vertex FRS HTs cannot be beat.

The Kenwood FRS HT will remind you of any good Amateur HT - all the bells and whistles and voice inversion and CTCSS and more...all for about $100. each. Kenwood performed a lot of field testing back when this FCC docket was being created, and it shows. Although now the full legal output power (300mW), you'd never know it under real-world circumstances.

- Clint Bradford

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1225. FS: HP8445B PRESELECTOR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: lothina1@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6vt2l5$42i$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129411

GOOD CONDITION 125$

EMAIL: LOTHINA@HOTMAIL.COM

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1226. FS: EICO TUBE TESTER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: lothina1@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6vt2df$3vi$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129412

PRICE: 70$ OBO

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1227. Re: Replacement antenna for VX-1R?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3690f96b.762626820@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 129413

On Sun, 11 Oct 1998 21:24:43 GMT, lewisgregory@earthlink.net (Lewis Gregory) wrote:
> I bought a Yaesu VX-1 from HRO in Atlanta this weekend, and while I like the
>radio OK so far, the stock antenna has just *got* to go. (But, hey, it's a
>factory dummy load from Yaesu--what else should I expect? My FT-530 was useless
>until Yaesu replaced the hard rubber antenna that came with it with a surplus
>FT-470 whip, which works great. Go figure.) Does anybody have any suggestions
>for a decent antenna to complement my VX-1?

The Comet SMA-3 is about the best replacement antenna, but
the stock antennna actually works pretty well in the ham bands,
particularly 70 cm. Outside the hambands, it doesn't work well
at all, but that doesn't matter unless you bought the radio for
use primarily as an outband scanner.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

1228. IC271/471 & CT-16 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Knight <paul.knight@prairiecomm.com>
Message-ID: <6vsumq$er1$1@eve.enteract.com>
Source record: 129414
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hello! In order to use the Icom CT-16 Satellite Interface box with the 271H/471H combo, is it necessary to have the UX-14 level converters installed in both rigs? I don't plan any computer control of the radios, but I would like to be able to slave one to the other for easier tracking. Since the UX-14 interfaces are seemingly non-existent these days, I don't want to buy a CT-16 and not be able to use it.

Thanks for any input,

Paul WD8DKY
paul.knight@prairiecomm.com

1229. I have a ft-50r with a problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Garvelink <link@cdc.net>
Message-ID: <A84189250ED5BAF4.C7284410E83F709F.638768442B42FB06@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 129415

Is there a way to reset the cpu or every setting on the yasue ft-50r

my ptt does not work at all i was plugging in my speaker mic and it said

error twice
because it was off band (i was lessening to a radio program) and then
the ptt on the radio and the spker mic dident work and suggesting

also it does not say how to reset it in the radio manual

73's kf4vwj Zachary Garvelink

1230. F.S. Bird Meter Model 43

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: kcoin@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981012094804.22181.00000043@ng138.aol.com>
Source record: 129416

Bird Thruline Watt Meter Model 43 (Case Has 4 paint chips) Looks like New
W/ 2 N. Connectors---2 So239 Connectors & Caps
4 Slugs Like New.
100 W--100-250 Mhz.
100 W--400-1000 Mhz.
10 W-- 400-1000 Mhz.
250 W-- 2-30 Mhz.
$350.Shp. (48's)
This Equipment is Guarantee as Described or your Money Back Minus Shipping
Ken (WN9N) 815-478-5109 kcoin@aol.com

1231. F.S. Drake Tuner MN-2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: kcoin@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981012095246.22181.00000051@ng138.aol.com>
Source record: 129417

Drake Tuner MN-2000 Excell Cond. $200.+Shp. ( )
This Equipment is Guarantee as Described or your Money Back Minus Shipping
Ken (WN9N) 815-478-5109 kcoin@aol.com
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1232. Re: MFJ 20 meter travel radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim <mallon@burgoyne.com>
Message-ID: <6vt1pp$1ff$1@news.burgoyne.com>
Source record: 129418
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Jim wrote in message ...
>
>.For Sale:
>
> MFJ 20 meter SSB travel radio. This rig is 12 watts SSB and with a
>module will work CW. The rig is about 1 year old. The radio come with a
mike
>and a home-brew power supply. 150 + shipping.
>
> Jim WC7X
>
> jim435@yahoo.com
>
>

1233. Re: Grundig YachtBoy 400 vs. Sony ICF-SW7600G

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: bb099@cleveland.Freenet.Edu
Message-ID: <6vt1kabnl1@pale-rider.INS.CWRU.Edu>
Source record: 129419
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

In a previous article, mwatry@shrike.depaul.edu (Mike Watry) says:

>Anyone ever hear of the Grundig YB500? I picked one up in Spain this
>spring, and have been pretty happy with it (although I don't have
>anything to compare it to). It sounds like you can't get them in the
>US. I was trying to find one of the Satellit 700 radios, but I don't
>think Grundig makes them anymore...
>

I have tried the YB 500, and I found it to be inferior to the YB
400 of the Sony 7600G. The ones I tried seemed to have a lot of
microphonics (IE: you tap the radio on it's side and you hear the sound of
it come out the speaker. It means that some component is acting as a
microphone.). The YB400 and 7600G both are just better built and designed
radios.

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Member of the Signal Surfer DX Club, check out our web site at our NEW URL:
http://www.swl.net/signal

bb099@cleveland.freenet.edu 73 de A. Trent Phillips

1234. WTB: EICO 723

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Edward Plotzker <edplotzker@pol.net>
Message-ID: <362202F1.2533BBB4@pol.net>
Source record: 129420

Looking to buy an EICO 723. TNX.

Ed

1235. F.S. Yaesu VFO FV-102 DM Digtal

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: kcoin@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981012100419.08752.00000038@ng137.aol.com>
Source record: 129421

Yaesu VFO FV-102 DM Digtal VFO for FT-102 $275.+Shp.
Has a Few marks Front is Excell. w/manual
This Equipment is Guarantee as Described or your Money Back Minus Shipping
Ken (WN9N) 815-478-5109 kcoin@aol.com

1236. Re: Pros and Cons of VHF vs. family radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: bdiaz@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6vtdl3lhc1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129422

In article <6vohae$7gh$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
mckenzie7740@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> I want to purchase a portable radio that can be used from car to car but dont
> know which type is best. VHF, CB, or the new Motorolas ?

FAMILY RADIO SERVICE (FRS):

Small and easy to carrry. The specifications say, "up to 2 miles"; however
I feel the truth is more like 1 mile range. Still, if a hill comes between
you and another person, you'll have problems, even at 1/4 of a mile. If
you're trying to follow someone in your car and you want to use the radios
to say something like, "Pull over at this exit." Likely, you'll be close
enough to talk to each other. Be aware the most people who clip the radio
on their belt, won't hear the radio over the noise. You'll need to put
it in your shirt pocket to hear the other person calling. If you find units
that offer a calling tone, it's easier to hear the tone over any noise.

CB:

A 5 watt car radio, with a good antenna will offer more distance. I'm
not 100% sure, so my GUESS is about 5 to 25 miles range, but this is all
subject to conditions. While a small hill can kill a FRS signal, the
lower frequency of CB can "bend" around the smaller hills. In remote areas,
you may not have a problem with others on the frequency, but in some cities,
you may get a lot of noise from other users. There are hand held CB units
that put out more power than the FRS units; however you'll find the size,
weight, and shorter battery life may be a problem. (I guess it all depends
on how long you want to talk.)

VHF (Business):

This requires a license and there may be other limits on what you can or
can't do. I've never worked with these radios, so I can't say.

VHF (Ham Radio):

This does require a license AND you can't use Ham Radio for business.
The 2 meter Ham Band is VERY popular, so there's always a chance someone
might be using the frequency you want to use. Most Hams use a repeater
(a relay station) to increase their range. Most repeaters are in high
locations for maximum range. Your range depends on a lot of things,
but 25, 50 or even 100 miles is possible. Be aware that because the
repeater covers such a wide area, it may receive a lot of usage or they
may have time limits so that others can use it. The higher bands, like
220 MHz or 440 MHz, don't receive as much usage, but they also may not
have as many open (free as in $$$) repeaters. I'm into Ham Radio, so
I enjoy chatting with my fellow Hams as I drive to and from work.

I guess it all depends on how much range you want and who you plan to talk to.

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1237. FS: New ICOM F10 2M HT $180

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dr. Al Link" <al.link@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <6vt3in$c46@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 129423
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

SPECIFICATIONS

THIS RADIO IS NEW AND HAS NEVER BEEN USED!

GENERAL
a.. Frequency Coverage (Rx and Tx)*:
146-174 MHz
b.. Channel spacing: 25 kHz, 30 kHz (12.5 kHz for narrow type)
c.. Mode: 16K0F3E (8K50F3E for narrow type)
d.. Usable Temperature Range: -25°C to +55°C; -22°F to +140°F
e.. Dimensions (with BP-160): 65(W) x 290(H) x 38(D) mm; 2.56(W) x 11.41(H) x 1.5(D) in
f.. Weight: 365 g; 12.9 oz

TRANSMITTER
a.. Output power (12 V):
High: 4 W
Low: 1 W
b.. Spurious emissions: -70 dB (0.25 µW)
c.. Frequency stability: ±0.0005%

RECEIVER
a.. Sensitivity (for 12 dB SINAD): 0.35 µV
b.. Adjacent channel selectivity: -70 dB (-60 dB for narrow type)
c.. Spurious rejection: -70 dB
d.. Image rejection: -70 dB
e.. Audio Output Power: 350 mW typical at 10% distortion
f.. Current consumption:
Receive: 70 mA (standby); 300 mA (max. audio)
Transmit: 2.5 A (4 W); 1.0 A (1 W)

Comes with:
a.. BP-160 BATTERY PACK: Voltage: 7.2 V; Capacity: 700 mAh; Output power: 2 W; Charging period: 60 min.(w/BP-79+AD-28) 13 hr.(w/AD-54)
b.. BP-174 BATTERY PACK: Voltage: 12 V; Capacity: 600 mAh; Output power: 4 W; Charging period: 90 min.(w/BP-79+AD-28) 11 hr.(w/AD-54)
c.. Programming Cable
d.. Programming Software
e.. User manual

f.. Original box
Thanks for reading,

AL

1238. Re: HTX-204 need parts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: fishbags@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981012102616.17025.00000096@ng64.aol.com>
Source record: 129424

The HTX-204 is still being sold as the ADI HT-204 dual band HT. CAll ADI/Premier at 1-800-666-2654 and order the parts thru them.

1239. WTB: Icom FL-33 filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: klimasewski@mail.dec.com
Message-ID: <362214BF.5729936F@mail.dec.com>
Source record: 129425

Looking for a FL-33 filter w/6KHz spec. not the 7.5KHz one.

email to: n1kk@worldnet.att.net
klimasewski@mail.dec.com

thanks,
Ken, N1KK

1240. FS: Amateur Antennas - Cushcraft, 80 Meter Isotron

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: KK7PL <hro11@teleport.com>
Message-ID: <36221CB6.5F05FB84@teleport.com>
Source record: 129426
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.swap,pdx.forsale,pnw.forsale,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

I have for sale, one each:

Cushcraft R7 Multiband vertical. 10 meters through 40 meters.
No radials. bought new. was up about 8 months the I moved to an apt and
put it in storage.
still shinny and new looking. with docs. Paid $379.00 new
$250.00 or closest offer.
I will not ship, this is a pickup in Portland, Oregon only.
It is mostly assembled. so it would be quite easy to toss back together.

Also a
Balal ISOTRON for 80 meters
$35.00 + $5.00 to ship.
Its small (even assembled) 32"x 16"x 15"....with docs.

Contact Rich.
KK7PL@WANfear.com
Work (503) 598-0555
Home (503) 612-9403

1241. Re: Radar Gun for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: KuoH <KuoH@aol.com>
Message-ID: <3623C5C8.6F22@aol.com>
Source record: 129177
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.misc,
sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

Ahh yes, create a pile-up in the name of safety. Do us a favor, keep
it in your lap and turned on at all times. At least that might lessen
the chances that we'll have to deal with your progeny too.

KuoH

bryan@prodistributors.com wrote:
>
>
> KUSTOM ELECTRONICS Model HR-8 hand held radar gun for sale.
> This is a 24 GHZ unit that is in good working order. Comes complete
> with carrying case and tuning fork for calibration. You can sure make
> the brake lights come on with this......$100 plus UPS.

1242. Re: ADI AT-600?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: jan.allbright.GACK@usa.net
Message-ID: <3623cdf0.27610814@news.mcit.com>
Source record: 129178

ditto -

I love my at-600hp.
I have a cellphone holder in my car that holds the radio part of the
600. I plug in my speaker-mic, a 12v power supply and an external
dualband antenna - and zip-zap a nice little mobil rig.
I love my at-600hp
I was out stomping through the underbrush and the at took a dive out
of my radio pocket (oh-nooooooooo) landed on the only rock within 500
feet! Result? a little ding where the squech button was which was
repaired with the trusty folding knife.
I love my at-600

and the upload / download software is pretty OK also...

On Tue, 13 Oct 1998 18:34:19 GMT, va3uxb@rac.ca (Stephanie) wrote:

>I have had an AT-600 since the begining of this year. I love it. You
>get all the features you'd expect in a rig made by one of the 'big
>three' at a fraction of the price. It contains more features than the
>HTX-204. ADI made the HTX204 for RS and they based it on the AT-600,
>but removed some of the 600's extra features for RS. Don't know what
>it's worth retail in the USA, but in Canada it's under $400C.
>
>73 de Stephanie
>VA3UXB
>
>In article <6vtip3$l69$1@autumn.news.rcn.net>, globalcm@erols.com says...
>>
>>Does anyone have any opinions on the AT-600?
>>Is it the Radio Shack HTX 204 in disguise?
>>What is the average going price?
>>
>>Mike N2OX
>>Long Island, NY
>>
>>--
>>http://www.qsl.net/mid-islandarc
>>http://members.aol.com/kg2mmike/n2ox/webpage.html
>>
>>

1243. WTB TEN TEC 238

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: chickenfuz@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981013184016.27314.00000225@ng18.aol.com>
Source record: 129179

Hi
Would like to buy a Ten Tec 238 tuner

Regards, WA6CBP

1244. Need Settings Guide for Monarch Tube Tester

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: sppolak@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981013181313.27707.00000241@ng-fd1.aol.com>
Source record: 129180

Model TT-200 Appreciate any help

1245. New To HF Equipt Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Shaun Hancock <shaun@tfn.net>
Message-ID: <700rbg$a5d$1@news.fsu.edu>
Source record: 129181

I just recently got my license, Back in June or so and then upgraded from Tech to Tech Plus, now I will try to upgrade again to general in 3 weeks. I am looking for an HF rig that is affordable for a first year college student living away... I would like to find an All amateur HF band/ all mode if possible. I want to find something that is reliable and I have relatively no problem with space in that I am renting a house, and live close enough to my parents that it shouldn't be too big of prob to just use it there. Any suggestions on what type of rig is good for my situation.

Please Reply to
shaun@tfn.net

Thanks
Shaun Hancock
KF4ZIC

1246. Ten Tec 1340 Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frank Krozel <frank@electronicinstrument.com>
Message-ID: <700tr6$g6o@sjx-ixn10.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 129182

Wanted Ten Tec 1340. Frank 630-653-9090

1247. Paragon Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frank Krozel <frank@electronicinstrument.com>
Message-ID: <700tse$g8b@sjx-ixn10.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 129183

Paragon wanted. Best price, shipped to me Frank 630-924-1600

1248. DSP-9 - $85

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frank Krozel <frank@electronicinstrument.com>
Message-ID: <700u1c$gbg@sjx-ixn10.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 129184

Don't need anymore. $85 shipped. Frank 630-653-9090

1249. Re: WTB YEASU DIGITAL DISPLAY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: VE7SEZ <tkpoustie@nospamsprint.ca>
Message-ID: <NwTU1.3023$Ng7.2158544@HME2.newscontent-01.sprint.ca>
Source record: 129185
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

There's one on ebay right now, cheap. Yc-601 yaesu, just the right one for your rig.

Tim VE7SEZ

JOHN WARD wrote in message <6vvlmodml1@autumn.news.rcn.net>...
>Looking digital display for yeasu ft-101 contact me de w3oj thanks
>
>

1250. FS: Alinco Credit Card 2 Meter DJ-C1 NEW on Ebay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J.R. Hehnly" <jarman@ionet.net>
Message-ID: <7015m4$kt8$1@supernews.com>
Source record: 129186

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=35666089

1251. Alinco DJ-S11T External Connector

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Benko <benko@aztek-eng.com>
Message-ID: <36241A7E.F4924FCB@aztek-eng.com>
Source record: 129187

Has anyone successfully removed the integrated
antenna and added a SMA or some other type of
connector for use with an external antenna.
Thanks in advance.

Larry Benko
AC0B

1252. Re: Grundig YachtBoy 400 vs. Sony ICF-SW7600G

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Watry <mwatry@shrike.depaul.edu>
Message-ID: <36241C74.3A58@shrike.depaul.edu>
Source record: 129188
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

Adam Trent Phillips wrote:
>
> In a previous article, mwatry@shrike.depaul.edu (Mike Watry) says:
>
> >Anyone ever hear of the Grundig YB500? I picked one up in Spain this
> >spring, and have been pretty happy with it (although I don't have
> >anything to compare it to). It sounds like you can't get them in the
> >US. I was trying to find one of the Satellit 700 radios, but I don't
> >think Grundig makes them anymore...
> >
>
> I have tried the YB 500, and I found it to be inferior to the YB
> 400 of the Sony 7600G. The ones I tried seemed to have a lot of
> microphonics (IE: you tap the radio on it's side and you hear the sound of
> it come out the speaker. It means that some component is acting as a
> microphone.). The YB400 and 7600G both are just better built and designed
> radios.
>
> --
> Member of the Signal Surfer DX Club, check out our web site at our NEW URL:
> http://www.swl.net/signal
>
> bb099@cleveland.freenet.edu 73 de A. Trent Phillips
Adam, I have never had the type of problem you describe (where did you
get a hold of a YB 500?) My radio sounds pretty good, FM even comes in
stereo with headphones. I used to have a Sony 2010, and the Grundig
seems to have a nicer sound.

Mike

1253. FS: Yaesu Ft 900 CAT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Alan B. Seyboldt" <clairopt@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <36241BC4.A78FDFF@earthlink.net>
Source record: 129189

For Sale: Yaesu FT 900 CAT
With Mobile Mounting Kit
Original Box

$890.00 + Shipping probably $20.00 inside the US.

Alan K7OPT

1254. FS: Icom AT150 Automatic Antenna Tuner - Like New

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Terry Brown <brownt@frl.orst.edu>
Message-ID: <36241CC8.4EDFC579@frl.orst.edu>
Source record: 129190
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

This antenna tuner has been used for less than 100 contacts. It was used with my backup IC-735 rig, so seldom used. It sold for over $549 when new. It is in like new condition. I have all the original box and manual.
$295 firm. Will ship in CONUS.

References available by request. Will be happy to talk to you by phone once email contact made.

Terry Brown, N7TB

1255. Re: Digital receivers, scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dean, Greg" <N9NWO@GTE.net>
Message-ID: <70192mcjn1@news-1.news.gte.net>
Source record: 129191

Radiomatt wrote in message <19981013063243.24902.00000007@ng-fd2.aol.com>...
>>Does anyone know what the format of digital radios is?
>>(TDMA, CDMA)
>>
>>And did Congress ban the ownership of civilian ownership
>>of digital receivers?
>>
>>
>>
>>
>
>OK, I assume you're talking about cellular and PCS.
>Cellular operates at 800-900 MHz and PCS in the range of 1800-2000 MHz.
>

No, I was more interested in the public service 800 Mhz trunked
systems. I am concerned that police, fire and public safety systems
are going to encrypt once they go digital. BTW, my Nokia 2160i is
set up for encryption.

As I see it, the media and the public will not be too happy if police
and fire encrypt ALL communications.

>There are different standards
>
>AMPS analog (also N-AMPS where the channels are still NBFM, but narrower)
>
>AMPS digital (IS-54(CDMA) or IS-136(TDMA))
>
>GSM (a form of TDMA developed in Europe)
>
>IS-661(CDMA highly advanced...only used in New York's Omnipoint
system...the
>wave of the future and the reason they got the Pioneerrs Preference)
>
>These are the dominant types.
>
>ALSO:
>
>Nextel uses a form of TDMA (3 to 1 for telephony and 6-to1 for dispatch)
>
>Geotek (now bankrupt and going out of business) uses a form of CDMA
>
>No, ownership is not banned, but using them is. Probably THINKING of using
them

>may be banned too.

1256. FS: Timewave 599ZX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: DUKE <na1a@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <36241F88.52335972@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 129192
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For sale the Timewave 599ZX DSP unit, latest version (4.1). Rarely
been used and is in like new condition. $290.
If interested, E-mail or call (310) 649-2226.
73,
Duke -NA1A-

1257. Re: Radar Gun for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bruce Starr <BassStar@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <36243B50.AB27B154@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 129193
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.misc,
sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

"Think of it as evolution in action"

KuoH wrote:

> Ahh yes, create a pile-up in the name of safety. Do us a favor, keep
> it in your lap and turned on at all times. At least that might lessen
> the chances that we'll have to deal with your progeny too.
>
> KuoH
>
> bryan@prodistributors.com wrote:
> >
> >
> > KUSTOM ELECTRONICS Model HR-8 hand held radar gun for sale.
> > This is a 24 GHZ unit that is in good working order. Comes complete
> > with carrying case and tuning fork for calibration. You can sure make
> > the brake lights come on with this......$100 plus UPS.

1258. FS/TR Eimav 4CX1500A pull

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <jmul@iland.net>
Message-ID: <362388A3.313F@iland.net>
Source record: 129194
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

I have for sale or trade an Eimac 4CX1500A pull in excellent condition.
I want to sell for $200 delivered, or would take HF AM transmitter in
trade. Maybe older HF transceiver with AM capabilities, must be working
with power supply. Email direct if you are interested, thanks.

1259. Re: Power supply help. PBX swichboard 50vdc convert??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: ve6inm@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6vvpkf$op9$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129227
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Well Randy, Without actually looking at the supply, I would guess that it is probably good for about 25amps. A lot of the older phone supplies were used to keep a battery string charged as well as run the PBX. On most of the Executone gear, the 48VDC was used on the battery string, and 24VDC (or similar voltage) was used to supply 'talk battery' to the line circuits. If you have been planning to build a solid state linear, this supply (48VDC) may be the 'cat's meow'. I will dig around and see if I have any paper work left on those Executone beasts. 73 de VE6INM

In article <6vs9ef$u5c$1@news.citynet.net>,
"The Crew" <dc@citynet.net> wrote:
> Well, nobody wanted the PBX telephone network thing.. so I dismantled it!
> Now I have a million cards with ic's, cpu's, led's and dandy little
> switches! the big thing is a nice self-contained power supply which I tested
> at 52volts DC! I'm hoping it is an amp monster, too...
> It is an Executone Enterprise PBX, removed power supply is about waist high,
> all heatsink inside, 60lbs, 3blade fuses everywhere... and caps the size of
> a pepsi can. has 'alarm' led for what I assume to be a fault protect,
> 117vac with sticker on back saying series 2 and ps-a?? vom says 52vdc at the
> terminals.
> Question: anybody know about this thing and how to turn it
> down/convert/resist/whatever to 13.8? how to test amperage output without
> blowing something up? Hams dream supply or welder? help!!
> thanks!
> Randy
>
>

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VE6INM (Glenn)

-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1260. WTB YEASU DIGITAL DISPLAY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOHN WARD <HITECH@EROLS.COM>
Message-ID: <6vvlmodml1@autumn.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 129228
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Looking digital display for yeasu ft-101 contact me de w3oj thanks

1261. FS ICOM 735

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOHN WARD <HITECH@EROLS.COM>
Message-ID: <6vvl50aon1@autumn.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 129229

For sale Icom 735 in good condition cleaning out shack do not need two good rig want 550 plus shipping if interested let me know 73's DE W3OJ.....john

1262. For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Christopher B. Lirakis" <clirakis@bbn.com>
Message-ID: <36235856.BD4EC61E@bbn.com>
Source record: 129230

I am getting rid of my old equipment. The following items are
available for purchace.

Yaseu FT901D - HF all mode tranceiver - $250
Yaseu FTV-901R Transverter with 6 + 2 Meter modules. $200
Yaseu FV901DM - External VFO for 901D with memories $100
MFJ 160-10 Antenna Tuner $25
Drake R7 $350
Dentron Super tuner - 1KW rated, Random wire, Balanced feed and coax.
$100.

If you are interested in any of the above please contact me at
lirakis@ids.net.

Thank you.
Chris

1263. Re: Anyone still love the hobby

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: g-taylor4@tamu.edu
Message-ID: <6vvmgm$9ff$2@news.tamu.edu>
Source record: 129231
Cross-posted to: att.ham-radio,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.spa

In article <3623333F.5BD5@hp.com>, David Stockton <david_stockton@hp.com> wrote:
> It seems to me that working 100 countries is actually fairly easy given
>just a modest station and average sunspots. Getting the cards seems to
>be the devil, and then there's the nuisance of getting them to a checker
>if you don't happen to live in the USA.(actually, there was an

True, for example, last time I was chasing DX towards the end of the last
cycle I got well over 100 qrp cw + ssb with a wire at 25 feet. I really did
find the challenge of getting the cards almost as much fun....and that was
pre-web. Haven't gotten around to getting certificates tho.......

Greg W5KJ

1264. Re: Anyone still love the hobby

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: g-taylor4@tamu.edu
Message-ID: <6vvm8j$9ff$1@news.tamu.edu>
Source record: 129232
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

>Steve Sampson (ssampson@access.usa-site.net) wrote:
>
>: There's four things to hang on your wall: 1) Your High School
>: Diploma, 2) Your College Bachelors Degree, 3) Your College
>: Masters Degree, and 4) Your Doctorate.
>
I've got em all somewhere I suppose but they're not on the wall....the
entry in the data base is what counts......
>But then again, I don't know why you'd waste space with the above when
>you could put other things that are more meaningful up instead.
>(like photos of places you'd like to return to, awards from other
>parts of your life, a poster or two......)
>
hear, hear....Greg W5KJ

1265. Re: Icom's Tri-Band HT.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Lyons <boblyons@umich.edu>
Message-ID: <36235BB7.C49E805A@umich.edu>
Source record: 129233

Matt Gilbert wrote:
>
> I've had mine about 3 months now, nice rig. I got my SMA connectors
> from Surplus Sales of Nebraska (about $5 each).
>
> I love the rig. Great receive (even out of band), transmit power
> and quality is very good as is the audio from such a small speaker.
> It seems to be fairly rugged but I try not to drop mine. Some have
> complained the battery fits loosely, I don't have that problem with
> mine. The only problems I have with it are I find it eats batteries
> and (just to make it eat more batteries) I would have preferred a
> backlit keypad.
>
> On 11 Oct 1998 00:13:55 GMT, quinkman@aol.com (Quinkman) wrote:
>
> >
> >Anyone have any experience or opinions on Icom's tri band ht?

I've commented extensively on the T8A in recent postings, with both
positive and negative comments. I'd like to add some things I've
more recently thought about - flaws, warts, etc:

[in general, I still *love* this HT - it's small and light, powerful
and flexible. Just what I need for most situations.]

- the alkaline battery pack holds only three AA batteries,
and produces only 600 mW of transmit power. When the NiMH
pack runs down, I'm stuck with low power until I can recharge.

- The bottom of the HT is not flat! It is not steady when set
down on a desk top. (a metal piece - part of the battery
mounting system? protrudes slightly. A piece of tape covers
it. Betcha ICOM did that due to comments about RF hotspots
in the QST review.)

- The supplied rubber duck antenna really isn't all that bad,
despite what some people say. A/B comparisons with a Comet
SMA-3 on 2M and 440 show them essentially identical. Course,
you may be more interested in out-of-band receive strength,
which I've not compared.

- For those voyeurs among the ham ranks, this rig may be cell-
blocked, but it picks up plenty of image frequencies. Not
that this interests me much. Boring.

- I sure wish it were possible to scan memory segments instead of *band* segments. You can, for example, scan all memories holding frequencies in the 2M band segment (136-230 MHz, after the keyboard "mod" procedure). You cannot, however, scan just memories 40-50 (where I have public service freq's). It scans *all* my memories in that band, including amateur and public service. I have to set amateur memories to "skip" if I don't want to hear them this time. And set them BACK when I next want to scan *amateur* frequencies. And set the PubServ memories to skip. Etc.

- If you get the Comet SMA-3 antenna, make sure you add shrink tubing to reinforce the base of the thin upper antenna piece. It bends *far* too easily - and permanently.

- I highly recommend the Maha universal charger. It pumps these batteries back to full charge in no time. Does Maha make any replacement batteries for the IC-T8A? Maybe a high-capacity one, like they've done for the yaesu FT-50?

Bob, KI8AB

1266. Re: Pros and Cons of VHF vs. family radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Lyons <boblyons@umich.edu>
Message-ID: <36235E4C.C238FD8@umich.edu>
Source record: 129234

bdiaz@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>
> If one lives in an area like LA, NY City, San Fransisco, ... where the
> whole area has a massive population, finding a free frequency all the time
> on 2 meters is tough.

Sure, there are places where the ham bands are congested. I think the original poster was asking about cross-country travel, however. If I'm not mistaken, s/he wanted reliable car-to-car communication. My response was supporting ham VHF or UHF as opposed to CB or FRS, a comparison which still holds up in congested areas - perhaps even more apt, in fact.

Your comments about the congestion around LA are interesting, Bob. I've never had the experience of driving around a big metropolitan area with my radio. I'll look forward to it!

Bob, KI8AB

1267. WTB Batteries for Kenwood PB-6

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert <bharvey@iu.net>
Message-ID: <01bdf6b2$89f83a80$26b875cc@bharvey.iu.net>
Source record: 129235

Need replacment batteries for my Kenwood PB-6 battery packs

Thanks

Robert
WB9LZO
bharvey@iu.net

1268. WTB PAIR 6JS6C OR B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOHN WARD <HITECH@EROLS.COM>
Message-ID: <6vvnt5osv1@autumn.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 129236
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.shortwave

Looking for tubes for my yeasu ft-101 b any help will be appreciated thanks

1269. unsubscribe

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4bmt@hotmail.COM
Message-ID: <19981013142205.27013.qmail@hotmail.com>
Source record: 129237

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1270. FS Timewave DSP-59Y (NEW)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alan Caplan <alan.caplan@cwix.com>
Message-ID: <tlJU1.857$Ni2.300282@news.cwix.com>
Source record: 129238
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.swap,pdx.forsale,pnw.forsale,rec.radio.amateur.

Brand New Timewave DSP-59Y retail cost $389 in AES Cat. Selling
for $200 plus $10 shipping in USA overseas will have to be checked.
Reviewed in QST and got rave reviews. Fits into the Yeasu SP-5 and
SP-6 speaker cabinets ONLY. Matches the speaker and looks like
OEM. Simple installation. Shipped UPS unless toherwise specified.
ONE year warranty

Alan Caplan K4AVQ & P40AV ex: W0RIC

Ex: Sales Mgr Timewave 93-98, and Hy-gain 82-92.

14020 140th Court
Apple Valley, MN 55124-9422

612-431-5070 between 8am to 10pm local time. CST
Questions call or e-mail

See http://www.timewave.com for customer letters and review information.

limited.

1271. FS NEW! Timewave DSP-59Y $200 + shipping

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alan Caplan <alan.caplan@cwix.com>
Message-ID: <RnJU1.873$Ni2.301564@news.cwix.com>
Source record: 129239

Brand New Timewave DSP-59Y retail cost $389 in AES Cat. Selling
for $200 plus $10 shipping in USA overseas will have to be checked.
Reviewed in QST and got rave reviews. Fits into the Yeasu SP-5 and
SP-6 speaker cabinets ONLY. Matches the speaker and looks like
OEM. Simple installation. Shipped UPS unless toherwise specified.
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1272. Re: 8877 Specs Sheet???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: bohnovic@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <362466cb.15469303@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 129240

dmuthcuz@amauta.rcp.NET.pe (Dan Muth) wrote:

>Greetings from Peru! Can anyone help me out by clueing me in on where I
>can get all the specs for an 8877 triode? Web pages, Scanned info sent
>by e-mail, someone willing to FAX me a copy. Any help would be much
>appreciated.
>
>73's de OA7ABZ, Dan
>
>
Hola Dan!

Try Eimac at this site:

http://www.eimac.com/catindex.htm

You can then select the tube you want the specs for. Or, go directly
to the 8877 page by clicking on this site:

http://www.eimac.com/catalog/168423.htm

Good luck..de John/K4WJ
John/K4WJ in Pembroke Pines, FL
K8PXG from 18 Jun 59 to 11 Feb 97
K8WJ from 12 Feb 97 to 07 Apr 97

1273. Re: FS: Alinco DJ-190TD $85

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: oldmantube@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981013104830.25668.00000068@ng112.aol.com>
Source record: 129241

>$85 each or $160 for the pair.
>
>Please reply to:
>Art Harris, N2AH
>n2ah@sprynet.com
>or
>aharris@suffolk.lib.ny.us
>

are the radio still for sale ?

1274. FS: Ham Equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Repstad <rcc@together.net>
Message-ID: <36236B06.3B31D27A@together.net>
Source record: 129242
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.swap

I have the following for sale, prices do not include shipping. E-mail
direct if interested.

Homebrew RF-Deck uses pair 4-125's, about 500W out needs HV supply:
$150.00

Unbuilt Heathkit Coax-Switch $60.00

Heathkit DX-60B w/matching HG-10 VFO: $130.00

MFJ 752C Signal Enhancer: $40.00

Heathkit AM-2 Swr Meter: $15.00

Pair Collis Motorized Roller Inductors $80.00

Kenwood TS-930SAT w/250hz CW filter, auto tuner, etc... exec condition:
$850.00

Linear Amp Parts (sold as set, will not split): Pair of 4CX1500B medical
pulls, w/1-Socket/Chimney,
Peter W. Dahl Plate transformer a 115/230 VAC primary and a 1250 VAC @
1.5A CCS secondary
8-1500mfd @ 450V Computer Grade caps, pair of 6KV block diodes,
pair of ducted blower fans (pulls from military equipment) all for $450.

--Tom
KB1CGA Homepage

1275. looking for charger

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: oldmantube@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981013105351.25668.00000070@ng112.aol.com>
Source record: 129243

I bought a Midland land radio charger but it is the wrong charger for my battery packs (opening too small, for smaller packs), I will sell the charger or trade for the larger battery pack charger by midland with the 3 strips on back of pack for pickups. My batteries are the ones by midland that work on a Icom/Shack HT, with slide .

OMT

1276. Re: WTB YEASU DIGITAL DISPLAY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: steven.e.huss@tek.com
Message-ID: <steven.e.huss.204.05411DEF@tek.com>
Source record: 129244
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

In article <6vvlmodml1@autumn.news.rcn.net> "JOHN WARD" <HITECH@EROLS.COM> writes:
>From: "JOHN WARD" <HITECH@EROLS.COM>
>Subject: WTB YEASU DIGITAL DISPLAY
>Date: Tue, 13 Oct 1998 08:55:46 -0400

>Looking digital display for yeasu ft-101 contact me de w3oj thanks

Unless you're after the Yeasu unit here's a nice alternative:
http://www.radioadv.com/products/FreqMC/A2.htm

Just a happy customer.

1277. Re: PLATE TRANSFORMER FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: tleonard@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <70006f$d6$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129245

In article <6vvmsllmj1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
lothina1@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> PRICE: 55$
>
> -----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own
>

Primary Voltage? Secondary Voltage? Secondary Current?

-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1278. Re: NCX5 NATIONAL TRANSCEIVER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Earl <w9juc@juno.com>
Message-ID: <36237D6A.B34458BE@juno.com>
Source record: 129246

THANKS TO ALL WHO HELPED AND DAVE WILL BE CONTACTING YOU SHORTLY.

73

RICH

Richard Earl wrote:

> Dave G0MJY is looking for a schematic diagram for the NCX5 transceiver.
> He currently does not have internet access and is looking for a source
> for this schematic.
>
> Hi Manuals has a manual for this but Dave is handicapped and I think
> that the price might be a little steep for him.
>
> Anyone help ?
>
> 73
>
> Rich
>
> W9JUC

1279. LogMaster of WB2OPA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: hilario@jet.es
Message-ID: <3623931A.D32539C8@jet.es>
Source record: 129247

Hello to all
Im using the LogMaster plus/plus version 7.02 of the WB2OPA.(Ms-Dos, running W95)
Im need info of the problem efect year 2000 in this version, the problem is " no good" runnig the "QSO AUTO MODE" the year is always "10"
But this not is mayor problem....in the "label of QSL card" is also two number for year
example 01/may/02 is posible "one of may in 2002" or "two of may in 2001" in Europe is tipical using DDMMYY, but in USA is MMDDYY.

Im send two letters a adress of WB2OPA, but the office box comentary "the box is closed"

Tnx for the adiccion comentary, NEW direction of WB2OPA, ï¿½ comentary of othe user the Version 7.02.

73 and excusme for my bad/littel English.
Hilario
mailto:hilario@jet.es (please)
Basque Country
Europe

1280. Re: Wntd: AEA Radio Link $$!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: cemely@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981013130055.06389.00000139@ng-fi1.aol.com>
Source record: 129248

I've got an AEA Phone Link

1281. FS: JPS NF-60 Notch Filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Pedersen <n7bhc@gateway.net>
Message-ID: <6vvv0h$6g8$1@server2.wans.net>
Source record: 129249
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale: JPS NF-60 automatic notch filter. $95.

Dave Pedersen N7BHC
(801) 967-5896
n7bhc@gateway.net

1282. FS: TAPR TNC-1 and TNC-2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Pedersen <n7bhc@gateway.net>
Message-ID: <6vvv7c$6gs$1@server2.wans.net>
Source record: 129250
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc

For Sale: TAPR TNC-1 $60
TAPR TNC-2 $60

Dave Pedersen N7BHC
(801) 967-5896
n7bhc@gateway.net

1283. FS: MFJ-16010 Antenna Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Pedersen <n7bhc@gateway.net>
Message-ID: <6vvv2t$6gi$1@server2.wans.net>
Source record: 129251
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale: MFJ-16010 Antenna Tuner. $20

Dave Pedersen N7BHC
(801) 967-5896
n7bhc@gateway.net

1284. FS: Drake TR-22C

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Pedersen <n7bhc@gateway.net>
Message-ID: <6vvva6$6h0$1@server2.wans.net>
Source record: 129252
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale: Drake TR-22C 2m radio. Currently used on 145.01 packet radio. $70

Dave Pedersen N7BHC
(801) 967-5896
n7bhc@gateway.net

1285. Radar Gun for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: bryan@prodistributors.com
Message-ID: <36238272.7598698@news.nts-online.net>
Source record: 129253
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.misc,
sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

KUSTOM ELECTRONICS Model HR-8 hand held radar gun for sale.
This is a 24 GHZ unit that is in good working order. Comes complete
with carrying case and tuning fork for calibration. You can sure make
the brake lights come on with this......$100 plus UPS.

Bryan Edwards
Lubbock, Texas

1286. FS/SWAP: AMD K6-233Mhz Computer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Repstad <rcc@together.net>
Message-ID: <36238D49.7D72B51@together.net>
Source record: 129254
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap

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For Sale: AMD K6-233 Computer $900.00
w/Full Tower Case
64MB Ram
Maxtor 6.5G HD
S3-TRIO 64V+ Video (1MB)
3.5" FDD
Keyboard
32X CD-Rom Drive
2xRead/4xWrite SCSI CD-Rom Drive
Adaptec 1510H SCSI Card
Creative SB-16 Sound Card
60W Speaker Set
2-Parallel/2-Serial Ports
450VA Uninterruptable Power Supply

Or will swap towards late model 2M/440 satelite xcvr. E-mail if
interested

Tom
KB1CGA
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1287. Anyone selling any 220 gear?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: ligosa@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981013132008.08918.00000034@ng80.aol.com>
Source record: 129255

Anyone selling any 220 gear?

ligosa@aol.com

1288. Help! Dead SBE CONSOLE V

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: no-baumann-spam@dave-world.net
Message-ID: <MPG.108d4a0e3a16903a9896d8@news.dave-world.net>
Source record: 129256

I have a dead SBE CONSOLE V and need a schematic!
It has 12.8 VDC from the power supply, meter lights up
but no channel display or audio.

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remove no- -spam
George

1289. Yaesu FT-50 repair

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: unregistered@unregistered.com
Message-ID: <362389af.11051810@news.uga.edu>
Source record: 129257
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

One of the 3 power pins on the back of my radio has been damaged.
It also looks like the part that the pin attaches to inside the radio
has some slight damage. Does anyone know how much Yaesu typically
charges to repair damage like this? (the radio still turns on, the pin
hasn't completely broken off yet)

Thanks,

Steve

1290. FS: MFJ tuner, Palomar, Heathkit, Radio Shack

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Miller <rickie_miller@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <3623906C.2F00@yahoo.com>
Source record: 129258

For Sale: MFJ 945C Versa tuner, Good condition, $45; Palomar RX-100 Noise Bridge, like new, original box, never used, $45; Heathkit RF signal generator, 100 Khz - 110 Mhz, needs repair, $25; Radio Shack TRS-80 CoCo computer, 16K ram, chicklet keys, $25. E-mail direct to rickie_miller@yahoo.com.

1291. Re: Grundig YachtBoy 400 vs. Sony ICF-SW7600G

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Nicastri <tnic@IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <7004n8$e08@nnrp2.farm.idt.net>
Source record: 129259
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

SSB is useful if you listen to the ham bands.
When I cant get to a transmitter I can always listen in to my friends
using SSB.

In rec.radio.amateur.equipment Adam Mitchell <adamm@mindspring.com> wrote:
> I'm about to buy my first shortwave radio. I'm looking at the Grundig
> YachtBoy 400 and the Sony ICF-SW7600G, but I don't know enough to decide
> which one is better. My price limit is US$200.

> The Sony has SSB. Is that very important?

> Any advice would be greaty appreciated.

> Thanks,
> AM

1292. Re: Pros and Cons of VHF vs. family radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Levstik <donl@sh-gpl.ti.com>
Message-ID: <Pine.HPP.3.91.981013123542.26297A-100000@yoda.sh-gpl.ti.com>
Source record: 129260

On Sat, 10 Oct 1998 mckenzie7740@my-dejanews.com wrote:

> I want to purchase a portable radio that can be used from car to car but dont
> know which type is best. VHF, CB, or the new Motorolas ?
>
> -----== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
> http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum
>
>

You might want to consider the GMRS band. It is in the same UHF frequency
range as the FRS radios, but you can also operate with external antennas.

Your maximum output power is also much greater with GMRS. You can run up to
50 watts on the GMRS main channels, and in addition you can communicate on
the first 7 FRS channels with up to 5 watts of power as opposed to the FRS
limit of 500mW.

3-5 miles car to car is not difficult to attain with even a 5 watt radio and
external antenna. The severest limitation with FRS is the inability to use
external antennas. I doubt you will get over 1/2 mile car to car with
an FRS unit. Even outside the car the FRS range is only about 1 mile.

An excellent website dedicated to GMRS/FRS is at:

http://www.dougweb.com/gmrs.html

Don Levstik WD5JBC/KAF8588
e-mail: d-levstik@ti.com

1293. Re: Manual for FT757GX Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: alan@abaker.freeserve.co.uk
Message-ID: <3623991c.3786628@news.freeserve.net>
Source record: 129261

On 12 Oct 1998 16:48:37 GMT, "Roy & Marlene Richards"
<2ndbyte@kendaco.telebyte.com> wrote:

>I recently picked up a Yaesu Ft-757GX at a swap meet. The it was an estate
>sale and came with no manual. I would like to buy or borrow to copy a
>manual for this radio. e-mail at 2ndbyte@kendaco.telebyte.com or reply
>here.
>
>
>Thanks
>
>Roy Richards N7ARO
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>
Hi Roy I do have such a thing as my rig was stolen but the manual was
left behind and you are welcome to it.

73 Alan

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For Am7910 Adapter, High speed TNC's
PCB's and Kits Visit our Website
World Wide Web: http://www.g3kfn.com
Alan Baker (G3KFN)
Sysop AX25 BBS GB7PLY
Tel 44-1752-208955
Fax 44-1752-208954
Email alan@g3kfn.com

1294. Kwd battery differences? Help!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: nw2m@qsl.net
Message-ID: <700afccak1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129262
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Help! I have an old Kenwood TH-205AT handheld 2 meter transceiver. The original NiCad battery was a simple 8.4v @ 500 mah battery PB-2. Since the PB-2 is no longer produced, I found a replacement KNB-3 pack.

How is the KNB-3 rapid charge pack recharged? The original 500 ma DC charger will not charge this pack.

How do I charge a KNB-3 rapid charge pack? How is this different internally where the old (and simple) charger no longer works?

Thanks in advance,

Al, NW2M

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1295. Re: Replacement antenna for VX-1R?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: va3uxb@rac.ca
Message-ID: <E_MU1.8660$pn3.3767829@news.rdc1.on.wave.home.com>
Source record: 129263

I also find the Comet SMA-3 works great for out-of-band scanning. It is thin and flexible and not too long. However, for use inside the ham bands, I actually found the Yaesu stock antenna to be a superior performer... So I keep both antennas handy.

73 de Stephanie
VA3UXB

In article <3621214c.2113807@news.earthlink.net>, lewisgregory@earthlink.net says...
>
> I bought a Yaesu VX-1 from HRO in Atlanta this weekend, and while I like the
>radio OK so far, the stock antenna has just *got* to go. (But, hey, it's a
>factory dummy load from Yaesu--what else should I expect? My FT-530 was useless
>until Yaesu replaced the hard rubber antenna that came with it with a surplus
>FT-470 whip, which works great. Go figure.) Does anybody have any suggestions
>for a decent antenna to complement my VX-1?
>
>
>Check six,
>Lewis "Moose" Gregory
>+--
>lewisgregory@earthlink.net | ICQ UIN 745844 Amateur Radio: KS4RY
>Columbia, South Carolina
>+--
>Confederate States of America | WarBirds: "moose-"
>-----------------------------------+-----------------------------------
> Proud Member of the Flying Pigs Squadron - http://www.flyingpigs.com
> OINK! OINK! TO WAR!!
>---
> "Dammit, Beavis, quit screwing around. We've got an experiment to do."

1296. Re: ADI AT-600?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: va3uxb@rac.ca
Message-ID: <L2NU1.8661$pn3.3767829@news.rdc1.on.wave.home.com>
Source record: 129264

I have had an AT-600 since the begining of this year. I love it. You get all the features you'd expect in a rig made by one of the 'big three' at a fraction of the price. It contains more features than the HTX-204. ADI made the HTX204 for RS and they based it on the AT-600, but removed some of the 600's extra features for RS. Don't know what it's worth retail in the USA, but in Canada it's under $400C.

73 de Stephanie
VA3UXB

In article <6vtip3$l69$1@autumn.news.rcn.net>, globalcm@erols.com says...
>
>Does anyone have any opinions on the AT-600?
>Is it the Radio Shack HTX 204 in disguise?
>What is the average going price?
>
>Mike N2OX
>Long Island, NY
>
>--
>http://www.qsl.net/mid-islandarc
>http://members.aol.com/kg2mmike/n2ox/webpage.html
>
>

1297. Comments on the Magellan ColorTrak GPS receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Lyons <boblyons@umich.edu>
Message-ID: <36239E82.1A093BA5@umich.edu>
Source record: 129265

[While GPS receivers are not ham equipment, they are often used alongside amateur gear for APRS. My own interest is in ham applications, so I've posted this here in the rec.radio.amateur arena rather than look for GPS-specific hierarchies.]

I'm not one to look a gift horse in the mouth. I won a Magellan Colortrak GPS receiver in a drawing a few weeks ago, and it's the sort of thing I would never have bought on my own. I've enjoyed playing with it, but still there are some things about this GPS and the Magellan company I'd like to share with other hams. Perhaps someone else about to spend their hard-earned money will be able to make a more informed decision. The following are my own opinions:

POSITIVES:

GPS is great, and this receiver has its share of nifty features that allow one to make good use of the GPS system. The Colortrak saves 500 waypoints, and a couple hundred [?] routes, and displays where you are, where you were and where you are going in all sorts of neat windows. You can get plots of your movement, your projected course, your destination(s). This thing will display your speed on a pseudo-speedometer, your direction on a pseudo-compass, and your position on various format screens. It'll ring alarms when you get off course, when you approach landmarks, or when you move from an "anchored" location. All neat stuff.

I interfaced the Colortrak to a Mac Powerbook carrying the DeLorme Street Atlas, and now have a moving-map that shows my position in real time. I did the same thing with my palmtop computer (a PalmIII) and it, too, can show a moving map of location. Neat. :) Maybe I can write packet software for the PalmPilot and run a micro-sized APRS station.

NEGATIVES:

Someone at Magellan screwed up big time when they placed the data port on the *back* of the device. The plug sticks out substantially, and you can not set the Colortrak on a flat surface - say, a dashboard. It rolls around every time I turn a corner. Incredibly irritating. Furthermore, even if I don't have the data cable attached, the antenna itself protrudes from the back of the GPS when it is turned into upright (active) position. Methinks some engineer should be fired.

If you get this GPS, you'll want to get their upgraded firmware. The V1.0x firmware was slow and clunky; menus were sluggish in responding to input, and the device would seem to freeze periodically. Upgrading to V2.0x made it respond much faster. However, the newer version is very susceptable to "spoofed movement" - it interprets Selective Availability errors as changes

in position. This is especially irritating when walking, since the "plot" screen, which shows your course, swings around wildly as the device thinks you are changing course all the time. The old firmware did not do this. Methinks some software engineer screwed up.

If you DO get the firmware upgrade, be careful with the install. The directions they give for installing it are very badly written. Words are missing that change the meaning of critical steps. They say:

" If waypoints/routes existed in the receiver prior to
starting upload, then you have completed the software upgrade."

So you stop installing at this point ... and lose all your waypoints! This should actually read:

"If NO waypoints existed ... you have completed ..." etc. Unbelievable!

Quotation marks enclose seemingly-random chunks of the directions, which make it difficult to read. Some steps are poorly described. The new software itself is distributed as a .ZIP file, and any net-savvy person tries to unzip downloaded files - and finds it password protected. They neglect to tell you in the directions that their install program uses the raw .zip file, not the uncompressed data. Woulda been nice if they said so before I tried it on three machines with four unzipping app's. [Their Tech Support representative kept insisting that the instructions were fine - even citing portions that were NOT THERE!]. Methinks some technical writer should be demoted.

As I recall, the manual is appallingly bad, but since I don't have it nearby for reference, I can't be more specific. Bad organization, missing information, weak indexing, that sort of thing. What DOES it mean when the satellite signal strengths are shown as open bars, anyway? They don't say. How do you remove the removable antenna? what kind of cable/hardware can extend it? What pin on the data port supplies external power? Answers in the manual? Nada.

Lots of little flaws:
- the ColorTrak does position averaging - cool, but it doesn't show its 'Estimated Positional Error' while averaging. That piece of critical data is obliterated by the "Averaging" message!
- menu organization leaves something to be desired. It takes a lot of keypresses to get where you want to go. Some key sequences are the reverse of what I expected.
- With 500 waypoints in memory, it must be hellish to find one you want! They allow sorting by alphabetical, by nearest/farthest and by icon type. There ought to be some better organization method.
- the screen backlight is *really* dim. I need a flashlight to see it in the dark. Granted they want to conserve batteries, but come on!
- If you set up a route consisting of multiple waypoints, the "plot" screen shows the waypoints with route lines connecting them, but your position has no indication of direction to the next waypoint. If your course takes you very far off-track, the route goes off-screen, and you won't see any indication of what direction you should be going.

(yes, there may be workarounds for some of these perceived flaws - that's not the point, however).

I'd be interested in hearing other people's experiences with Magellan and their staff, as well as other GPS systems.

Bob, KI8AB

1298. HARRIS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: KB6LUE <kb6lue@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <36241A79.2B11@pacbell.net>
Source record: 129266

I am looking for a edgewise meter and manual for Harris RF-2305
RCVR/EXCTR.
Thanks
Jin KB6LUE

1299. Kenwood TM721 Mods needed for extended rx

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: owdsod@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981013144307.05874.00000145@ng44.aol.com>
Source record: 129267

Does anyone know of any mods to extend Rx covergage for te Kenwood TN721E dual bander
DE John G8JIT email Owdsod or JohnMck66 @aol.com

1300. FS Timewave DSP-59Y NEW

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alan Caplan <alan.caplan@cwix.com>
Message-ID: <w5NU1.58$uO2.188@news.cwix.com>
Source record: 129268

Brand new DSP-59Y never used. Fits into Yeasu SP-5 or SP-6 speaker ONLY. I used one of two in my SP-5 with FT-1000D. $200 plus $10 for shipping. Retail price is $389 AES Cat. Save enough to buy a speaker cabinet.

Alan Caplan K4AVQ & P40AV ex: W0RIC
14020 140th Court
Apple Valley, MN 55124-9422
612-431-5070 Call between 9am to 10pm CDST

ex: Sales Manager Timewave 93-98 and Hy-Gain 82-92

1301. FS Telex Contester Headset

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alan Caplan <alan.caplan@cwix.com>
Message-ID: <VaNU1.62$uO2.77@news.cwix.com>
Source record: 129269

Like new with cloth covers Telex Contester
headset part # 62400-155 wired for TS-950SD
with headphone jack and 8 pin mic plug. with
box very few hours. Low impedence $50+$5
shipping USA.

Alan K4AVQ & P40AV
14020 140th Court
Apple Valley, MN 55124-9422
612-431-5070

1302. Re: Cross Band repeat on Kenwood TM-732A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: n7hmf@ucares.org
Message-ID: <700f9e$k2e$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129270

The TM-732A does crossband repeat. It actually does a pretty good job of it. The only weirdness I have noted is that it sometimes does not want to let you out of crossband mode when there is a signal being repeated. You end up disconnecting the antenna, exiting crossband, and then reconnecting the antenna.

In article <362246b5.16534861@news.garlic.com>,
ke6jgn@garlic.com (Brent Bolen) wrote:
> Has anyone been able to get their TM-732A to cross band repeat? I
> have followed the instructions in the manual, and it does not work.
>
> Thanks,
> ke6jgn
>
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1303. Azden 2 meter picture/info needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: jordan@santanet.com
Message-ID: <700idg$q27$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129271

I have a deal working for my HTX-100 radio with a guy that has an Azden 3000 2 meter radio. Does anyone have a picture of this radio and any kind of specifications on it? Any info or a web site would be greatly appreciated.

Thanks,

Paul Jordan
KL0AN
Fairbanks, AK

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1304. Re: W9GR DSP kit recommendations??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: cookt@ouvaxa.cats.ohiou.edu
Message-ID: <F0s74J.1sD@boss.cs.ohiou.edu>
Source record: 129272

In article <36226660.10364428@news.u-net.com>, gagnon@gagnon.fakeu-net.com (Larry Gagnon) writes:
>Has anyone built the W9GR Digital Signal Processor kit? If so, what do
>you think of it and is it worth the money? Any tricks to its
>assembly??
>
>Larry MW0AWC
>===
>to send me direct email remove "fake" from my email
>address. Please don't try to sell me anything! Thanks
>===

This is a very simple kit to build. I also believe this
unit is the best DSP unit on the market. I use one and have
sold many more just showing other hams who come over and catch
a demo. There is a WEB Page that has recordings showing how
great this unit is. If you e-mail me I'll pass it along.

Tim Cook WB8BCO tcook1@ohiou.edu

1305. icom w32 transmit mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jed Barton <jbarton@ici.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.SUN.3.96.981013164042.902A-100000@klingon>
Source record: 129273

Hey guys, i have an Icom w32 that i need to modify for extended transmit. Can any of you help. Please reply to me directly to jbarton@ici.net or to n1jbc@qsl.net. I look forward to hearing from you. Tnx and 73 from Jed.n1jbc.

1306. Re: Message from Murray::::NERO FIDDLED WHILE ROME BURNED !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <700bu3$ju2@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 129274
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

In article <36215CED.4392C080@iglobal.net>,
J. Murray Neece <kc5mdm@iglobal.net> wrote:
>> :
>
>I understand that some of you might have missed this....here it is
>again...hopefull in a plain enuff format for all.M
>
>> Message from Murray:::: "NERO FIDDLED WHILE ROME BURNED "
>>
>>
>>
>> Well now, more comment from more people showing thier amazing
>> intelligence and lack of any real understanding, or much to
>> do (about nothing)...actually it appears that many have not
>> much to do... But heres a statement of policy from Me: Murray
>> Neece, in the convenience store business in Odessa, Tx....My
>> hobby is buying and selling and trading and swapping ham
>> radio, antiques, musical instruments, and even ocasionnally
>> some restaurant equipment....HOBBY I said.... (I have some
>> nice DRINK coolers right now but wrong group unless you want
>> to keep your cash and radios cold) Its a hobby, if you dont
>> like my posts, pass em by.....If you shake my tree...expect
>> the more rotten peaches to fall....maybe on your head...if you
>> want a war of words, go to www.biteme.com and fight with
>> him...I LOVE THIS RADIO STUFF...Join me tonite on the Sun Nite
>> Continental traders net 3.922 at 8pm central....My deal are
>> honest, I back my sales, I return money to those unhappy, and
>> I rarely whine about the crap you "once in a while ers" send
>> me as "Great clean radios" Phewwwww.....I shouldnt send this
>> cause I know it will draw comment, which I really dont want
>> and dont intend to respond to anymore...Back to FUN..... 17
>> mtr CW is open, why not catch me there and voice your opinions
>> , if youve got all nite, hi hi...73 Murray K5MDM PS:
>> Remember, if I offend you, so do you..........offend me! OH
>> YEAH, and to you PRICE POLICE, I have no problem with those
>> who sell for less, they know what thier stuff is worth........
>
> DO YOU GET IT GERALD?
>

Hi Gang - Please accept this gentle reminder of the following item that
appears in the rec.radio.swap FAQ/charter:

"PLEASE DO NOT POST DISCUSSION ARTICLES TO THIS GROUP. If you really must post, please do so to the appropriate discussion group. Use email whenever possible, especially if you feel someone has committed a breach of etiquette."

(The full FAQ is posted by myself on the 15th of each month.)

Take care,
Jeff KH2PZ (rec.radio.amateur working-group)

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1307. Re: Icom's Tri-Band HT.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed Gaitley <ecgaitley@mail.hac.com>
Message-ID: <3623BEE2.5D1936C@mail.hac.com>
Source record: 129275

I was talking to one of their tech reps today and found
out that Maha has just come out with a NiMh battery for
the T8. Don't know anything else more about it than
that. I suggest you contact Maha about cost and
availability. I think their URL is www.maha-comm.com

Ed

Robert Lyons wrote:
>
>
> - I highly recommend the Maha universal charger. It pumps these
> batteries back to full charge in no time. Does Maha make any
> replacement batteries for the IC-T8A? Maybe a high-capacity
> one, like they've done for the yaesu FT-50?
>
> Bob, KI8AB

1308. Re: Icom's Tri-Band HT.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Lyons <boblyons@umich.edu>
Message-ID: <3623C45A.4E74FDF3@umich.edu>
Source record: 129276

Ed Gaitley wrote:
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> out that Maha has just come out with a NiMh battery for
> the T8. Don't know anything else more about it than
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> availability. I think their URL is www.maha-comm.com
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> > one, like they've done for the yaesu FT-50?
> >
> > Bob, KI8AB

Yup, actually I saw it on their web site after I posted my message.
It's 680 mAh, just like the ICOM battery, but cheaper - about $60
instead of $80-something. Another battery is 700 mAh at a lower voltage.

Bob, KI8AB

1309. Re: Pros and Cons of VHF vs. family radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: bdiaz@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6vu70roch1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129277

In article <36224EED.F9A8D6AC@umich.edu>,

<Note: Some things cut to save space.>

boblyons@umich.edu wrote:
> Clarification on a few points from the previous poster:
>
> bdiaz@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>
> > VHF (Ham Radio):
> >
> > This does require a license AND you can't use Ham Radio for business.
>
> [snip comments about busy channels and repeaters]
>
> The 2-meter ham band has plenty of unused frequency space allocated to
> simplex use. When on the highway, I rarely hear people on even the calling
> frequency (146.52), let alone the other simplex frequencies. Typical car-
> to-car distances should *easily* beat CB or FRS radios, especially when
> you put quarter-wave antennas on each car (cheap, easy to homebrew). Add
> amplifiers (illegal on FRS and CB) for extra reliability. I've talked
> home-to-car at 65 miles distance using only 5 watts on each end.
>
> Of course, a repeater gives the greatest distance, if that's what you
> need. By looking up the repeaters before the trip, both drivers can agree
> on what repeaters they'll use during each leg of the trip. You'll be able
> to communicate 30-60 miles apart, with careful planning.
>
> So, in my opinion, VHF ham radio (or UHF, if you've got the gear) is the
> best choice for car-to-car communications, whether you need distance,
> reliability or simply a quiet channel ... as long as all participants have
> the license.
>
> Bob, KI8AB
>

Dear Bob (KI8AB),

The issue of clear frequencies depends on where you live. I live in the
LA area, so even an odd frequency 144.400 MHz does get used at times.
My son (Michael, KF6LJA) and I talk on this frequency when I drive home.
Most of the time the frequency is open, but there are days when it's
in use. I assume 2 meter frequency use isn't as heavy in ANN ARBOR, MI.

LA and it's neighbor, Orange County have grown into each other. So while
1 in 300 people are a licensed Ham, with millions and millions out there,

it does make for a lot of Hams in this area. ANN ARBOR is no small town <smile>, but I'm sure you have as many people in your area as I have. Still, even with all the Hams in our area, one can go to 220 MHz and 440 MHz and still find some room.

If one lives in an area like LA, NY City, San Fransisco, ... where the whole area has a massive population, finding a free frequency all the time on 2 meters is tough. (My son and I find 144.400 free most of the time.) On the other hand, I know of some places like Orifino (spelling?), Idaho, where there are lots of open frequencies. In fact, the Hams there couldn't understand why I'd have a rig that operates in the 440 MHz band. They said, "Nobody uses that band!" They were right, I scanned the band over and over, it wasn't a case of finding clear frequencies, it was a case of finding the whole band clear! :-)

I aggree with you, if both parties are willing to work within the rules and get licenses, the VHF and UHF Ham Bands can't be beat.

73,
Bob
KQ6WQ

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1310. Re: Replacement antenna for VX-1R?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: clintbrad4d@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <6vu60lmkn1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129278

In article <3621214c.2113807@news.earthlink.net>,
lewisgregory@earthlink.net (Lewis Gregory) wrote:
> I bought a Yaesu VX-1...

All us VX-1R owners check out this great site weekly to see what's new and exciting for our little HTs:

http://www.icongrp.com/~sllewd/

If length isn't of concern, then (a) you're happily married, or (b) get the Pryme/ADI/Premier 19" very-thin-and-flexible whip antenna in SMA male mount. It performs very well with the VX-1R. I have also had good results with the SMA-503 from Comet.

While you're improving your VX-1R, please look at the replacement belt clip that Bob Dashoff offers (there's a link on the site above.) The stock one sure didn't please me. Bob's Motorola clip WILL allow you to still use your leather case, too!

- Clint Bradford, KE6LCS

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1311. Re: How do you like FT-50RD?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: clintbrad4d@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <6vu6i3$ni4$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129279

In article <6vrc06qcl1@SOLAIR2.EUnet.yu>,
"Brana From YU" <kbrana@eunet.yu> wrote:
> I'd like to buy a Yaesu FT-50RD. So tell me something about it.

Solid performer. And as ergonomic as they come...What other HT can you hold in your left hand and be able to change channels, adjust volume, key the mike, open up the squelch, and turn on the lamp WITH ONLY YOUR THUMB?

It is physically different...it's short and squatty. Like a hand grenade. I got used to it immediately.

I also like Maha's FNB-47 NiMH 1800mAH replacement batteries...which will be closer to 2000mAH pretty soon. Match them with Maha's MH-C777a Universal Conditioner/Charger, and you have a formidible setup. The Maha charger will properly charge both NiCd and NiMH packs - right out of the box. Nothing else to purchase!

I also have the ADMS-1 software package...which makes programming a breeze.

Get one. You will enjoy it.

- Clint Bradford, KE6LCS

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1312. HELP!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4cnw@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981012200731.16728.00000266@ng140.aol.com>
Source record: 129280

Neep manual for Heathkit HW-7 QRP rig. Photo copy ok.
E-mail K4CNW@qsl.net.

TNX - Jack

1313. WTB_ handheld- brand unimportant

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: dbbadge@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981012202235.28140.00000204@ng55.aol.com>
Source record: 129281

Looking for a modified handheld that will transmit 150 to 160 Mhz-email me with what you have

1314. ISO:PCRC/2 Repeater Controller & Thanks

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: brienm@teleport.com
Message-ID: <brienm.12.00122DCB@teleport.com>
Source record: 129282

All I can say is WOW! Thanks to all that have e-mailed me about a posting I placed looking for an inexpensive repeater controller. I have one other request. About three years ago I was using a computer based repeater controller. It belonged to someone else and I no longer have use of it. It had all the bell&#65533;s and whistles to include multiple voice messages, voice mail for users, two tone and DTMF signaling. It was called a PCRC/2 repeater controller. Not to be mistaken for the controllers made by NHRC. I have tried to find them on the web and in both ham and commercial radio magazines. Does anyone know if they are still around? If anyone has one or information about finding one or the company please e-mail me. brienm@teleport.com . Again many thanks!

Brien Morris - N7UMJ
Beaverton, OR

1315. Re: Anyone still love the hobby

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <6vu9p3$16n@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 129283
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <6vtljf$1ek@fcnews.fc.hp.com>, Ron Miller <ron@fc.hp.com> wrote:
>Steve Sampson (ssampson@access.usa-site.net) wrote:

>: There's four things to hang on your wall: 1) Your High School
>: Diploma, 2) Your College Bachelors Degree, 3) Your College
>: Masters Degree, and 4) Your Doctorate.

>Actually, you probably should hang your station license there so
>you don't forget to renew it in time.
>
>But then again, I don't know why you'd waste space with the above when
>you could put other things that are more meaningful up instead.
>(like photos of places you'd like to return to, awards from other
>parts of your life, a poster or two......)

Better: Photos of your family.

Jeff KH2PZ

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1316. Re: Anyone still love the hobby

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Branch <k4nr@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <01bdf649$2adcc980$44ae1b26@default>
Source record: 129284
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Trish,

Many people enjoy contesting and DXing in addition to ragchewing. Don't be too hasty to determine what is and is not a waste of spectrum. I enjoy manu aspects of the ARS and don't judge what others enjoy...

73 de Tom, K4NR

Patricia Gibbons <wa6ube@ix.netcom.com> wrote in article <362247B4.2083@ix.netcom.com>...
> you are, then that's your niche in ham radio. Personally,
> exchanging signal strength reports and qsl information, only
> to run off and do the same to the next station seems a waste
> of spectrum resources...

1317. Re: Wanted Info on small HTs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Antonio Bruno <acunha@gate.net>
Message-ID: <JlyU1.207$9R2.416458@news4.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 129285

If you want a DualBand transceiver with built-in VOX , I have this
masterpiece for sell/trade:
(trade with ShortWave radio like Sony ICF-SW77 or Drake R-8)
It's a Yaesu FT-530. It's a dual band FM transceiver. I bought it brand-new
at 09/04/1996.
I have all original stuff : accessories, manuals, box, Ni-Cd battery FNB-25,
invoice, etc. ..
Serial Number: 4M410220
Include a YH-2 Headset for VOX.
I'm asking US$400 (include USPS Priority mail).
It's looks like new.

Please, reply via email or Tel/Fax:
Antonio R. Bruno da Cunha
Miami FL
Tel (305) 567-1985
Fax (305) 774-9471
e-mail: acunha@gate.net
PU2YAQ

Yaesu FT-530 features:
Dual Band - 2m and 70 cm.
Frequency coverage:
2m - RX: 110-174 Mhz (with AM for the aircraft band).
2m - TX: 144-148 Mhz.
70 cm - RX: 420-470 Mhz.
70 cm - TX :430-450 Mhz.
4 TX Power levels (5.0/3.0/1.5/.5 watts).
82 memory channels.
Dual CTCSS Decoder.
Digital battery voltage readout.
Automatic CTCSS - Tone search.
Automatic battery saver.
Automatic tone search (ATS).
Automatic power off.
Backlite keypad and display with time delay.
Transit battery saver.
Built-in VOX.
One touch reverse button.
Dual in Band receive (V+V; U+U).
Programable external speaker audio.
Optional Digital Display Mic with S meter.
AM aircraft receive.
Digital clock.

Direct DC input jack.

duane olexa wrote in message <361FB22F.3511@1st.net>...
>i am thinking of getting one of the Very small HTs.
>
>looking at the Icom ic-q7a, Alinco c5, and Yaesu vx1.
>
>i wondered if ayone had anything in particular good or bad to
>say about any of these. this would NOT be my main HT, still
>have my trusty Kenwood th78, just something VERY small to carry.
>
>duane wm8n

1318. Re: WTB: BIG OLD XMTG TUBES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: MAK <blusky@internetcds.com>
Message-ID: <01bdf650$aa9d6420$39881ad0@blusky>
Source record: 129286
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap

why would I want to deal with a tube dealer in Norway when we can all have
fun trading over here in the states??

DEMOSTENES A. Goksoyr <arnoldg@sf.telia.no> wrote in article
<36210460.710399@news1.telia.com>...
> On 11 Oct 1998 04:00:17 GMT, "MAK" <blusky@internetcds.com> wrote:
>
> >Wanted big old xmtg tubes i.e.:
> >211
> >212
> >801
> >810
> >833
> >845
> >849
> >851
> >250TL
> >304TL
> >450TL
>
> I have some of these in stock and a lot of others, also many European
> types. Visit my homepage for a complete list, prices etc.
>
> Regards,
>
> Arnold Goksoyr
>
> DEMOSTENES A. Goksoyr
> N5850 Balestrand
> NORWAY
> Phone +47 5769 1340
> Fax +47 5769 1267
> e-mail arnoldg@sf.telia.no
>
> New and better homepage with valves, sockets, transformers,
> caps, resistors and books about valves and valve equipment
> 1800 different valves in stock. Many rare European types.
> You will find it at my homepage: http://demostenes.vestdata.no
>

1319. Re: JUSTIFICATION FOR CW

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: rfjim@mft.com
Message-ID: <35cf2fd8.983081@news.mft.com>
Source record: 129287

I agree when was the last time anyone had to send or copy cw at 12 wpm other than because they wanted to. to show their skill, or whatever, the code requirement strikes me as a snobby requirement to belong to the country club, if cw gets through it will get through at 5wpm no need for 12 or 20 wpm. its likened to hand turn signals, which I had to demonstrate knowledge of years ago but no one uses any more. we can now tap out on a keyboard words which can be translated into code and recieve cw through a code reader, but alas even though the very heart and soul of our new pride and joy bell and whistle 1000d and 950 rigs are computers, the master developers of these devices are not drawn to but rather turned away from this hobby, because they cant. wont or dont have time to pound away day after day to learn 20 wpm code. I think its time to move into the 21st century with our liscense requirements, a friend of mine insists that the hobby will suffer because we will end up with cbers on the ham bands, many of us were once cbers and took the test and became hams the lack of code dosen't change that. If you have to study and pass a test, to be a ham, I think things will remain the same. On 1 Aug 1998 20:33:11 -0400, louie@va.pubnix.com (Louis A. Mamakos) wrote:

>In article <35c38b79.1033902@news.earthlink.net>,
>J. Pratt <no8rf@juno.com> wrote:
>>Not because Grandpa did it but because it is required by the Fcc or is
>>it that you don't think you should learn morse code ? remember when
>>all else fails code gets thru. Be happy that the ARRL has requested a
>>change in the Lic system and now General or class C ops will only have
>>to know 5WPM code and extra 12WPM will that make you happy ?
>>Seems you just want something for nothing....maybe we should lower the
>>standards to become a pilot too.
>
>And while we're at it, we ought to add testing for proper buggy-whip
>usage to our driver's license test.
>
>Please spare the me "when all else fails, CW get's through" argument.
>There are much more efficient modulation methods with superior
>performance than CW. Of course, you can't build them with just
>spark-gap transmitters or vacuum tubes, so I guess they don't count.
>
>Is it really all that bad to change the license structure and testing
>requirements to reflect the world we actually live in these days (and
>I mean outside of Amateur Radio, too)?
>
>louie
>wa3ymh

>TECH+ since 1974

1320. WANT INFO: HM-8 mic wiring diagram

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: ni6l@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <6vudao$icu@dfw-ixnews3.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 129288

HI,
I need the wiring info for an ICOM HM-8 hand mic (color of wire and
pin number). Thanks,
Tim

1321. WTB:Harris Meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: KB6LUE <kb6lue@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <362334F5.4979@pacbell.net>
Source record: 129289

Hi
Wanted: Edgewise meter and manual for Harris RF-2305 RCVR/EXTR.
Thanks
Jin KB6LUE

1322. Re: How do you like FT-50RD?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: yung@nospam.com
Message-ID: <3622beff.15821329@news.flashcom.com>
Source record: 129290

Clint,

Is that Maha FNB-47 a 5 Watt (9.6v) battery? 1800mAH wow?!!

On Tue, 13 Oct 1998 00:23:31 GMT, clintbrad4d@earthlink.net wrote:

>In article <6vrc06qcl1@SOLAIR2.EUnet.yu>,
> "Brana From YU" <kbrana@eunet.yu> wrote:
>> I'd like to buy a Yaesu FT-50RD. So tell me something about it.
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>Solid performer. And as ergonomic as they come...What other HT can you hold
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>to purchase!
>
>I also have the ADMS-1 software package...which makes programming a breeze.
>
>Get one. You will enjoy it.
>
> - Clint Bradford, KE6LCS
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1323. wtb ten tec 234 speech processor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: rhka0fbj@netins.net
Message-ID: <6vugbf$2os$1@ins8.netins.net>
Source record: 129291
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

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Net-Tamer V 1.10 - Test Drive
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1324. FS: Collins VFO, mechanical filters, other filters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marv_E_Ads@Juno.com
Message-ID: <6vuco5voa1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129292

********** COLLINS & other goodies
****

Collins 70E-15 VFO "new"... well, 35 years old but apparently unused.
Typically used in a 51J receiver. $100

---------- Mechanical Filters ----------

Collins F455K-15 (526-9168-00) 1.5KHz BW - tubular metal package "new" $100
Collins F455N-20 (526-9163-00) 2.1KHz BW - tubular metal package "new" $100
Collins F455FA-21 (526-9427-00) 2.1KHz BW - plastic package "new" $100

Kokusai MF-455ZL-21H 2.1KHz -3dB@2.1KHz, -6dB@2.5KHz, -66dB@4KHz.
Rectangular metal package "new" $100

---------- Crystal Filter ----------

McCoy 48B1 Golden Guardian 9 MHz Filter w/matching BFO crystals "NIB" $100

All of the above plus shipping, naturally! :-)

Contact Marv, WC6W, 310 649 3111 (reasonable hours Pacific
Time please) or via: Marv_E_Ads@Juno.com

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1325. Re: Icom IC-U16 Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: lcifelli@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981012211922.22781.00000341@ng84.aol.com>
Source record: 129293

What do you want for the Manual??

1326. BatLabs Updates/Domain Change

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: batlabs@spamisevil.batlabs.com
Message-ID: <3622edfb.185002792@news.rct1.bc.wave.home.com>
Source record: 129294
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.lmr-commercial,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Greetings everyone, we have some news to share with you!!

We have a new home!! We are now located at http://www.batlabs.com
Please update your bookmarks.

Additionally, after 36 hours of work, we have a bunch of updates to
share as well. These include:

-Added the cloning cable pinout, cloning instructions, and 99 channel
scan programming info to the HT600/MT1000/P200 page

-Added Pac/RT and Type I to Type II/IIi trunking conversion infor to
the Maxtrac page

-Updated the model chart and added channel expansion info and the
power connector pinout to the MCX1000 page

-Re-scanned the MTSX model chart

-Added B5 to C7 conversion info the the Spectra page

-Added info on adding conventional personalities to trunking STX's

-Added some out of band info for 5-tone GP300's

-Added the R.I.C.K. schematic

-Added some info on the mic connector for the Maxar 50 and the power
connector for the Moxy

-Added a PROM conversion chart for the Syntrx

-Corrected an error on the pager RIB schematic

-Added the pinout and schematic of the PL board for the SP10

-Added the programming cable pinout for the MTR-2000 repeater

-Added some info on adding channels to an SM50

-Added another possible dongle pinout for TK

-Added a link to get MoSlo for slowing your machine down

-Made a correction to the Spectra 900 programming cable

-Updated the WANTED page.

SO, come visit the premier Motorola 2-way information page at our new
home on the internet. There is no one else who compares (actually,

there is no one else, period :)).

Thanks,

Bat Wing

1327. test

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: no-baumann-spam@dave-world.net
Message-ID: <MPG.108cb25b6f3b0f7b9896d5@news.dave-world.net>
Source record: 129295

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Testing post.
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-
remove no- -spam
George
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1328. Re: WTB: BIG OLD XMTG TUBES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Farrelly <Brian.Farrelly@nho.hydro.com>
Message-ID: <3622FB84.23A62587@nho.hydro.com>
Source record: 129296
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap

MAK wrote:

> why would I want to deal with a tube dealer in Norway when we can all have
> fun trading over here in the states??
>

Now there's a guy who appreciates an international hobby! Why call CQ DX
when you can work the next state?

--
mailto:Brian.Farrelly@nho.hydro.com Norsk Hydro Research Centre
(((N-5020 Bergen
phone +47 55 99 68 74 2oooS Norway
fax +47 55 99 64 40 HYDRO

1329. Like the FT-50RD!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe <mitstoll@flinet.com>
Message-ID: <3622F8CB.9BEA425D@flinet.com>
Source record: 129297

Nice to read this, knowing it was best to rid myself of the W32A and get one of these. I am very happy with it. Great little radio. And with these after market options available, it is even nicer!

1330. Re: Anyone still love the hobby

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cregger <ecregger@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <6vuv21qbv1@camel15.mindspring.com>
Source record: 129298

Steve Sampson wrote
> (snip)
>There's four things to hang on your wall: 1) Your High School
>Diploma, 2) Your College Bachelors Degree, 3) Your College
>Masters Degree, and 4) Your Doctorate.
>
>Everything else is akin to mowing the lawn...
(snip)

Wouldn't it be better just to patch the holes and repaint the wall?

When one considers that at least half of what is studied to obtain the aforementioned degrees is merely material to help educate the lowly peasant to the point of not misbehaving in the presence of royalty, even those pieces of paper appear rather foolish. At least here in the USA. We kicked the royalists out many years ago. I guess we need to work on kicking the elitists out next.

The only true measure of a human being is their character. Pieces of paper do not address the issue.

Ed Cregger, NM2K
ecregger@mindspring.com
Not a paper collector of any variety - except some currency

1331. FS- Kenwood

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dr. Mark W. Hoffman" <MOS_INC@olywa.net>
Message-ID: <362312F8.D6DBEF28@olywa.net>
Source record: 129299
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: vcard.vcf

Need to sell. Thanks for reading.
Kenwood- all items are in new condition in original boxes with all
manuals, etc.

TS-690S -HF+6meters, tone board, MARS
mods.....$950
DSP--100 -matching external digital processing
unit.....$200
SP-23 -matching extenal
speaker.....$75
PS-53 -matching heavy duty power
supply.....$235

I would like to sell this as a complete set and will discount it to sell
it all together--I will take $1,100 for and u ship.

Kenwood TM-V7A- as new in original
box.....$400
Kenwood PS-33- matching power supply, as new in box.....$200
MFJ-817 2m/440 cross needle meter, as new in
box.....$60

I will sell all of the Kenwood VHF/UHF stuff above as complete set for
$550.

also have:
MFJ-989C- deluxe 3KW roller inductor tuner with SWR/Power meters
in as new condition in original box with
manual.....$250

Thanks for reading my ad. Please respond to MHOFFMAN@olywa.net or call
me at home after 6pm pacific time at
360-491-7216.
Mark Hoffman- N7QN

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

1332. Alinco EDX-2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Armstrong <davidta@bigpond.com>
Message-ID: <36232529.E8044E4A@bigpond.com>
Source record: 129300

Hi All,

I have an Alinco DX70TH with an EDX-2 ATU in the car.
Problem is that the ATU can't be located near the antenna but has to be back inside the cab.
Try as I might, I can't find an antenna system that will work in this arrangement with the output of the atu converted to a coax feed to the antenna mount.

Has anybody had any similar experiences ???

Please help.

Replys to davidta@bigpond.com please.

Thank you
David Armstrong
davidta@bigpond.com

1333. W9GR DSP kit recommendations??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: gagnon@gagnon.fakeu-net.com
Message-ID: <36226660.10364428@news.u-net.com>
Source record: 129301

Has anyone built the W9GR Digital Signal Processor kit? If so, what do you think of it and is it worth the money? Any tricks to its assembly??

Larry MW0AWC
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to send me direct email remove "fake" from my email address. Please don't try to sell me anything! Thanks
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1334. WANTED FT-107M

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: drradio1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981013062059.11783.00000003@ng22.aol.com>
Source record: 129302

Hello

I need a Yaesu FT-107M for parts.. actually what I need is the freq display, I need an IC chip to repair my radio but it is no longer available from Yaesu..Par for the course.. Can anyone help..??

Robert

1335. Re: Digital receivers, scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiomatt@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981013063243.24902.00000007@ng-fd2.aol.com>
Source record: 129303

>Does anyone know what the format of digital radios is?
>(TDMA, CDMA)
>
>And did Congress ban the ownership of civilian ownership
>of digital receivers?
>
>
>
>

OK, I assume you're talking about cellular and PCS.
Cellular operates at 800-900 MHz and PCS in the range of 1800-2000 MHz.

There are different standards

AMPS analog (also N-AMPS where the channels are still NBFM, but narrower)

AMPS digital (IS-54(CDMA) or IS-136(TDMA))

GSM (a form of TDMA developed in Europe)

IS-661(CDMA highly advanced...only used in New York's Omnipoint system...the
wave of the future and the reason they got the Pioneerrs Preference)

These are the dominant types.

ALSO:

Nextel uses a form of TDMA (3 to 1 for telephony and 6-to1 for dispatch)

Geotek (now bankrupt and going out of business) uses a form of CDMA

No, ownership is not banned, but using them is. Probably THINKING of using them
may be banned too.

1336. WTB Cromemeco Dazzler or Computalker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Wood <rwood54741@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <36232E39.CC6@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 129304

Please email me if you have one and
wisn to sell it.

Thanks,

Bob

1337. Q.: Info wanted for Icom IC-24AT, European modification of 440 to 430

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: fj@sni.dk
Message-ID: <36233ea7.12753576@149.212.63.99>
Source record: 129305

Hi Fellows,

I just got myself a ICOM IC-24AT on a trip to NY. Well back home i find that the US version is transmiting on 440-450 only, but in Denmark we use 430-440. I know about the HW-mod with the diode DA204u, to let the tx run on a very wide space, but do anybody know of a mod, just letting the tx run 430-440? The RX is OK. I used the Light,B,# combination, turnd on - and RX plays FB.

Its a very nice rig, just want to transmit on 430-440

In advance I thak you - Have a nice day

Best 73 de OZ2Q - Frits in Copenhagen - fj@sni.dk

1338. Re: Anyone still love the hobby

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stockton <david_stockton@hp.com>
Message-ID: <3623333F.5BD5@hp.com>
Source record: 129306
Cross-posted to: att.ham-radio,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.spa

Jim wrote:
>
> Maybe that's because you don't understand the reason for it, Mike.
> The driving factor for many HF operators is the DXCC award. Last
> nite, on 15 meter CW, I worked 423 stations in Europe in about 3
> hours. A few probably called for pileup practice, but most of them
> just wanted a contact for a 'new one', another QSL card. I probably
> worked 95% of the stations I could hear, but I didn't work everybody.
>

It seems to me that working 100 countries is actually fairly easy given just a modest station and average sunspots. Getting the cards seems to be the devil, and then there's the nuisance of getting them to a checker if you don't happen to live in the USA.(actually, there was an accredited card-checker operating at the RSGB HF convention last weekend, which saved a number of people having to trust sometimes irreplacable records to the post)

DXCC certificates impress me, but chiefly as evidence of the perseverence of the operator and his or her skill in navigating pile-ups. The people with scores approaching the total number of countries that have ever existed have devoted most of their lifetimes to their pursuit, which has to be impressive. I find a station that can run moonbounce SSB just as impressive, I find a homebrew transceiver - especially if it isn't directly built to a published design equally impressive, too. The good thing about this hobby is that people can exert themselves in different ways.

> I wouldn't have had many, if any, meaningful conversations if I had
> spent a half hour per contact, instead of 20 seconds. And the end
> result is all the same. Nobody called me, they called my QSL card...

I'd never thought of that in those terms. That's a startlingly good way of putting it.

Cheers
David GM4ZNX

1339. Trade: P-II333mmx for Dual Band Mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Burkett <bburkett@nb.net>
Message-ID: <y8HU1.534$sH4.1077@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 129307

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Trade new in box Acer AX6L Mainboard with Intel P-II 333mmx and 64 Mb DIMM
for nice dual band mobile
(reseller)
Email bburkett@nb.net
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1340. FS: Alinco DJ-190TD $85

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Harris <aharris@bookworm.suffolk.lib.ny.us>
Message-ID: <6vvejupld1@news01.li.net>
Source record: 129308

My friend Ed, W2SOB, has two Alinco DJ-190TD 2-meter HT's for sale.
They put out 2 watts with 4AA batteries, or 5 watts with either the
optional NiCd Pack or an external 12 volt supply.

40 memories, RX 136 t0 174 MHz, PL encode, Time out timer, etc.

These are in brand new condition with the Owners Manual, Warranty Card,
Rubber Duck, and 4AA battery holder.

$85 each or $160 for the pair.

Please reply to:
Art Harris, N2AH
n2ah@sprynet.com
or
aharris@suffolk.lib.ny.us

1341. FS: 3KV PLATE POWER TRANSFORMER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Ship <ve2js@total.net>
Message-ID: <362346C5.6492@total.net>
Source record: 129309

FOR SALE HAMMOND 3 KV PLATE POWER TRANSFORMER.

Brand New. Still in the crate. Hammond No. 37478.
2900-0-2900 volt @ 750ma ICAS rating.

Weight approx. 100 lbs.

For sale USD $200. plus transport.

1342. FS: GEN RADIO ADJUSTABLE AIR LINE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Ship <ve2js@total.net>
Message-ID: <36234758.44FA@total.net>
Source record: 129310

GENERAL RADIO 874LAL ADJUSTABLE AIR LINE.
Freq. range DC to 7GHz. Adjustment length 25cm.
50 ohm impedance collapsed -- to 57 ohm fully extended.
874 type locking connectors.

These are brand new. I have a quantity of these.
For sale @ (USD) $60. each plus shipping.

1343. FS: ANTIQUE RADIO TUBES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Ship <ve2js@total.net>
Message-ID: <3623477D.159E@total.net>
Source record: 129311

FOR SALE Antique tubes (new in original boxes).

3 only RK60
2 only RK39
For sale @ $15. each (U.S.$) plus shipping

Please reply via email to: ve2js@total.net

Joe Ship, VE2JS
5637 Melling Ave.
Montreal, Que. Canada. H4W 2C1

phone: 514 482-6500
fax: 514 482-0828

1344. FS: UHF CAVITY FILTERS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Ship <ve2js@total.net>
Message-ID: <3623479A.20C@total.net>
Source record: 129312

FOR SALE UHF CAVITY FILTERS

Mfg. by TELEWAVE INC., Mountainview, CA.

2 only pass cavities for UHF Mod. TWPC 4508-1
These are in like new condition
JPG photo available by on request.

For sale at U.S. $125. each (U.S.D) plus shipping.
Please reply to:

Joe Ship, VE2JS
5637 Melling Ave.
Montreal, Que. Canada H4W 2C1

phone: (514) 482-6500
fax: (514) 482-0828
email: ve2js@total.net

1345. FS: GEN. RADIO 940G DECADE INDUCTOR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Ship <ve2js@total.net>
Message-ID: <362347C9.45E0@total.net>
Source record: 129313

GENERAL RADIO 940G DECADE INDUCTOR.
100 mH step. 10 steps.

For sale @ (USD) $100. plus shipping.

Please contact:

Joe Ship, VE2JS
5637 Melling Ave.
Montreal, Que. Canada H4W 2C1

phone: (514) 482-6500
fax: (514) 482-0828
email: ve2js@total.net

1346. FS: H.P. UHF SIG. GEN.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Ship <ve2js@total.net>
Message-ID: <362347EC.327A@total.net>
Source record: 129314

HEWLETT PACKARD 612A UHF SIGNAL GENERATOR

450 to 1230 MHz in one band.
Accuracy plus/minus 1%.
Output voltage from 0.1 microvolt to 0.5 Volt into 50 ohm.
Dial is calibrated in V and dBm.
Internal modulation of 400 & 1000 hz.

For sale @ (USD) $300. plus shipping.

Please contact:

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Montreal, Que. Canada, H4W 2C1

phone: (514) 482-6500
fax: (514) 482-0828
email: ve2js@total.net

1347. FS: H.P. VHF BRIDGE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Ship <ve2js@total.net>
Message-ID: <3623481E.A1B@total.net>
Source record: 129315

HEWLETT PACKARD 803A VHF BRIDGE.

Provides direct impedance measurements
from 2 to 2000 ohms, 55 to 500 MHz.
Phase angle is plus/minus 90 degrees.

For sale @ (USD) $300. plus UPS shipping costs.

Please contact:

Joe Ship, VE2JS
5637 Melling Ave.
Montreal, Que. Canada, H4W 2C1
email: ve2js@total.net

1348. FS: TRANSMITTER TUBES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Ship <ve2js@total.net>
Message-ID: <3623485D.19DD@total.net>
Source record: 129316

New transmitter tubes for sale.

2 only 4-250A @ US$40. ea.
4 only 4-125A Eimac @ US$40. ea.
2 only 3-400Z Eimac @ US$75. ea.
1 only 7704 Mullard (Philips QBL5-4000) US$450.
Shipping extra.

Joe Ship VE2JS
5637 Melling Ave.
Montreal, QC. Canada H4W 2C1

phone (514)482-6500
fax (514)482-0828
email ve2js@total.net

1349. FS: MISC. TUBES (NEW)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Ship <ve2js@total.net>
Message-ID: <362349C5.19DD@total.net>
Source record: 129317

TUBES FOR SALE. All are brand new, recent inventory, in the original manufacturers boxes. All prices in US$.

8 only 6AH6WA G.E. $3.00 ea.
2 only 6AH6 RCA $3.00 ea.
2 only 6AU6A G.E. $3.00 ea.
3 only 6BE6 RCA $3.00 ea.
4 only 12AT7 G.E. $14.00 ea.
16 only 12AX7A G.E. $14.00 ea.
1 only 12BH7A G.E. $16.00 ea.
1 only E80CC Siemens $40.00 ea.

Mininmum order $25.
Shipping to U.S. & Canada $10.00, on orders less than $100.
Shipping to U.S. & Canada included in price on orders over $100.

Joe Ship, VE2JS
5637 Melling Ave.
Montreal, QC. Canada H4W 2C1

phone (514) 482-6500
fax (514) 482-0828
email ve2js@total.net

1350. fs: HP8445B Preselector

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: lothina1@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6vvm53kqj1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129318

HP8445B NO OPTIONS 120$

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1351. HP8445B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: lothina1@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6vvm6q$ks4$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129319

120$ NO OPTIONS

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1352. FS: Drake R8

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: wplanck@netusa1.net
Message-ID: <6vvj9ehit1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129320
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale: Drake R8 receiver, works perfect, small mark on top which can be seen but not felt. Otherwise, excellent cosmetically. Overall, excellent cond. $425 shipped to US 48. I'm near Indianapolis.

Bill K9KZ
wplanck@netusa1.net

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1353. HP MICROWAVE COUNTER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: lothina1@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6vvmacktm1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129321

HP5345A/HP5355/5356A UNIVERSAL/MICROWAVE COUNTER
can be extended up to 110GHZ, price: 1000$

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1354. Re: How do you like FT-50RD?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: clintbrad4d@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <6vvm27kjr1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129322

In article <3622beff.15821329@news.flashcom.com>,
yung@nospam.com wrote:

> Is that Maha FNB-47 a 5 Watt (9.6v) battery? 1800mAH wow?!!

No - 7.2V ... but I get very good performance from my FT-50 with 7.2V battery packs.

- Clint Bradford, KE6LCS

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http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1355. Re: Icom IC-U16 Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: clintbrad4d@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <6vvmlf$lb7$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129323

In article <19981012211922.22781.00000341@ng84.aol.com>,
lcifelli@aol.com (LCifelli) wrote:

> What do you want for the Manual??

Geeze...here's all the programming info for the Icom U-16.

If the U16 has been made programmable by moving a jumper:

Hold FUNCTION KEY down and enter 159357
It's now in programming mode. Exit with FUNCT-CLR.

If the jumper has been removed a colon will now show up between the Ch and
channel number. You have only 30 seconds time between entries or the radio
will time out and return to operation mode.

Function + 1 Encoder tones (1-37) 1=67.0,2=71.9,3=74.4,4=77.0,5=79.7,
6=82.5,7=85.4,8=88.5,9=91.5,10=94.8,
11=100.0,12=103.5,13=107.2,14=110.9,
15=114.8,16=118.8,17=123.0,18=127.3,
19=131.6,20=136.5,21=141.3,22=146.2,
23=151.4,24=156.7,25=162.2,26=167.9,
27=173.8,28=179.9,29=186.2,30=192.8?,
31=203.5,32=210.7,33=218.1,34=225.7,
35=233.6,36=241.8,37=250.3

+ 2 Decoder tones (1-37)

+ 3 ?

+ 4 Delta + / Delta - offset, 5 digits

+ 5 Frequency, 5 digits (400MHz +)

+ 6 ?

+ 7 Sch. Ch. numbers. Allows alias ch numbers.

+ 8 Transmit timeout enable.

+ 9 TI, Transmit Inhibit

+ SCAN Priority Scan/Ch Scan

+ S.CH Channel Masking

+ CLEAR End progamming mode

Channel select: Standard method (up/down arrows or CH# + [ENTER])

Frequency: Hold [FUNC], Press [5], enter 6 dig freq, [ENTER], release [FUNC]

Rx CTCSS: Hold [FUNC], Press [2], enter 2 dig code, [ENTER], release [FUNC]

Tx CTCSS: Hold [FUNC], Press [1], enter 2 dig code, [ENTER], release [FUNC]

Offset Freq: Hold [FUNC], Press [4], use [#] for up offset, [*] for down offset, then enter freq to offset by (ie: [#] [0] [0] [0] [0] [0] for no offset, [#] [0] [5] [0] [0] [0] for the standard +5MHz UHF offset), [ENTER]

Timeout Timer: Hold [FUNC], [8], Release [FUNC]

Tx Inhibit: Hold [FUNC], [9], Release [FUNC]

Special Channel Number: Hold [FUNC], Press [7], enter the special channel number (17-99), [ENTER], Release [FUNC]l

Data Transfer MASTER: Hold [FUNC], [BEEP], Release [FUNC]

Data Transfer SLAVE: Hold [FUNC] with power off, turn on, release [FUNC]

-end-

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1356. WTB: Yaesu FT8100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan <n7wpd@inconnect.com>
Message-ID: <6vvg8o$8tr$1@news.inconnect.com>
Source record: 129324
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

Looking for Yaesu FT8100 dualband mobile. Willing to trade my excellent condition Pro-2006 + $ or possibly Motorola HT1000 UHF to get one. Please reply to email.

Thanks,

Dan

1357. coaxial relays fs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: lothina1@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6vvmqh$lm1$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129325

28V coils, different contact arrangements, all are SMA and working to 18GHZ

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1358. PLATE TRANSFORMER FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: lothina1@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <6vvmsllmj1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129326

PRICE: 55$

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1359. FS: NC-33

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: ww <wwhite@sprynet.com>
Message-ID: <703f2m$34h$1@juliana.sprynet.com>
Source record: 129080

Original condition. Not working. $75.00 plus shipping

1360. Re: Radar Gun for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: chipjumper@thepentagon.com
Message-ID: <36254683.3F420605@thepentagon.com>
Source record: 129081
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.misc, sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

Being a state trooper myself, I find it funny when I pull someone over with a radar gun who is not an officer. I stare at his equipment and then write the ticket. Wannabee's don't get out of tickets. I then scare them by asking them if they are licensed and some other BS.

KuoH wrote:

> "Fun" to impede the progress of others and create a potentially
> hazardous situation? Oh I forgot, this is in the name of SAFETY too! I
> guess that makes it alright....
>
> Both of you, do the public a favor and take your 1979 ozone killing,
> gas guzzling, backfiring piece of rusted out death trap with one
> headlight and no taillights OFF the road! Perhaps the money you'd spend
> on a "ego" gun could be better utilized somewhere else? Like the
> mortgage payment on your trailer home?
>
> I pay attention to what's in front AND behind me when driving. I'd
> feel a thousand times safer letting one of these faster drivers pass me
> and distance myself from him than having someone like you driving next
> to me in the passing lane zapping traffic in front and holding up the
> ones behind, all in the name of fun! Oh excuse me, I'm sure you ment
> safety....
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> Go join the highway patrol if you want to serve the public, because
> the most inattentative and dangerous drivers on the road are the LEO
> wannabes.
>
> KuoH
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> Dave D wrote:
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> > On Wed, 14 Oct 1998 13:03:44 GMT, <gcsahanin@home.com> wrote:
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> > >It is fun to watch these kids in their turbocharged-wheeze-o-matic jap-traks
> > >slam on the brakes.
> > >
> > I bought one of those radar "test" kits a few years ago from the back
> > of Popular Whatever. Sends out an RF signal in the same band as the
> > radar guns.
> >
> > It's a lot of fun to slow down the truckers and speed demons. Followed
> > a turd in Mercedes for about 10 miles one time, eveytime he'd feel

> > safe and speed up, I'd zap him.
> > Dave

1361. WTB: CW-75 Keyer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: ww <wwhite@sprynet.com>
Message-ID: <703fsi$3r8$1@juliana.sprynet.com>
Source record: 129082

Please email condition and price.

1362. Kenwood Microphone Switch???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan In Minneapolis <lotsacache@sprintmail.com>
Message-ID: <703hgp$6cj$1@holly.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 129083

Hi,

Thanks for reading.

I have four Kenwoods, all which take the standard 8 pin
microphone plug.

The problem is, I'd liek to use one microphone for all radios.

Does anyone know of a microphone switch (4 position)
I could use for this purpose? I could really use the desk space.

Dan

1363. FS: NYE MBVA,HAM IV,CD44,IC 2AT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry <ewing@arn.net>
Message-ID: <36252BD4.AFF95E0F@arn.net>
Source record: 129084
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.misc,
sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

Nye MBVA tuner like new $475

Ham IV rotor $225

CD 44 rotor rebuilt $125

Icom 2AT w/MrNicad battery, wall charger $75

Don't email me. Call and ask for Rusty.
1-800-359-0294 Day
817-341-0961 Night

1364. FS: Book 1906 Western Union Telegraphic Code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: jgrow@dsuper.net
Message-ID: <jgrow.140.0019711E@dsuper.net>
Source record: 129085

Good Condition. Large Format, universal edition. $ 35.00 plus $ 5.00 for shipping. Its heavy. CONUS. John

1365. FS: Astatic Bullet Microphone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: jgrow@dsuper.net
Message-ID: <jgrow.141.001A0CAA@dsuper.net>
Source record: 129086

good condition. This is the one that has vertical fins on top and bottem. $
50.00 including $ 5.00 shipping CONUS. John

1366. FS: Book 1900 Slater's Telegraphic Code.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: jgrow@dsuper.net
Message-ID: <jgrow.139.0018D9DC@dsuper.net>
Source record: 129087

1900 book on Telegraphic code used for Atlantic transmissions. By Robert Slater. Published by W.R. Gray. Good Conditon. $ 25.00 including shipping. CONUS. John

1367. For Sale FT 990

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Schuckert <mikes@newulmtel.net>
Message-ID: <36255A3D.449D@newulmtel.net>
Source record: 129088

radio is in nice condition. $1250.00

1368. FS: Kenwood TM-251A 2 Meter mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan Elekman <elekman@interaccess.com>
Message-ID: <703p30lkj1@supernews.com>
Source record: 129089

For Sale: Kenwood TM-251A 2 meter mobile radio with memory expansion unit (200 memories). $250 + shipping

Look at the features and specifications at:

http://members.tripod.com/~elekman/TM251A.html

If interested please send me an email:

Dan AA9NK
elekman@interaccess.com

1369. WTB: STARDUSTER ANTENNA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: redbone1@postoffice.swbell.net
Message-ID: <3625871C.3B129343@postoffice.swbell.net>
Source record: 129090

I WANT TO BUY A STARDUSTER 11 METER ANTENNA

THANKS IN ADVANCE
REDBONE

1370. Re: Icom Q7A Anyone Have Any Mods?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Wheeler <w7ox@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <36256C3A.8E1CCA6B@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 129091

Really responsive,guy. Waay to go!

Phil

robpetersonSPAMME@iname.com wrote:
>
> Gee, why not leave simple text? And you really need to learn how to
> spell.
>
> On Tue, 13 Oct 1998 23:44:10 -0400, Lee Mannchen <fixer@cchat.com>
> wrote:
>
> >
> >
> >Bruce A Shurtz wrote:
> >
> >> Looking for any TX mods for this radio.

1371. Re: Remote Operation of HF Station?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jones <Jones@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <36257953.777D@nomail.com>
Source record: 129092

> There would obviously be some features of the rig that can't be
> controlled remotely - Mic gain and some of the other analog functions
> come to mind immediately
> -Marty KIï¿½LO

My TS870 can be remote controlled through the rear rs232 port.
Everything can be controlled, all front panel controls and the menu.
Also the keyer. The manual gives you the necessary commands so you can
write simple qbasic programs (or any computer language that supports
serial ports) to control it if you don't like the program that comes
with the rig. I'm sure there are other rigs that do the same. So it
might be simpler than you think.

1372. Re: Fry's Electronics a "RIP OFF"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: gnarles <gnarles@hypersurf.com>
Message-ID: <36257EEE.342744CB@hypersurf.com>
Source record: 129093
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,ba.music,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

tcrpe wrote:

> Tom Currie wrote in message <3619FC77.7329@worldnet.att.net>...
> >tcrpe wrote:
> >>
> >> Carl Zwanzig wrote in message <6v32an$5qo@maguro.epr.com>...
> >>> Actually, Yes, I do find it objectionable. I object to the
> >>> assumption that I MAY have stolen something.
> >>
> >> Carl,
> >>
> >> It is not done on the supposition that YOU stole anything. It is
> >> done to prevent the common scam where an EMPLOYEE working in concert
> >> with a friend, posing as a CUSTOMER sells said friend and item worth,
> >> say, $600, for the paltry sum of, say, $20.
> >
> >And just what does that make the "friend"?
>
> A theif and co-conspirator.

...

Last week, when shopping at the Fremont store, I was 'detained' by someone who
just watched me purchase a large number of items. When they demanded I waste
more of my time for them to poke through my belongings, I simply asked them:
"Am I under arrest?"
When they answered 'No, of course not, but...' I said "Have a nice day & left".
They CAN request you wait while they look in your bags, but they CANNOT detain
you without just legal cause.
'Just in case' is not just cause.
Try it next time you buy at Fry's.

1373. Re: looking for good headset

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: wizard@connectnet.com
Message-ID: <908431021mnewswizard@connectnet.com>
Source record: 129094

>
>
> I am looking for a GOOD headset. I am currently using a Kenwood HS-6
> headset. After gluing the sucker back together for the umteenth time I
> figure it's time for a new headset.

Me too, but I found what for me is the perfect answer. Digging
around in Murphy's Surplus ("http/www.maxpages.com/murphyjunk")
(I was actually there, not on the net.) I found aome brand new
military headsets with mike. The model is "H-161". These have
been stepped on by my corpulent self and withstood the abuse.
I think that they were designed to be run over by a tank and
still work. They look quite military, are, unlike all previous
mil headsets (I had to use some in the Marine Corps that after,
10 mins use actually made my testicles hurt.) the most comfort
able headset that I've ever worn. They seem to be "tuned" for
CW/SSB signals and are clear as a bell. These look to have been
made by the same folks that make the headsets for commercial
aircraft, but to mil-specs. I have bought 4 pair of them and
put appropriate cables on each for my various sets. I recent-
ly bought a military amplified speaker/audio channel switcher
from Fair Radio (AM6747/V)("http://alpha.wcoil.com/~fairadio"),
(who also have new H-161E headsets). This set has matching con-
nectors for the connectors on the '161 HS. It also has superior
audio, w/vol control, and switches. I added a 4 conn. std mike
jack and made up cables to attach the spkr to most of my radios.
I also got a military noise cancelling mike, M80c, which has
the same connectors as the HS and there is a matching spot on
the spkr for it. This mike gives superb reports back on my
transmitted audio. Now I have a superb external spkr and mike,
and a headset/mike combo that will last forever and sounds.
great at both ends of the conversation.

1374. FREE SCANNER/RECEIVER OFFER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: G Chatten <sales@advdig.com>
Message-ID: <36251413.D0043F83@advdig.com>
Source record: 129095

Sign up on our hi-tech electronics mailing list before 10/31/98 at:

http://www.advdig.com/index.html

WiNRADiO 1000-i receiver/scanner card
ICOM PCR-1000 receiver/scanner
UNIDEN BC895XLT "Trunktracker"
VERTEX VX-10 VHF Transceiver (150-174MHz) with charger

- One winner to be selected - void where prohibited -
- Winner may choose one of the above items -
- Freight pre-paid to USA only-

Nothing to buy, no tricks, no gimmicks - just come by & sign up.

What other distributors/dealers offer such a deal ?

Good luck !

1375. WTB UTC Transformers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: markhugh@aol.com
Message-ID: <702haodms1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129130
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

WTB UTC Transformers
A, HA, LS series

email me with your transformer list and prices

thanks
MarkHugh@aol.com

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1376. Re: Wanted Info on small HTs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: clintbrad4d@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <702hfidoc1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129131

In article <7018mi$ps8$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
mike@onpointgifts.com wrote:

> Just bought a VX-1R. I'm going to buy that belt clip...

You will appreciate it. For BEST results, please consider removing the Yaesu label from the back of your VX-1R...you will see what I mean when you get your clip. Hey - tell Bob I referred you...we live only about 20 minutes apart...

> About the antenna? I noticed you use SMA-503 Comet.

The Comet SMA-503 is about 8.5" total length. I am also using a Comet SMA-3...a little longer, thicker, but very flexible.

ADI/Pryme/Premier also makes a 19" super thin whip, too, that I use. I think you'll be pleased with the performance difference between any of these vs. the stock antenna.

- Clint Bradford

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1377. For Sale!- (3) Westinghouse 6KD6

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pinky and The Brain <odin@webspan.net>
Message-ID: <702d0g$sbk@news.webspan.net>
Source record: 129132
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Three (3) NIB NOS Westinghouse 6KD6 sweep tubes as used in Yaesu 400/500 "Boatanchor" series transcievers. $100.00 plus shipping.

Steve

1378. WTB: empty MX320/MX350 battery holder

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: TechText <techtext@worldonline.nl>
Message-ID: <702clg$5e$1@news.worldonline.nl>
Source record: 129133
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap,uk.radio.amateur,uwarwick.societies.amateur-radio

Does anyone in this group have a battery holder for the Motorola MX320/MX350 he/she want to dispose of?
Even empty holders will be okay as I can fit the internal NiCd batteries myself.

73
Jan
PE1CSI
Mobile Radios Collector
The Netherlands

1379. Remote Operation of HF Station?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: martyt@pobox.com
Message-ID: <3624b879.67529512@news.supernews.net>
Source record: 129134

I've been recently kicking around the idea of setting up an HF station on some land out in the country, maybe 10 miles from the house and then devising a means to completely control the station from my house via VHF and/or landline links.

I'd need to be able to control the HF rig, power supply, rotor, antenna relays, etc. remotely - Initially thinking of setting up a remote PC to control the rig, rotor and antennas, and linking to the PC via dialup line from a home PC. , Send/receive audio would be handled through a cross-band repeating VHF setup utilizing CTCSS for some measure of security. Power can be controlled remotely by phone switch also.

I'm surely not the first one to think of something like this - anyone out there currently operating an HF station remotely? What other issues have to be tackled and how would you go about tackling the above items?

There would obviously be some features of the rig that can't be controlled remotely - Mic gain and some of the other analog functions come to mind immediately - but otherwise I can't come up with too many reasons *not* to do something like this.

Interested in all comments - pro and con - please post to the newsgroup so everyone can read along...

73,

-Marty KIï¿½LO
martyt@pobox.com

1380. Anyone on 1200 MHz?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: frederick.mckenzie-1@kmail.ksc.nasa.gov
Message-ID: <frederick.mckenzie-1-1410981053520001@k4dii.ksc.nasa.gov>
Source record: 129135

I purchased the Kenwood TM-942 because I was curious about the 1200 MHz band, but find almost no activity.

I'd like to "stir something up", but not very many people would be willing to pay the price of a TM-942. What other gear is available? I've heard of a Yaesu rig, as well as a Kenwood dual-band 440/1200, but can't find any information.

73, Fred, K4DII

1381. Re: Radar Gun for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: KuoH <KuoH@aol.com>
Message-ID: <3624C20D.5213@aol.com>
Source record: 129136
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.misc,
sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

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Both of you, do the public a favor and take your 1979 ozone killing,
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headlight and no taillights OFF the road! Perhaps the money you'd spend
on a "ego" gun could be better utilized somewhere else? Like the
mortgage payment on your trailer home?

I pay attention to what's in front AND behind me when driving. I'd
feel a thousand times safer letting one of these faster drivers pass me
and distance myself from him than having someone like you driving next
to me in the passing lane zapping traffic in front and holding up the
ones behind, all in the name of fun! Oh excuse me, I'm sure you ment
safety....

Go join the highway patrol if you want to serve the public, because
the most inattentative and dangerous drivers on the road are the LEO
wannabes.

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> safe and speed up, I'd zap him.
> Dave

1382. Re: Radar Gun for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: gwoods@wrgb.com
Message-ID: <3625c787.138734251@news2.global2000.net>
Source record: 129137
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.misc,
sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

KuoH <KuoH@aol.com> wrote:

> Go join the highway patrol if you want to serve the public, because
>the most inattentative and dangerous drivers on the road are the LEO
>wannabes.

Besides, if you want to "troll for taillights," an X-band motion detector front end will do it a lot
cheaper.

--
Gary Woods O- K2AHC Public key at www.albany.net/~gwoods, or get 0x1D64A93D via keyserver
gwoods@albany.net gwoods@wrgb.com
fingerprint = E2 6F 50 93 7B C7 F3 CA 1F 8B 3C C0 B0 28 68 0B

1383. Handscanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Benjamin Menkuec <benjamin@dokom.net>
Message-ID: <702gdp$d6$1@mail.dokom.net>
Source record: 129138

What is the best handscanner you know?

Thank You

Benjamin Menkuec
(Germany, Dortmund)

http:\\members.dokom.de\benjamin
my cool mp3program
benjamin@dokom.net

1384. NOS: FS. Ratelco power supply. 48 Volt @ 150 Amps

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: rhawk@megabits.net
Message-ID: <3624c7f3.428794@news.megabits.net>
Source record: 129139

RATELCO Battery charger / Rectifier. Type FC481505A
Model # 102B-3608-00. 48 Volt @ 150 Amps, Float or Equalize.
These units were manufactured SEPT 1991 and are in the Factory
crates and have Never been used, have 2, sequential Serial numbers.
These units can be used as 48 volt charger for Telephone Central
Office Battery supply's with the ability to Float or Equalize.
They can also be used as a stand alone, well filtered, power
supply rated at 48 volts at 150 amps CONTINOUS DUTY.
Input = 110, 208, 240 Volts. 60 Hz, single phase
A must for the expirimenter working with the new generation
of 48 volt solid state RF devices Rated in excess of a Kilowatt.

$1500. plus shipping,

Will swap for late model HF rig of equal
value, Yaesu or Kenwood.

Weight is approximately 550 pounds, Crated for freight shipping.

Bob

1385. Hallicrafter speakers for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: bryan <bryan@prodistributors.com>
Message-ID: <3624D064.644D9303@prodistributors.com>
Source record: 129140
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

I have two Hallicrafters R-44 speakers for sale. One is in good
condition
priced at $90. Second has some paint fade and discoloration but is
still
a very good speaker for $75.

Bryan Edwards W5KFT
Lubbock, Texas

1386. Bugcatcher coil for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: bryan <bryan@prodistributors.com>
Message-ID: <3624CDA8.53DBE7C5@prodistributors.com>
Source record: 129141
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Texas Bugcatcher coil 10-80 meters for sale. Built by Henry Allen at
GLA. Great coil for mobile use. I am selling my truck and can't fit
HF in the new Honda. $50 plus UPS.

Bryan Edwards W5KFT
Lubbock, Texas

1387. FS: Yaesu FT-1000 with dual receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: bryan <bryan@prodistributors.com>
Message-ID: <3624C468.706D1481@prodistributors.com>
Source record: 129142
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

For Sale: Very clean Yaesu FT-1000 transceiver with dual receiver option. Extra nice radio in great condition and working order. $2100 plus UPS. Complete with original box, book, and power cable. Trades considered.

Bryan Edwards W5KFT
Lubbock, Texas

1388. Hammarlund "Super Pro"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill <pop@net.com>
Message-ID: <702l5g$h1q$1@news3.alpha.net>
Source record: 129143

Wanted power supply for Hammarlund Super Pro reciever. Working or not. Reply to: n9wq@qsl.net Thanks, Dave

1389. Re: Remote Operation of HF Station?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: &NM7U <&NM7U@hevanet.com>
Message-ID: <3624D985.82CAD141@hevanet.com>
Source record: 129144

Marty Tippin wrote:

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> on some land out in the country, maybe 10 miles from the house and
> then devising a means to completely control the station from my house
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> reasons *not* to do something like this.
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> Interested in all comments - pro and con - please post to the
> newsgroup so everyone can read along...
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> 73,
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> -Marty KIØLO
> martyt@pobox.com

HI Marty,
I use a homebrew repeater/remote base.
8051 processor with a phoneme speech synthesizer chip and teltone
touchtone decoder.
The system is 13 years old, so there are better chips today.
It controls
Yaesu FT757GX and FT727 dualband 2m/440 handheld. Uses a couple of
old Icom handhelds and homebrew cavity duplexer for the duplex
link/repeater/phone patch.

It's located at the house, so it's not particularly bullet proof. There
are a bunch

of gotchas with the radios. The 757 does not have programmable mode or usb/lsb selection,
so I have to manually predetermine which bands/mode I'll be working. GXII fixed this I think.
The external antenna tuner takes care of switching the antennas. The FT727 does not
have a way to read back the settings. Some of the functions are toggles, like the band
selection. If it gets out of sync, you're transmitting into the ozone with no way to tell
or fix it. I had to add some "back door" functions to toggle the rig without toggling
the control database.
It's pretty easy to lose control of the system. Someone is always trying to hack the system.
If you accidentally transmit on a frequency that has a harmonic on your control frequency,
you can get locked up. If you use 440 for control, make sure your repeater input is
above 148 X 3 MHz so transmitting on 2-meters won't lock up the control receiver.
I added a function to the autopatch that lets me shut down the rig from the telephone line.
Much of the control code has to do with protection and error conditions. Since both rigs
can transmit out of band, there is extensive checking to make sure that the transmit
frequency is legally programmed. A timeout is a good idea depending on which
modes you use.

I've never tried to control the rotor. Should be easy with touchtone controlled relays.
Sensing the position will be the hard part. My Wilson 500 rotor runs directly off
the 110V line. Would take some isolation to read the position pot.

I spent more time building the programming and debugging tools than I did writing the controller program

miker.

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Big list of WANTS and FORSALES at link below.
Return Address is Bogus.
TO REPLY CLICK HERE http://www.hevanet.com/nm7u
Or you can DELETE the & in the "from" address.

1390. Re: Alinco DJ-S11T External Connector

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: rexstout@uswest.net
Message-ID: <rexstout-1410981008040001@dialupe161.ptld.uswest.net>
Source record: 129145

> Has anyone successfully removed the integrated
> antenna and added a SMA or some other type of
> connector for use with an external antenna.
AC6GN did it at put instructions at http://hamradio.mail1.com/alinco/. I'm thinking about it, now that I've alreay broke something else. Just a thought, but if you do the extended receive mod, make sure you have a way of fixing it... After a while I decided I didn't like it anymore and wanted to undo the mod, but using a large 30W RatShack iron is suicide. It kept bridging to other pads, and I ended up tearing off several of those incredibly small pads. No going back now... And to top it off, the belt clip broke(and Alinco won't tell me how to get another). So despite the fact I can stuff it in a pocket and it's nice for listening to(not to mention that if you're out on a bike ride stop sign posts make GREAT antennas for the S11... Just hold that little antenna against the pole and the signal really gets out!), I may end up putting an antenna connector on it after I get another radio(can't decide between the FT-50 and TH-G71 though).
Anyways, it's a relatively simple mod from the look of the pictures. Take off the old antenna(it's just bolted on), stuff a right-angle SMA in there(needs a little trimming to fit, though)... It looks like he also sells a kit for $35. Anything is better than that crappy little antenna Alinco put on there...

| http://members.tripod.com/~jrollins/index.html - Computers |
| http://www.geocities.com/Area51/Lair/1681/ - Star Trek |
| OrHam@qth.net list admin KD7BCY |

1391. FS: Drake DSR-2 manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Pedersen <n7bhc@gateway.net>
Message-ID: <702n2cimd1@server2.wans.net>
Source record: 129146
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale: Drake DSR-2 Instruction Manual. Very good condition. $20

Dave Pedersen N7BHC
(801)967-5896
n7bhc@gateway.net

1392. FS:SWR/Power Meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Iacono <k1mri@gis.net>
Message-ID: <3624E863.14102C71@gis.net>
Source record: 129147

Like new in original box Diamond SX-200 swr/power meter covers
1.8~200mhz, manual included.

Asking $79.00 or best offer.

1393. FS:SWR/Power meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Iacono <k1mri@gis.net>
Message-ID: <3624E8CE.EC70DA19@gis.net>
Source record: 129148

Like new in original box, Diamond SX-200 swr/power meter covers
1.8~200mhz, manual included.

Asking $79.00 or best offer.

1394. RCI 2900 Rager 10 m radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ladi H Prochazka <harry@infoserve.net>
Message-ID: <01bdf754$80eef760$999dafc7@SLIPHARRY>
Source record: 129149

Looking for a schematic or repairman who can fix it.
Ranger communication Inc do not have it.
N7SOO

Please reply to: harry@infoserve.net

1395. Re: Radar Gun for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kent Atwater <info@bizbox.com>
Message-ID: <3624F686.5D11@bizbox.com>
Source record: 129150
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.misc,
sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

> It is fun to watch these kids in their turbocharged-wheeze-o-matic jap-traks
> slam on the brakes.

Not as much fun as watching your car slam into his after you made him
slam on the brakes!

1396. 1255mhz pre-amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: kable guy minn <n0mnb@minn.net>
Message-ID: <702roj$34i$1@news.minn.net>
Source record: 129151
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.video.satellite.dbs,rec.video.satellite.misc,rec.video.satellite.tvro

looking for a 1200 mhz rang pre-amp for atv need 30-40 db using it
with a sat rec.. but other than the dumb radio schak one's

thanks

Bill
n0mnb@minn.net

1397. ICOM 907 WTD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: kable guy minn <n0mnb@minn.net>
Message-ID: <702ri9$34g$1@news.minn.net>
Source record: 129152
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

LOOKING FOR ICOM 907 RACK MOUNT

n0mnb@minn.net

1398. Heathkit SB220 Amplifier For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: KQ6UV <jimsmith@ns.net>
Message-ID: <nG6V1.282$3q2.2368148@nnrp2.ni.net>
Source record: 129153
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I have a Heathkit SB-220 2KW linear amplifier for sale. The amp. is in
very nice condition, and has 2 new graphite tubes. Manual included.
Local pickup in Sacramento preferred. May drive part way to meet buyer.
Will ship if buyer pays for shipping, and insurance.
$575.00
Jim Smith
KQ6UV

1399. FS: Ten-Tec Argonaut 505 QRP Transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: frohro@wwc.edu
Message-ID: <frohro-1410981223030001@csp-frohro.wwc>
Source record: 129154
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

This Argonaut is in excellent electrical shape. It draws less current than my 509, and may be more sensitive as well. It has been realigned very recently. Cosmetically it is average. It has one scratch on the top of the front panel that is quite noticable. It is an early serial number. There were only about 4,000 of these made according to a Ten-Tec ad. It is a really fun little rig for camping, and QRP. The reason I'm selling it, is that I already have a 509 and a chap in Ireland wanted it quite badly until I got it packed up and he found out it didn't cover 160 meters. (It covers the 5 old bands between 80 and 10 meters.) I'd like $250 for it.

73,

Rob Frohne, KL7NA/W7

1400. WTB Ten Tec 234 RF Speech Compressor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Rylatt <prs87sn4@pop.prestel.co.uk>
Message-ID: <36256DA3.20D9@pop.prestel.co.uk>
Source record: 129155

I am interested in obtaining a Ten Tec 234 Speech Compressor as sold with the Delta and Argo.

If you have one surplus to requirement please email me with your price etc. I am able to purchase and take delivery in the USA

73 de Bob G3VXJ

1401. Re: MIR QSO info?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: martyt@pobox.com
Message-ID: <36260956.88230308@news.supernews.net>
Source record: 129156

On 14 Oct 1998 20:15:07 GMT, kb6uda@aol.com (KB6UDA) wrote:

>I contacted the MIR space station 4/24/95 and would like to get a QSO card.
>Anyone have any information on how to do this?

Take a look at:
http://www.arrl.org/sarex/mir-faq.html

73,

-Marty KIï¿½LO
martyt@pobox.com

1402. FORSALE - MINT Kenwood TS-520S + VFO-520S, great starter rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: jpl@hoserve.ho.lucent.com
Message-ID: <7030qp$3rm@nntpa.cb.lucent.com>
Source record: 129157
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,nj.forsale

I have a mint Kenwood TS-520S plus the optional matching remote
VFO-520S that I would like to sell. In my opinion, the 520
and 520S are some of the best rigs around and would make a
fantastic beginner station or a great backup rig.
The remote VFO is a wonderful option to have and gives
the capability to either run split frequencies or to flip-flop
between two frequencies.

For any novices not familiar with this radio, it is all solid state
(discrete components, so its very easy to repair if ever needed)
except for a tube driver and a pair of very
robust 6146 tubes as the finals. It has a builit in power supply,
but can also run off of 12VDC with an optional DS-1A
DC-DC convertor (not included). It also has connections for the
Kenwood DG-5 digital display.
It covers 160,80,40,20,15, and 10 meters in CW and SSB (upper and lower) modes.
The receiver section is excellent and I always get excellent audio quality
reports. Many folks say that these older Kenwoods are some of the best
sounding rigs on the air.

This rig also has the optional 500Hz CW filter
installed (genuine Kenwood option).

The price is $400 firm + shipping. You might find one for a few $ less,
but NOT is this great condition.

Joe Levantino
KB2FSH

(732) 949-0664

1403. Re: Remote Operation of HF Station?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Toste <saturn@interlog.com>
Message-ID: <7031vt$2eq$1@news.interlog.com>
Source record: 129158

At one time AEA had a device that you could do radio via the phone. I was once chatting with a fellow on 80m while he was at work at some TV station, using a Icom706. He would hit # to TX then # again to stop, it was all done via a phone. Could be used via cell phone and payphone. I only wish I had this setup while I did the midnight shift.

Don't recall what the unit model was. WAS becuase AEA is no longer around.

Marty Tippin <martyt@pobox.com> wrote:
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> -Marty KILO
> martyt@pobox.com

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David Toste [VE3TOS] Internet - saturn@interlog.com
Brampton, Ontario. SWLOGit - The Ultimate Shortwave Listeners Software
ftp://qsl.net/pub/ve3tos/swlit20a.zip
http://www.interlog.com/~saturn/SWLOGit.html (SWLOGit Web Page)
ICQ: 4422700

1404. Re: Radar Gun for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: 5 of 7 <Collective@borg.org>
Message-ID: <7033lq$nf4@news.webspan.net>
Source record: 129159
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.misc, sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

KuoH <KuoH@aol.com> wrote:
>"Fun" to impede the progress of others

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are getting in the way of all the people who choose to ignore
it eh ??

>and create a potentially
>hazardous situation?

let me get this straight ? it "hazardous" to do the posted
speed limit ?

>Perhaps the money you'd spend
>on a "ego" gun could be better utilized somewhere else?

If we speak of "EGO" here, what does it say about all
the asswipes who put themselves above the law, and feel
their better than the guy who decides to obey the speed
limit ?

To me, the speed demons and tailgaters are the morons
with the small dick sydrome. Too self important to be
troubled by the law, and always in a hurry to rush to
the red light ahead and jam on his brakes, etc, etc, etc...

>Go join the highway patrol if you want to serve the public, because
>the most inattentative and dangerous drivers on the road are the LEO
>wannabes.

The cops can't be everywhere - why do you think the old
saying "no cop around when you need him" ... ? came into being.
The "agressive driver" hotlines established by some state
patrols are indicative of how fed up people really are with
scumbags who insist on driving like maniacs.

1405. To increase current in a dipole antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: asps <as.ps@flashnet.it>
Message-ID: <01bdf7be$f64c89e0$3402bfc3@default>
Source record: 129160

If at 200 MHz we have an halfwave dipole long 75 cm that need of x energy.

To the end to increase current (at the same x energy) it is better to
replace the dipole long 75 cm with 5 dipoles long 15 cm?
And by what devices it is necessary to match every dipole to itself and to
others (if they are displace in a stright line)?
If possible i like to know if exists a book about the procedures to
increase current in a dipole antenna.

Thanks

Emidio

1406. Re: Remote Operation of HF Station?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: prografx@teleport.com
Message-ID: <oq8V1.740$es1.397231@news.teleport.com>
Source record: 129161

You might want to read your FCC Part 97 Amateur rules regarding Remote Base (Auxiliary Station) operation and linking. Start at section 97.201.

You can't legally use "VHF" (2-meter) frequencies for this... link frequencies must be in amateur bands above 222Mhz (excluding specific segments). Band segments in the lower 440Mhz band not specifically excluded in Part 97 may require local coordination (to prevent interference).

Full-time link frequencies are typically locally coordinated, just like repeater frequencies (this depends where you live, of course).

Many amateur UHF radios are optimized for the 440-450Mhz repeater sub-band and won't work well or at all in the 420-440Mhz lower sub-bands.

Just some food for thought....

Steve
WB7PSD

martyt@pobox.com (Marty Tippin) wrote:

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>newsgroup so everyone can read along...

>73,

>-Marty KILO
> martyt@pobox.com

1407. FS: Drake R8 Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim Cook <timcook@erinet.com>
Message-ID: <703624$fu5@nntp1.erinet.com>
Source record: 129162

Looks and works excellent, non-smoker, with box and manual...
$425 +shipping.
Please email direct if interested
Thanks
Tim

1408. FS: TS940SAT.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: ww6q <ww6q@nospamgte.net>
Message-ID: <70363kgun1@news-1.news.gte.net>
Source record: 129163

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=35816742

Pix can be seen at:
http://home1.gte.net/ww6q/ts940/ts940sat.htm

1409. Re: Radar Gun for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J.R. Hehnly" <jarman@ionet.net>
Message-ID: <7036s4$sj3$1@supernews.com>
Source record: 129164
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.misc, sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

I saw another potential hazard the other day. The police set a car by the road, but left no-one in it! Cars were slamming on their brakes like crazy!!! I'm sure that if there had been an accident that it would be found to be the fault of the police for trying to 'scare' the kindly speeders. I think that only bonified on-the-scene police officers should be allowed to do anything to try and slow down our fine citizens who choose to ignore posted speeds.

Or something.

KuoH wrote in message <3624C20D.5213@aol.com>...
>"Fun" to impede the progress of others and create a potentially
>hazardous situation? Oh I forgot, this is in the name of SAFETY too! I
>guess that makes it alright....
>
> Both of you, do the public a favor and take your 1979 ozone killing,
>gas guzzling, backfiring piece of rusted out death trap with one
>headlight and no taillights OFF the road! Perhaps the money you'd spend
>on a "ego" gun could be better utilized somewhere else? Like the
>mortgage payment on your trailer home?
>
> I pay attention to what's in front AND behind me when driving. I'd
>feel a thousand times safer letting one of these faster drivers pass me
>and distance myself from him than having someone like you driving next
>to me in the passing lane zapping traffic in front and holding up the
>ones behind, all in the name of fun! Oh excuse me, I'm sure you ment
>safety....
>
> Go join the highway patrol if you want to serve the public, because
>the most inattentative and dangerous drivers on the road are the LEO
>wannabes.
>
>KuoH
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>Dave D wrote:
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>> On Wed, 14 Oct 1998 13:03:44 GMT, <gcsahanin@home.com> wrote:
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>> >It is fun to watch these kids in their turbocharged-wheeze-o-matic
jap-traks
>> >slam on the brakes.
>> >
>> I bought one of those radar "test" kits a few years ago from the back

>> of Popular Whatever. Sends out an RF signal in the same band as the
>> radar guns.
>>
>> It's a lot of fun to slow down the truckers and speed demons. Followed
>> a turd in Mercedes for about 10 miles one time, eveytime he'd feel
>> safe and speed up, I'd zap him.
>> Dave

1410. Re: Radar Gun for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: KuoH <KuoH@aol.com>
Message-ID: <36251AF8.6C89@aol.com>
Source record: 129165
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.misc, sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

5 of 7 wrote:
>
> "impede" ??? so all the people obeying the posted speed limit
> are getting in the way of all the people who choose to ignore
> it eh ??

It only takes one person slamming on their brakes to start the chain reaction. Using one of these guns just to see someone's brake lights come on is of little comfort to the guy who just got cut off by your victim and is now braking for all he's worth too just to avoid an accident.

> let me get this straight ? it "hazardous" to do the posted
> speed limit ?

Read what I said above. Doing the posted limit is not hazardous, creating a situation that causes other drivers to behave unpredictibly is.

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> the asswipes who put themselves above the law, and feel
> their better than the guy who decides to obey the speed
> limit ?

There is nothing wrong with travelling at the speed limit, but when you attempt to govern the actions of others through the use of such devices, and you are not a LEO, then it is pure "EGO" at work, plain and simple. If these LEO wannabes actually want to slow traffic down, then they should leave the radar on at all times, as the actions of other drivers will tend to be more predictible and less hazardous. I'm not saying that speeding is right, but I don't subscribe to the "Two wrongs make a right" philosophy either.

> The cops can't be everywhere - why do you think the old
> saying "no cop around when you need him" ... ? came into being.
> The "agressive driver" hotlines established by some state
> patrols are indicative of how fed up people really are with
> scumbags who insist on driving like maniacs.

That's why I said "Join the highway patrol..." They need the help and will teach you the proper methods of traffic control, plus you get to ride around in a nicely equipped vehicle designed just for that purpose. Calling into a hotline is one thing, but taking things into your own hands by using one of these radars is something completely

different.

What's next? Under bumper deployable spike strips for those pesky tailgaters or highbeam dolts? Personally, I prefer to use my mirrors and avoid being in those situations to begin with. Take a good look at yourself before you start looking down at others.

KuoH

1411. FS: Bearcat 800XLT & SC150

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: mark <imok1@mc.net>
Message-ID: <36251CAF.B3E9BE82@mc.net>
Source record: 129166
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale:

BC800XLT - 40 channel base with cellular. Have power cable, and antenna
$100

SC150 - 100 channel handheld. Power/charger cable, antenna, and manual
$100

Both units are clean and have no scratches,dents, etc. Previous deals
have fallen through, so the units are back for sale.

thanks

1412. FS: RS PRO-43 Handheld Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tony Heatwole <heatwole@shell.clark.net>
Message-ID: <7037rd$7gl$4@clarknet.clark.net>
Source record: 129167

RS PRO-43 handheld scanner for sale. Price is $225 plus shipping. It works 100% and is a 9/10 cosmetically. It comes with the charger/power cord, a full set of Ni-Cad batteries, RS telescopic antenna, rubber duckie antenna, original packaging, original box, and original manual. Please e-mail if interested. Trades considered. Thanks for reading.

Nat Heatwole
heatwole@clark.net
KB3CBW, General

1413. FS: RS 2A/12V Power Supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tony Heatwole <heatwole@shell.clark.net>
Message-ID: <7038ip$8hq$5@callisto.clark.net>
Source record: 129168

Hello. I have a RS 1.75A/12V power supply for sale. The price is $20 plus shipping. The P/S has an on/off switch and and on light. It will do 2A surge and it GREAT for powering scanners from home. It works 100% and is a 9.5/10 cosmetically. The AC power cord is also included. Please e-mail if interested. Trades considered. Thanks a lot for reading.

Nat Heatwole
heatwole@clark.net
KB3CBW, General

1414. Re: Radar Gun for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Philip Rosenberg-Watt <rose7291@unco.edu>
Message-ID: <1K9V1.1065$ZY4.36114235@wormhole.dimensional.com>
Source record: 129169
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.misc, sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

J.R. Hehnly wrote in message <7036s4$sj3$1@supernews.com>...
>I saw another potential hazard the other day. The police set a car by the
>road, but left no-one in it! Cars were slamming on their brakes like
>crazy!!! I'm sure that if there had been an accident that it would be found
>to be the fault of the police for trying to 'scare' the kindly speeders. I
>think that only bonified on-the-scene police officers should be allowed to
>do anything to try and slow down our fine citizens who choose to ignore
>posted speeds.
>
>Or something.

Or something.

So, in essence, if I crash my car because of glare from the sun on my way home from work, it's the sun's fault?

I admit that my heart jumps a little bit every time I see a patrol car on the highways, but if motorists can't handle a little pressure from the State Patrol and panic everytime they see a cruiser parked on the shoulder, maybe they should re-think their tactics?

1415. Re: Radar Gun for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Philip Rosenberg-Watt <rose7291@unco.edu>
Message-ID: <cK9V1.1066$ZY4.36114235@wormhole.dimensional.com>
Source record: 129170
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.misc,
sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

KuoH wrote in message <36251AF8.6C89@aol.com>...
>5 of 7 wrote:
>>
>> "impede" ??? so all the people obeying the posted speed limit
>> are getting in the way of all the people who choose to ignore
>> it eh ??
>
> It only takes one person slamming on their brakes to start the chain
>reaction. Using one of these guns just to see someone's brake lights
>come on is of little comfort to the guy who just got cut off by your
>victim and is now braking for all he's worth too just to avoid an
>accident.

I'm sure if you check with your local traffic courts, a rear-end collission is ALWAYS the fault of the driver who rear-ended. Always. At least that's how it is here in Colorado. If you "can't help" avoiding slamming your multi-thousand lb. and $ transportation device into the back of someone else's because "they brake suddenly," it's still YOUR FAULT for following too closely and/or speeding way beyond the 85th percentile. I'm not saying that I stay back 2 seconds all the time, but just be prepared to accept the consequences of your own risky action(s). And I do totally agree that using a radar gun to slow traffic which is speeding and not giving enough follow time is dangerous. But the radar gun is not what caused the accident or created the safety hazzard; it's the method (or lack thereof) of people's driving. Make sure you realize the <driving envorinment> is not in itself hazardous or dangerous. It's the fallable human beings driving IN that environment who create the hazard.

1416. FS: Panasonic BQ-4C Battery Charger

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tony Heatwole <heatwole@shell.clark.net>
Message-ID: <70393l$8hq$8@callisto.clark.net>
Source record: 129171

Hello. I have a Panasonic BQ-4C battery charger for sale. The price is $20 plus shipping. The charger will charge AA or D batteries and can hold up to 10 batteries at a time. Also has charging lights. It works 100% and is a 9/10 cosmetically. Also included is the AC power cord. Please e-mail if interested. Trades considered. Thanks a lot for reading.

Nat Heatwole
heatwole@clark.net
KB3CBW, General

1417. FS: RS "Powerhorn" External Speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tony Heatwole <heatwole@shell.clark.net>
Message-ID: <7039e9$8hq$12@callisto.clark.net>
Source record: 129172

Hello. I have a RS ﷺPowerhornﷺ External Speaker. The price is $15 plus shipping. The speaker is directional, water resistant, and will do 5w/8 ohm. It includes the connector cord and the mobile/base mounting bracket. It works 100% and is a 9/10 cosmetically. This speaker works GREAT on almost any scanners or transceivers. Please e-mail if interested. Trades considered. Thanks a lot for reading.

Nat Heatwole
heatwole@clark.net
KB3CBW, General

1418. ~ List Your Items In Our Database For ï¿½FREEï¿½ ~

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: kttl@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981014190735.29722.00000778@ng126.aol.com>
Source record: 129173

We have a ï¿½FREEï¿½ service for anyone selling radio equipment, parts, manuals, etc. New, used or obsolete.
List your equipment in our database and when someone searches for some equipment you've listed, we give that buyer your contact information, including phone #, email address, and a link to your website (if applicable).
It doesn't cost you a penny to use our service.

Two-Way Shopper
www.twowayshopper.com
"Connecting the buyer with the seller"

1419. Re: Vintage Gay Erotic Magazines for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: tosca@warwick.net
Message-ID: <363c3342.85611083@news.warwick.net>
Source record: 129174

On 14 Oct 1998 03:05:01 GMT, bobar8@aol.com (BobAR8) was lurking
in rec.radio.amateur.equipment, and composed the following about
"Re: Vintage Gay Erotic Magazines for sale":

> THIS IS A HAM TRADER NEWSGROUP??????????

He was probably thinking of "ham" as in SAUSAGE.

--
ï¿½ase ELECTRONICA! ï¿½1976 TE Inc.
mailto:tosca@warwick.net
****
* ==PLEASE E-MAIL AS WELL AS POST;*
* ISP HAS BEEN PURGING QUICKLY; *
* MOST RESPONSES ARE MISSED!!== *
****

1420. Re: Radar Gun for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: 5 of 7 <Collective@borg.org>
Message-ID: <703d6c$nr6@news.webspan.net>
Source record: 129175
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.misc, sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

"J.R. Hehnly" <jarman@ionet.net> wrote:
>I saw another potential hazard the other day. The police set a car by the
>road, but left no-one in it! Cars were slamming on their brakes like
>crazy!!! I'm sure that if there had been an accident that it would be found
>to be the fault of the police for trying to 'scare' the kindly speeders. I
>think that only bonified on-the-scene police officers should be allowed to
>do anything to try and slow down our fine citizens who choose to ignore
>posted speeds.

So all those police agencies that place an unattended patrol car in
a school zone or residential zone to put violators on notice that they
might get nailed - should stop the practice ? Try telling that to the
parents of the children who might get hit by those idiots who've never
heard of the 2 words "speed limit"...

Why were the cars slamming on their brakes (because they knew they
were doing something wrong to begin with maybe ?)....if your legal,
you got nothing to worry about.

You know what really peeves me are the "rubberneckers" who insist
on slowing down to look at something that doesn't concern them - and
in the process, tie up traffic for no legitimate reason. The other day
on the interstate going north, our lanes were clear - but jammed up.
Why ? because the morons were slowing down to look at a wreck in the
southbound side of the interstate (on the opposite side of the divider!!)

Of course the typical rubbernecker is usually the asswipe who was
speeding and suddenly decides "oh I want to look at this nice wreck"
So since they don't give a shit about anyone else, they tie up traffic
behind them - again the "me me me" and "F everybody else" attitude.

1421. Re: 1255mhz pre-amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Pemble <pemble@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <703dgj$4h9@sjx-ixn4.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 129176
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.video.satellite.dbs,rec.video.satellite.misc,rec.video.satellite.tvro

DownEast Microwave -- I dunno about 30-40dB but I did get a 20dB for ATV.

http://www.downeastmicrowave.com/

cheers

Rick W4RP

kable guy minn wrote in message <702roj$34i$1@news.minn.net>...
>looking for a 1200 mhz rang pre-amp for atv need 30-40 db using it
>with a sat rec.. but other than the dumb radio schak one's
>
>thanks
>
>Bill
>n0mnb@minn.net
>
>
>

1422. Re: WTB: BIG OLD XMTG TUBES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: arnoldg@sf.telia.no
Message-ID: <3623eeeb.1177317@news1.telia.com>
Source record: 129195
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap

On 13 Oct 1998 02:12:21 GMT, "MAK" <blusky@internetcds.com> wrote:

>why would I want to deal with a tube dealer in Norway when we can all have
>fun trading over here in the states??

Maybe I can have valves that are very hard to find in your country?

Regards,

Arnold Goksoyr
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e-mail arnoldg@sf.telia.no

New and better homepage with valves, sockets, transformers,
caps, resistors and books about valves and valve equipment
1800 different valves in stock. Many rare European types.
You will find it at my homepage: http://demostenes.vestdata.no

1423. Re: Kenwood TM721 Mods needed for extended rx

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: w9vd@concentric.net
Message-ID: <700ttaagg1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129196

In article <19981013144307.05874.00000145@ng44.aol.com>,
owdsod@aol.com (Owdsod) wrote:
> Does anyone know of any mods to extend Rx covergage for te Kenwood TN721E dual
> bander
> DE John G8JIT email Owdsod or JohnMck66 @aol.com
>
Hello John,

Go to QRZ.COM on the internet. They have the mods for the 721.

Good luck and 73 from W9VD.

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http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1424. Re: WTB: BIG OLD XMTG TUBES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joanne Dow <jdow@bix.com>
Message-ID: <3623F0F1.A33FD75A@bix.com>
Source record: 129197
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap

MAK wrote:
>
> Wanted big old xmtg tubes i.e.:

What are you willing to pay for new in box 304TLs?
And where are you located. (Boxes have been gnawed
by rats. Tubes are exceptionally clean.) I have access
to three of these beauties at my Rancho Cucamonga, Ca
address. Cash and carry preferred.

{^_^} Joanne Dow, jdow@bix.com

1425. FS: 40 meter beam

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: jchol@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981013204515.01430.00000366@ng92.aol.com>
Source record: 129198

KLM 2 el. 40 meter beam (works on 17meters as well). in service last two years- just took it down. $250 plus shipping from Lafayette, LA.

73 de John, WA5TWL

1426. WTB: UNIDEN 2600 PRESIDENT MODIFIED OR NOT.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ken <davedogg@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <3623F7DF.6692816D@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 129199

I am looking for a 2600 in very good to MINT condition.

E-Mail me with info.

If yours is modified, tell me what the mods are.
If you don't have a price in mind, we'll work that out.
I'm not cheap, I just want a good radio.

Don't be shy, all e-mails replied to.

I am ready to send the money. Had one once and sorry I got rid of it.
WB4MYE Ken Anderson
Pompano Beach FL (near Lauderdale)

1427. FS: Boonton Model 44a Microwatt Meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: rfsay@att.net
Message-ID: <rfsay-1310982159320001@139.newark-03-04rs.nj.dial-access.att.net>
Source record: 129200

Forsale 1 Boonton Electronics Model 44A Microwatt meter. This unit is a tube unit. I have no probes and no manual. Also one tube is missing , I think it is the rectifier tube like a 6x4 or 12x4, good unit to restore. make offer by email. 73's

Thanks in advance,
Bob S.

1428. Re: I have a ft-50r with a problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Smith <bs@BSartist.com>
Message-ID: <7010sq$4d7@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 129201

Hold down the knob and mon button (the one on the left between PTT and LAMP).

It should come up with something like ALRST on the display. Hit the F key (lower right).

BTW, this is documented in my manual on the upper right of page 56

Bill
n2asa

Steve Garvelink wrote in message ...
>Is there a way to reset the cpu or every setting on the yasue ft-50r
>
>my ptt does not work at all i was plugging in my speaker mic and it said
>
>error twice
>because it was off band (i was lessening to a radio program) and then
>the ptt on the radio and the spker mic dident work and suggesting
>
> also it does not say how to reset it in the radio manual
>
>73's kf4vwj Zachary Garvelink
>
>
>

1429. Re: High frequency speaker responce

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Smith <bs@BSartist.com>
Message-ID: <70113d$5k5@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 129202

Don't you run into a problem on repeaters that transmit or re-transmit PL tones? I've found that the freq response of regular audio headphones is low enough that I can here the hum of the PL tones which gets to me after awhile.

Do you just turn the bass control all the way down to get rid of it?

Bill
n2asa

dan wrote in message <362255d0.20107943@netnews.worldnet.att.net>...
>I run my receivers to an old low power stereo amplifier, which drives
>some low-price (RS) bookshelf speakers. The extra audio output,
>speaker audio response, and treble/bass controls of the audio amp make
>for MUCH better audio than stock speakers that come with the
>receivers. Also, the balance control makes mutlireceiver operation
>more flexible as well. I'd had the old stereo amp sitting around for
>years, and finally found a good use for it!
>
>
>==========
>On Sun, 11 Oct 1998 13:52:17 -0300, "Dennis Hennigan"
><dennis@top.monad.net> wrote:
>
>>I recently purchased a IC746 with external Icom SP21 speaker.
>>At least for my ears there is way too much bass responce. When Im
listining
>>to a SW station, I cant even understand what they are saying because of
the
>>lack of highs and too much low frequency resopnse. Is there an add on
>>device (i.e. equalizer) which I can use to increase the high frequency
>>response?
>>73 Dennis WA1HOG
>>
>>
>

1430. Yaesu Dual Bander 5200 $350

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nicky <lucky12@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <7011k8$8st@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 129203

Hi
I have a Yaesu 5200 removeable face mobile unit with lighted mic for $350 or best offer
50w/35w VHF/UHF. Excellent conditon!! box and manual. opened recieve police and other stuff.
http://home.att.net/~lucky12

1431. Re: Melissa the Lesbian Ham (was: Re: Gernsback's Radio For Beginners 1938)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: xxx@nb.net
Message-ID: <36246B77.E0A050D0@nb.net>
Source record: 129204

CBRambo wrote:

> "Where's that big 'ol CB RAMBO??"
> "I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

W H O C A R E S ! ! !

1432. Re: Vintage Gay Erotic Magazines for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: bobar8@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981013230501.27710.00000428@ng-fd1.aol.com>
Source record: 129205

THIS IS A HAM TRADER NEWSGROUP??????????

1433. Re: Wanted Info on small HTs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: mike@onpointgifts.com
Message-ID: <7018mi$ps8$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129206

In article <6vt59q$89n$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
clintbrad4d@earthlink.net wrote:
> In article <361FB22F.3511@1st.net>,
> do@1st.net wrote:
>
> > looking at the Icom ic-q7a, Alinco c5, and Yaesu vx1.
>
> I am enjoying the heck out of my Yaesu VX-1R, Duane. I already had the ADMS-1
> Programming Software for my Yaesu FT-50RD...although I have manually
> programmed frequencies on the unit.
>
> Two minor problems: the stock antenna isn't as good as a performer as I would
> like, but that's easily remedied with one of several SMA-mount units available
> from other manufacturers.
>

Just bought a VX-1R. I'm going to buy that belt clip...looks great and need
it out in the field for sure. About the antenna? I saw another post that
someone bought 16" comet. I noticed you use SMA-503 Comet. That's about 6"
or so right? Would you buy this antenna again or get a longer one?

Thank you in advance,

Mike

> The second item that needs improvement is the belt clip. The stock clip just
> isn't as strong as I would like it. BUT - Bob Dashoff has taken care of that
> for us. He offers a modified Motorola pager belt clip that fits our VX-1Rs
> perfectly! See it at
>
> http://www.icongrp.com/~sllewd/beltclp.htm
>
> ...and browse that site for its information on the VX-1R.
>
> Just remember - 1/2-Watt with supplied Lithium Ion battery. I happen to live
> in a very repeater-rich region of Southern California...and can hit a lot of
> repeaters. I also am close toOntario Int's Airport - which provides some
> interesting monitoring. 2 Meter and 440 performance for me has been fine -
> with an antenna change fromth stock one.
>
> - Clint Bradford, KE6LCS
>
> -----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own
>

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1434. WTB: Vector Network Analyzer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: xchen@mach1.wlu.ca
Message-ID: <F0sp3y.4IF@info.uucp>
Source record: 129207

I am looking for a used network analyzer up to 6 GHz. Please let me konw
if you have a one for sale. Thanks!

Regards
John
519-894-3489

1435. FS: Commercial Gear

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: mikrounit@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <3624351b.19738118@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 129208

Hello All,

I have 2 Working commercial rigs.

1) Motorola Mocom 70 VHF Hi, 50watt model, with mic, speaker, and
control head. Works Great, 150-160 MHz right now.
Best Offer

2) Standard Commuications 20 watt, UHF mobile, NO MIC, do have manual,
internal speaker does NOT work, can work 400-512 MHz
Crystal controlled.
Make offer
Do NOT have model # in front of me, if intersted, E-mail me and I'll
send ya the Model #.

Thanks & 73,

Mike Green KQ6MU
(805) 944-0866
mikrounit@earthlink.net
http://home.earthlink.net/~mikrounit

1436. Ft 2700 or sk 2699R Thecnical supplement

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmavrick <jmavrick@club-internet.fr>
Message-ID: <36243E09.F505B74C@club-internet.fr>
Source record: 129209

Hello!

I'm looking for the FT-2700 or the SK2699R Technical supplement

Thanks to everyone who can help me to find it.

Thanks again !

jmavrick@club-internet.fr

1437. FA-eBay: FT-620B 6M Xcvr SSB/CW/AM Beautiful!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: k6sde@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <701d7kvdh1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129210

Panel and operation as new:

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=35680550

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http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1438. FS: For Sale By Online Auction

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: nia@nospam.montana.com
Message-ID: <36244e09.0@news.tsoft.net>
Source record: 129211

For sale via online auction: YAESU Antenna Rotator G-500A
New Azmith Antenna Rotor

Location: Butte, MT USA
Minimum Bid: $25.00
Auction Ends: 10/20 9:47am PST
To bid, please go to CityAuction:
http://www.cityauction.com/item.asp?ID=171573

For sale via online auction: Mirage 2mtr Power Amp 160Watts
Mirage Amp FM/SSB/CW Model B-3016

Location: Butte, MT USA
Minimum Bid: $25.00
Auction Ends: 10/20 11:00am PST
To bid, please go to CityAuction:
http://www.cityauction.com/item.asp?ID=171592

For sale via online auction: Icom IC-451 Tranceiver All Mode
Great 450mhz Icom Tranceiver Great for Satellite

Location: Butte, MT USA
Minimum Bid: $50.00
Auction Ends: 10/20 4:45pm PST
To bid, please go to CityAuction:
http://www.cityauction.com/item.asp?ID=171667

For sale via online auction: Yaesu All Mode Tranceiver
Excellent 2mtr All Mode Tranceiver FT-225RD

Location: Butte, MT USA
Minimum Bid: $50.00
Auction Ends: 10/20 5:01pm PST
To bid, please go to CityAuction:
http://www.cityauction.com/item.asp?ID=171678

For sale via online auction: Icom IC-AG1 Preamplifier
A must for use with Icom 451A/E Tranceiver

Location: Butte, MT USA
Minimum Bid: $10.00
Auction Ends: 10/20 5:45pm PST
To bid, please go to CityAuction:
http://www.cityauction.com/item.asp?ID=171695

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1439. Re: WTB PAIR 6JS6C OR B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Ward <don@kay-dee.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <1WCY6LA$nFJ2EwfT@kay-dee.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 129212
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <6vvnt5osv1@autumn.news.rcn.net>, JOHN WARD
<HITECH@EROLS.COM> writes
>Looking for tubes for my yeasu ft-101 b any help will be appreciated thanks
>
>
Where are you John? I have some good used ones very cheap but unless you
are in the UK they won't be much good to you!

Don Ward G0MDO

1440. Re: High frequency speaker responce

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Edward L. Dowdy" <eldowdy@net66.com>
Message-ID: <aH_U1.1069$jE1.1827@news3.ispnews.com>
Source record: 129213

Not many PL tones on HF. :)

Bill Smith wrote in message <70113d$5k5@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>...
>Don't you run into a problem on repeaters that transmit or re-transmit PL
>tones? I've found that the freq response of regular audio headphones is low
>enough that I can here the hum of the PL tones which gets to me after
>awhile.
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>Do you just turn the bass control all the way down to get rid of it?
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>Bill
>n2asa
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>dan wrote in message <362255d0.20107943@netnews.worldnet.att.net>...
>>I run my receivers to an old low power stereo amplifier, which drives
>>some low-price (RS) bookshelf speakers. The extra audio output,
>>speaker audio response, and treble/bass controls of the audio amp make
>>for MUCH better audio than stock speakers that come with the
>>receivers. Also, the balance control makes mutlireceiver operation
>>more flexible as well. I'd had the old stereo amp sitting around for
>>years, and finally found a good use for it!
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>>On Sun, 11 Oct 1998 13:52:17 -0300, "Dennis Hennigan"
>><dennis@top.monad.net> wrote:
>>
>>>I recently purchased a IC746 with external Icom SP21 speaker.
>>>At least for my ears there is way too much bass responce. When Im
>listining
>>>to a SW station, I cant even understand what they are saying because of
>the
>>>lack of highs and too much low frequency resopnse. Is there an add on
>>>device (i.e. equalizer) which I can use to increase the high frequency
>>>response?
>>>73 Dennis WA1HOG
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1441. ::FS: ::: Ameritron AL 1500, New:::

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Murray Neece" <kc5mdm@iglobal.net>
Message-ID: <36247EE0.AA4FA64@iglobal.net>
Source record: 129214
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Yep..... New, I assemebled it for the first time last nite and it is working and looking beautiful !! Was bot by someone in 95 and kept in the box....I tried it last nite and it is just like it should be...will be happy to keep it but if you want it while its still new, it yours for $1895 plus shipping...or will take a partial trade of late HF gear....Thanks 73 Murray

1442. ::FS: ::: Ameritron AL 1500, New:::

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Murray Neece" <kc5mdm@iglobal.net>
Message-ID: <36247F62.7C9FBEAD@iglobal.net>
Source record: 129215
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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1443. :::: HF AMPS> FOR SALE ::::

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Murray Neece" <kc5mdm@iglobal.net>
Message-ID: <362482ED.37845A68@iglobal.net>
Source record: 129216
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Besides that AL 1500 I have: #1..Fully moded up: Heathkit SB 220, parasitics, cooling, vaccum relay, soft start, and as clean as new...very little use on it $595..is cheap for this one.....#2..Dentron Cliperton L with tuned inputs, two brand new tubes and two nearly....Very nice looking and works perfectly..$575 for 1200 wattsWOW!.....#3. Clipperton L , tuned inputs 4 fresh 811a's for 900 out...$525 and it looks good too!! #4. Worthmore Mobile amps...new! $329 plus shipping for the 350 watt hf mobile amp thats taken TEXAS and working on the rest....Pix and details on request..Thanks Murray K5MDM

1444. TUBES FOR SALE:: 8874's and 8877's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Murray Neece" <kc5mdm@iglobal.net>
Message-ID: <36248F66.793C61EE@iglobal.net>
Source record: 129217
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

I have some 8874s in new and like new shape, also have one "as new"
8877....the 8874s are from $175-225, and will sell the 8877 for $395
shipped...All gauranteed or your money tearfully refunded...Thanks
Murray

1445. Re: Icom Q7A Anyone Have Any Mods?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: robpetersonSPAMME@iname.com
Message-ID: <36268566.1709898@news.flash.net>
Source record: 129218

Gee, why not leave simple text? And you really need to learn how to spell.

On Tue, 13 Oct 1998 23:44:10 -0400, Lee Mannchen <fixer@cchat.com> wrote:

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>
>Bruce A Shurtz wrote:
>
>> Looking for any TX mods for this radio.

1446. Audio Oscillator FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: willis <5560@notsonet.com>
Message-ID: <3624A3D0.CB3@notsonet.com>
Source record: 129219

Krohn- Hite model 4100 oscillator with digital pushbutton selection, sign and square wave output. Frequency range .01HZ to 1 MHZ. signwave ZERO to 10 Volts RMS, Square wave Zero to 5 Volts P-P. $150, Plus shipping. please respond to: shiso@ici.net Thanks.. Bruce KD1MW

1447. Re: High frequency speaker responce

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: cslc82@email.mot.com
Message-ID: <3626997a.168510915@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 129220

I use the stereo amp/speakers on HF....have never used it VHF/UHF,
altho the PL problem you mention would be a pain. Most commerical gear
has a highpass filter in the audio output to get rid of the PL; one
would think the amateur manufacturers would have learned that trick by
now?!?

On 14 Oct 1998 02:08:45 GMT, "Bill Smith" <bs@BSartist.com> wrote:

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>tones? I've found that the freq response of regular audio headphones is low
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1448. Re: Radar Gun for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: gcsahanin@home.com
Message-ID: <Qi1V1.6$I86.63608@news.rdc1.tx.home.com>
Source record: 129221
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.misc,
sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

It is fun to watch these kids in their turbocharged-wheeze-o-matic jap-traks
slam on the brakes.

-g

Bruce Starr wrote in message <36243B50.AB27B154@ix.netcom.com>...
>"Think of it as evolution in action"
>
>KuoH wrote:
>
>> Ahh yes, create a pile-up in the name of safety. Do us a favor, keep
>> it in your lap and turned on at all times. At least that might lessen
>> the chances that we'll have to deal with your progeny too.
>>
>> KuoH
>>
>> bryan@prodistributors.com wrote:
>> >
>> >
>> > KUSTOM ELECTRONICS Model HR-8 hand held radar gun for sale.
>> > This is a 24 GHZ unit that is in good working order. Comes complete
>> > with carrying case and tuning fork for calibration. You can sure make
>> > the brake lights come on with this......$100 plus UPS.
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1449. Question on MFJ 962C and 962D

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: harleyfxd <harleyfxd@erols.com>
Message-ID: <362497E1.6FB1@erols.com>
Source record: 129222

Does anyone know the difference between the MFJ 962C and 962D. The only difference I can see from some old AES catalogs is the dimensions. A local ham wants $85 for his 962C and I just want to make sure it's not too inferior the the newer version.

Thanks in advance,

John

harleyfxd@erols.com

1450. Re: Radar Gun for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave213@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <3624aa0a.65277102@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 129223
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.misc,
sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

On Wed, 14 Oct 1998 13:03:44 GMT, <gcsahanin@home.com> wrote:

>It is fun to watch these kids in their turbocharged-wheeze-o-matic jap-traks
>slam on the brakes.
>
I bought one of those radar "test" kits a few years ago from the back
of Popular Whatever. Sends out an RF signal in the same band as the
radar guns.

It's a lot of fun to slow down the truckers and speed demons. Followed
a turd in Mercedes for about 10 miles one time, eveytime he'd feel
safe and speed up, I'd zap him.
Dave

1451. FS:RFI Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: KB6LUE <kb6lue@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <3625256C.412C@pacbell.net>
Source record: 129224

Hi
I have a for sale Singer NM65T RFI receiver. Covers the frequency
range of 1Ghz to 10Ghz. Price $375 plus UPS 714 441 1002
Thanks
Jin KB6LUE

1452. Amateur radio TUBES F.S.(updated 10/14/98)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: tubecntral@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981014094144.27708.00000542@ng-fd1.aol.com>
Source record: 129225

Hello, I have the following Amateur radio tubes for sale. All are NOS
in the original box unless stated otherwise. When possible, (some tubes
can only be tested in curcuit) tubes are tested with a Hickok TV-7D/U.
I have a vast amount of tested, miniature tubes for your recievers,
transmitters, test equipment, etc. at very reasonable prices. Also have
a pretty huge stock of all types of NOS tubes, please inquire about things
not appearing on any of my posts. I'm in the midst of learning how to
set up a website, perhaps in this life :o)... Shipping extra, runs only
3.00 and up, whatever the post office charges...insurance is only a buck
or so, depending on the market value for the particular item(s).
The large transmitter tubes have been checked via ohmmeter.
I will only shipped these fully insured.
Of course, i'll guarantee them to work properly, so PLEASE TEST CAREFULLY
IMMEDIATELY apon arrival, and if it doesn't do what you like, just send it
back right away for a prompt refund,(in original,shipped condition) less return

shipping charges. If defective, I'll absorb initial shipping costs.
Thanks,
if interested, drop me a line... 73's
Joe Pratt, Tubecntral@aol.com

NOS, ORIGINAL BOX, UNLESS NOTED:

0A2, G.E. France, orig. rack of five, 20.00 for all five, or 5.00 ea.
0A3, VARIOUS low hour used, 1.00
0B3, same as above, 1.00
0C3, same as above, 1.00
0D3, same as above,
NOS in the ABOVE NUMBERS, 0A3,0B3,OC3 0D3. @ 2.50 ea.
QB3/300, VALVO, never used, but no box, 25.00
2C39A/B, Eimac, Machlett, Many bulk, NOS 20.00, used/tested, 10.00
2C40, RCA JAN, still sealed! TWO @ 25.00 ea.
2C43, various used, 10.00 ea.
2C53, United, TWO @ 27.00 ea.
2E24, RCA JAN, TWO @ 4.00 ea.
2E26, G.E. JAN Canada, ONE @ 4.00
3B28, Electronic ent., TWO lightly used, 12.00 ea.
CERAMIC SOCKETS FOR THE ABOVE TWO @ 3.00 ea.
4B32, Chatham, TWO used, 25.00 ea.
CERAMIC BASES FOR THE ABOVE, TWO @ 8.00 ea.
5AS4A, RCA, ONE @ 14.00
5AS4A, TUNG-SOL, ONE @ 14.00
5AW4, CBS Hytron CTS rated (continuous service), THREE @ 2.50 ea.
5R4 GY, RCA, ONE @ 8.00
5R4-GYA, G.E. tan base, TWO @ 8.00

5U4 GB / 5AS4A, G.E., FIVE @ 12.00 ea.
5U4 GB / 5AS4A, SYLVANIA, FIVE @ 12.00 ea.
5U4 GB, RCA, FOUR @ 14.00 ea.
5U4 GB, FIFTY used, 2.50 ea.,ALL 50 for 95.00
5V3A/5AU4, RCA, ONE @ 3.00
5V4 G/GA, ONE CBS @ 8.00
5V4 GA, G.E. Industrial red, ONE @ 8.00
6AB7-Y, RCA JAN, THREE @ 4.00 ea.
6AC7 JAN and W, VARIOUS brands, 2.00 ea.
6AG7, RCA US navy, EIGHT @ 3.00 ea
6BE6, TUNG SOL, TWO @ 6.00 ea.
6BG6G, RCA, TWO @ 5.00 ea
6BQ6 GTA, TUNG-SOL, FIVE @ 4.00 ea.
6C4 VARIOUS JAN and W, 3.00 ea.
6DQB/6GW6, RCA, THREE @ 4.00 ea.
6H6, VARIOUS JAN, MANY @ 1.50 ea.
6H6 GT, (glass), ONE Syl., @ 2.00
6JB6, Raytheon, ONE @ 15.00
6JB6, Zenith (probably Syl.), ONE used @ 7.00
6JB6A, RCA, ONE @ 18.00
6JE6, RCA, NOS reboxed, ONE @ 15.00
6JE6C/6LQ6, Realistic Lifetime, ONE @ 24.00
6JE6C/6LQ6, G.E., ONE @ 26.00
6JF6, RCA, TWO @ 7.00 ea.
6JS6A, RCA, One used, very good, 8.00
6JS6B, G.E., ONE used, v.good, 10.00
6JS6C, RCA, ONE used, very good, 12.00
6JS6C, Syl., ONE used, v.good, 12.00
6K7, US navy, SIX @ 3.00 ea. (metal)
6KD6, RCA, ONE used, low hours, 15.00
6LF6, G.E., ONE like new,low if any hours, 20.00
6L6 G, Sylvania, ONE @ 24.00
6L6 G, RCA,, ONE @ 25.00
6N7, G.E. US navy, THREE @ 4.00 ea.
10Y/VT-25, ONE G.E. used, v.good, 22.00
12AX7A, SYL., FIVE @ 10.00 EA.
12AX7WA, SYL., military, SIX @ 12.00 ea.
12BH7A, G.E., FIVE @ 10.00 ea.
12BH7A RCA, TWO. @ 12.00 ea.]
12BY7 A, RCA, TWO @ 8.00 ea.
12H6 RCA JAN, TWELVE @ 2.00 ea.
12K8-Y, RCA JAN, THREE @ 2.00 ea.
25-T, EIMAC, ONE NOS white box, 25.00
RK-34, Raytheon, ONE @ 7.00
TB-35, Taylor, ONE @ 40.00
35TG, EIMAC JAN,crumbling original boxes TWO @ 45.00 ea. the PAIR @ 80.00
36KD6, RCA, ONE used, v.good, 8.00
RK-62, Raytheon, ONE @ 20.00
75, RCA US navy, TWO @ 9.00 ea
80, RCA ST, FIVE @ 15.00

80, RCA tubular, ONE @ 9.00
80, FOUR various used ST bulb, 7.00 EA
82, RCA JAN, ONE @ 12.00
82, RCA JAN, ONE @ 12.00
83, RCA, ONE reboxed NOS, 14.00
SAME AS ABOVE, but worn orig. box, 14.00
83, G.E. tubular glass, TWO @ 10.00 ea.
307A/VT-225, KEN-RAD, ONE used @ 10.00
802, RCA US Navy, ONE @ 9.00
811A,Electronic Ent., ONE light use, 15.00
811 A, G.E., ONE @ 27.00
811 A, RCA , ONE USED,but V.GOOD @ 15.00
812 A, Sylvania, TWO @ 37.00 EA., THE PAIR 70.00
812 A, Electron Enterprises ONE used, 20.00
813, RCA, ONE used, 20.00
CERAMIC SOCKETS FOR ABOVE 813,by Johnson, TWO @ 5.00 ea.
816, RCA, ONE @ 18.00
816, RCA JAN, ONE used, 9.00
866, RCA, ONE used, 6.00
872A/VT-42A, Amperex, wrapped NOS ,TWO @ 29.00 ea.
4-1000A Eimac with socket and finned cap,(unused, i'm told),ONE @ 295.00
4-1000A Eimac, no finned cap, no socket, (used, I'm told), ONE @ 150.00
1616, Hytron US Navy, TWO @ 6.00 ea., TWO used @ 3.00 ea.
1620 RCA, FOUR @ 7.00 ea.
1626, Hytron JAN, TWO @ 3.00
1629, KEN-RAD, ONE @ 9.00
1633, (25 volt section matched 6SN7) RCA, SEVEN @ 3.50 ea.
2050 A, G.E., used, TWO @ 6.00 ea.
2051, RCA, THREE @ 8.00 ea.
GL-5670, G.E. FIVE-STAR, ONE @ 5.00
C3J/A/5684, RCA, ONE @ 32.00
C3J/A/5684, NATIONAL ELECTRONICS, ONE @ 29.00
WL-5684 Westinghouse, One used @ 14.00
5726, (6AL5, BEEFED UP),G.E. 5-STAR, FIVE @ 3.00 ea.
5844, (comp. rated 6J6) G.E. 5 STAR,(5 star boxes,too),2.00 ea.
5876, (pencil triode) TUNG-SOL JAN, ONE @ 24.00
5894/ CV-2797, MULLARD Gt. Brit, TWO @ 22.00 ea.
5932, (6L6 variant), Syl. JAN, ONE @ 17.00
5963 (comp. rated 12AU7), RCA, FIVE @ 3.00 ea.
5998 A, G.E. JAN, TWO @ 14.00 ea
6005 (Ind. rated 6AQ5), G.E. 5-STAR, THREE, 4.00 ea.
SAME AS ABOVE, ONE NOS reboxed, 2.00
6072, G.E. FIVE-STAR, ONE @ 10.00
6080, (RUGGED 6AS7 G) RCA JAN, TWO @ 9.00 ea
6080 WA, Sylvania JAN, ONE @ 9.00
6082 WB, Raytheon JAN, ONE @ 10.00
6087 (5Y3 WGTB), G.E., ONE @ 9.00
6098/6AR6 WA, TUNG-SOL, ONE @ 10.00, TWO used @ 5.00 ea.
6101, (6J6 WA),RCA, TWO @ 2.00 ea.
6146, RCA one used, min.=46, this= 53, ONE @ 6.00

6146B/8298A, G.E. branded Motorola, ONE MATCHED (Gm) NOS PAIR, 30.00
Special:Buy the matched pair above get a 12BY7 NOS driver,35.00 total
6159, RCA US NAVY, ONE @ 7.00
6197, (6CL6), TWO USED G.E.,but as new, 2.00 ea.
6197, same as above, but NOS Sylvania green logo,
Mil. boxed, THREE @ 3.00 ea.
Same as above, Westinghouse, 3.00 ea.
6202, (comp. rated 6X4), THREE G.E., 3.00 ea.
6252, Amperex, TWO @ 24.00 ea.
7036,(larger envelope 5915A,comp. rated 6BE6),G.E. 5-STAR,THREE @ 5.00 ea.
7193, KEN-RAD US navy, TWO @ 5.00 ea.
7239, BVA Mullard USA, (G.E. made), ONE @ 21.00
SAME AS ABOVE BUT G.E. BRAND,like new,very low hours, ONE 15.00
7360, RCA, TWO very low hour used, 14.00 ea.
7378, Amperex Holland, never used, mounted on NOS ceramic base, w/cap, 70.00
7586 RCA nuvistor,TWO @ 20.00 ea.
8068, G.E., ONE @ 36.00
8156, G.E., ONE @ 14.00
8156, Amperex, ONE @ 18.00
8393 RCA nuvistor, TWO @ 20.00 ea.
TUNGAR bulb, Large #99x44, ONE used @ 10.00
****Remember to inquire about anything you don't see, I may have ...

Thank you,
Joe Pratt, Tubecntral@aol.com

1453. FS/FT IC-275H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: reedj@earth.execpc.com
Message-ID: <702cc5$t59@newsops.execpc.com>
Source record: 129226

For Sale or Trade: Icom IC-275H
This is a 144-148 MHz all mode VHF radio that runs 100 watts on SSB/CW/FM. It has 100 memories, dual VFOs, PBT, notch filter and noise blanker. It is high speed packet capable as well. This radio is in excellent electrical condition and is a 9 on looks. With manual and hand microphone.

Asking $675+ shipping or willing to trade for Drake equipment.

Joe N9JR
reedj@execpc.com

1454. Re: Alternative to ICOM CT-17?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clinton <cpeebles@_nospam_netidea.com>
Message-ID: <36267FE5.6E43@_nospam_netidea.com>
Source record: 128981

David Toste wrote:
>
> But all means take a visit to my webpage, I have a 706 and built the CI-V
> unit into a RS232 Case for a grand total of $3.25 in NEW parts. CANADA in
> fact :)
>
> http://www.interlog.com/~saturn

Thanks David. Just what I was looking for.

--

Kill the MAI

****

Clinton Peebles VE7KNL Grid DN19ie
Remove _NOSPAM_ to reply.
E-Mail: VE7KNL@RAC.CA

1455. F.S. Bird Meter Model 43

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: kcoin@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981015191825.17670.00001298@ng120.aol.com>
Source record: 128982

Bird Thruline Watt Meter Model 43 (Case Has 4 paint chips) Looks like New
W/ 2 N. Connectors---2 So239 Connectors & Caps (10/12/98)
4 Slugs Like New.
100 W--100-250 Mhz.
100 W--400-1000 Mhz.
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250 W-- 2-30 Mhz.
$350.Shp. (48's)
This Equipment is Guarantee as Described or your Money Back Minus Shipping
Ken (WN9N) 815-478-5109 kcoin@aol.com

1456. WTB ten tec 234 speech processor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: rhka0fbj@netins.net
Message-ID: <70602o$q8f$1@ins8.netins.net>
Source record: 128983
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Cul8r

Robert Hull rhka0fbj@netins.net KA0FBJ

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Net-Tamer V 1.10 - Test Drive

1457. FT-50R Bat. Drain Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Perri <jperri@aros.net>
Message-ID: <3626971B.21369DBB@aros.net>
Source record: 128984

First thanks to those who answered my plea for help on the Battery Drain problem on the early
FT-50R's. Got the parts from Yaesu today, now can't find where they go. Anyone know an easy way to locate the spot without a service manual?

Tnx

JMP

1458. Info neededHallicrafter PS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <jmul@iland.net>
Message-ID: <3626A509.2937@iland.net>
Source record: 128985

I have a Hallicrafter power supply model PS 150-120 which runs my SR150.
I need to know what value of resistor that goes between the two jacks
that you use to measure the bias voltage. Also, what should the bias
voltage be? A schematic copy would be great, but the requested info is
what I need to repair this unit. Thanks, John N0EE

1459. FS or Trade: Voice Logging recorders

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3jpu@erols.com
Message-ID: <362b8b86.3263931@news.erols.com>
Source record: 128986

FS or Trade: Voice Logging recorders

I have some Racal Wordsafe VHS voice logging recorders for sale or trade.

These are recorders used by 911 centers, DoD ATC and other applications for recording Radio and/or Telephone. These units record 32 channels on 2 T160 VHS tapes for 48+ hours (24+ hours per tape with automatic change over). The dimensions are 19" wide, 8.75" high.

The recorders on playback can automatically fast forward or reverse to the next message, play it and then go on to the next messages. Microprocessor controlled with many features. I can e-mail additional info if interested.

I have 2 rackmount recorders and 1 desktop version (and a 4th for spares).

All units are in extremely clean and have shipping boxes. These recorders originally sold for about $25K new. These were trade-in's that we took back and I can only get rid of them for hobbyist use (i.e. SWL, Scanning or Ham).

So if are looking for a professional way to record multiple radios this is it. They also work great as an audio multiplex unit as you can listen live to any combination of channels.

I am interested in trading for high quality radio equipment (commercial or mil-spec radio's, Ham equipment (looking for a 50 Mhz and 144 Mhz Amp of 400+ watts), wideband V/UHF receivers). Or possibly cash of $1000-$1500 each.

1460. Re: FT 847

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: feinstei@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <3626891e.1533337@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 128987

On Thu, 15 Oct 1998 16:18:18 -0500, <nh6cj@ibm.net> wrote:

>Any mods out on the 847 yet? I know it is new but I sure do like it. Any amd
>all would be helpful...
>
>

Try the Yaesu FT-847 web site. Mods delight over there.

http://www.en.com/users/rayd/ft-847/

1461. FS/Trade: MFJ1621 Portable Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Terry <pridgent@pinn.net>
Message-ID: <v8wV1.254$fl.3069928@audrey2.cais.com>
Source record: 128988
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have a nice condition MFJ 1621 portable antenna that I'm looking to sale
or trade. I asking $60.00 plus shipping. I looking for the W-2 SWR/Watt
meter that matches the Dentron Super Tuner.
73 Terry/KC4YTF
pridgent@pinn.net

1462. Re: Comments on the Magellan ColorTrak GPS receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@groucho.cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <7064hk$3sl@groucho.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 128989

bdiaz@my-dejanews.com writes:
>The fastest time to a lock was about 3 minutes. Most of the time it's about
>5 minutes. I've had it take 15 minutes (more or less) to get a lock and
>a few times it never locked even after 45 minutes. In those cases,
>I powered off, then powered on, and got a lock in about 5 minutes.

This is slow even by the standards of the old single-channel GPS units.
Maybe yours isn't quite healthy.

But performance has improved greatly with the appearance of 8- and 12-
channel parallel receivers. A Garmin GPS 12 can be had for $150 US,
and it has external power input, computer interface for transferring
tracks and waypoints, and a bit-mapped display that can do chart
plotting (no built-in database of land features though - all you see
are your waypoints and track log).

The Magellan Blazer 12 is apparently even cheaper, but has no computer
interface, and the display is a fixed LCD that can't do chart plotting.

Both of these are 12-channel, and should give you a lock in about 45
seconds when they haven't been in use for a few days or a few weeks
and are stationary when turned on.

Dave

1463. Re: Radar Gun for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill <billnews@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <7063ae$2mj$1@supernews.com>
Source record: 128990

Thats fine I agree with the newsgrops purpose. But as you can see the term is plural, so create a newsgroup just for this type of mindless discussion. rec.radio.swap is for selling equipment. If I wanted to see these kind of mindless ideas I'd visit rec.radio.jerry if it existed. By the way I wonder if he ever sold the gun.

Bill

1464. Re: Radar Gun for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kuo Huang <kuoh@aol.com>
Message-ID: <3626971D.4BBE@aol.com>
Source record: 128991
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.misc,
sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

You do understand the difference between the terms "cutoff" and
"tailgating" don't you?!

KuoH

Robert Hawk wrote:
>
> If you stupid, arrogant B*stards would allow a "safe distance"
> between you and the car in front of you, You would not have
> to worry about hitting sombody in the rear end, and getting
> your dumb ass sued off..Because you were following to close.
>
> get a life, and put your cell phone where the sun don't shine.
>
> Thats MY Opinion
>
> Bob
> >

1465. FS: Prestine ICOM IC-R9000 with SP-20

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: davez <davez@ticon.net>
Message-ID: <706664gal1@galileo.ticon.net>
Source record: 128992
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

FOR SALE: A Mint-Prestine ICOM IC-R9000 receiver. Not a scratch, nick or ANY dust on this set. 3 years old, display was never abused (brightness never turned up too high), has had very little use. Always covered when not in use. Non-smoker and treat equipment with full respect. On the old condition scale scale between 1 and 10, this one is a 9.99 !!! Have all orginal boxes (both inner and outer boxes), packing, manuals etc. Has the optional voice synthesizer unit installed.

I will also include the matching optional SP-20 speaker (one with the filters in it). I no longer need as intrest in VHF-UHF is no longer there, have another set just for the SW.

Will sacfrice for $ 3500.00 FIRM and I will pick up the UPS shipping (offer only valid in lower 48, USA). Sorry, NO COD's

Thank You for taking the time to read this message.

PLEASE: SERIOUS INQUIRES ONLY !!

1466. Re: F/S QSK-5 SOLD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: w5rg@swbell.net
Message-ID: <3626C4B1.34DB@swbell.net>
Source record: 128993

The QSK-5 has been sold...Thanks Bob

1467. Re: Radar Gun for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J.R. Hehnly" <jarman@ionet.net>
Message-ID: <706g1o$b74$1@supernews.com>
Source record: 128994
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.misc,
sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

I see my attempt at sarcasm went right over the heads of many. I'll keep
that in mind and not post sarcasm anymore. Sorry...

Robert Hawk wrote in message <3625e9b8.815454@news.megabits.net>...
>On Wed, 14 Oct 1998 16:59:25 -0500, "J.R. Hehnly" <jarman@ionet.net>
>wrote:
>
>>I saw another potential hazard the other day. The police set a car by the
>>road, but left no-one in it! Cars were slamming on their brakes like
>>crazy!!! I'm sure that if there had been an accident that it would be
found
>>to be the fault of the police for trying to 'scare' the kindly speeders. I
>>think that only bonified on-the-scene police officers should be allowed to
>>do anything to try and slow down our fine citizens who choose to ignore
>>posted speeds.
>>
>>Or something.
>>
>You are smart, NOT. the police park a car on the side of the road,
>with the radar on, so what. you are the second dipswitch today.
>I suppose if you were to park your'e car there, it would be OK
>because you are not a cop..what a Joke, you I mean.

1468. WTB: Control head for Spectra

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan <n7wpd@inconnect.com>
Message-ID: <706gdmcsm1@news.inconnect.com>
Source record: 128995
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hi Guys,

I am in need of a Spectra controlhead with full keypad. Anyone?
Please email condition and price.

Thanks,
Dan

1469. Re: MIR QSO info?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Greg D." <gregd@jps.net>
Message-ID: <3626DE50.3055@jps.net>
Source record: 128996

On 14 Oct 1998 20:15:07 GMT, kb6uda@aol.com (KB6UDA) wrote:

>I contacted the MIR space station 4/24/95 and would like to get a QSO card.
>Anyone have any information on how to do this?

I managed to get into the Mir BBS this evening, and found the following.
Congrats on your contact!

Greg.

MSG#8212 10/13/98 22:01:11 FROM N6CO TO ALL
SUBJECT: New Add For QSL Cards
PATH: R0MIR

There is a NEW POB to send for MIR QSL cards
starting KNW --

N6CO
POB 311
PINE GROVE CA
95665

PLES SEND 2 IRC'S FOR MIR CONTACT AND 3 IRC'S [This HAVE to hve
the stamp Cancled on them !!! & Dated 1998]
Make sure you send a Env with ur add also.

For SWL Cards - Ples write on the out side SWL

Dave
N6CO

ENTER COMMAND: B,J,K,L,R,S, or Help >

1470. Re: VX-1R Belt Clip FIX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jones <Jones@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <3626E006.48FA@nomail.com>
Source record: 128997

> I removed the stock belt clip from the radio, put a small strip of male
> vel-cro (the HOOK half)on the back of the radio and reinstalled the belt
> clip. It stays on your belt much better with this simple modification. > Another happy VX-1R owner.

Any radio belt clip that doesn't physically tie the radio to me makes me nervous. Like when I pat my belt and the radio is missing. My solution was to remove the clip altogether and carry it in my pants pocket. I guess I could still lose it, even there. Somebody ought to make a keychain for attaching to one....then when you drive you could listen to it while it's hanging from your keys in the steering column....

1471. FS:ACC ShackMaster

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al <K6DJP@postoffice.pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <3626EC57.525F0CEA@postoffice.pacbell.net>
Source record: 128998
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have an SM100 in excellent condition with book for sale.Control your
HF radio remotely by radio or phone useing touch tones.Does a lot of
other things also.$400
Al

1472. FS HP Vector Network Analyzer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: xchen@mach1.wlu.ca
Message-ID: <F0w56F.7qz@info.uucp>
Source record: 128999

We have a HP8714B Vector Network Analyzer(300K--3GHz) for sale. This new looking analyzer has 18 months old and very seldom being used. If you are interested, please contact me via call or email, I will get back to you ASAP.

Sincerely

John
Tel:519-894-3489
Fax:519-894-4534
Email:xchen@superpass.com or xchen@mach1.wlu.ca

1473. Re: Radar Gun for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: HP Authorized Customer <joe@user.com>
Message-ID: <705ip6$m11$1@fnord.systemsoft.com>
Source record: 129000
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.misc, sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

Go to England Al and stop bitching. The english will love you,
just as they loved Ghandi and his work against the salt tax, and
all of us here in the US who just got along wonderfully with the
stamp act.

Mike Yetsko
N1DVJ

Al Dolgosh wrote in message >
>If it is against the law to do something, then work to change the law, if
it is
>unjust. It is not even logical to advocate law-breaking on the grounds
that
>you disagree with the law.
>
>Al - K8EUR

1474. Trade Computer for AMP or ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cliff Nichols <k5da@rocketmail.com>
Message-ID: <706dhpdfh1@news-1.news.gte.net>
Source record: 129001

Hello, My name is Cliff Nichols and I own a computer company named(ofcoarse) Nichols Computers. I am also a ham K5DA. I trade here on the news groups a little and visit QTH.com just for fun. I have more computer componets, parts than I have use for and would like to sell/trade a computer that I just built to be a gaming computer(yes for me-okay so I like fast moving computer games). Problem is I get bored with computers very fast so I am going to let this one go either here to the HAM community or through my regular computer sales. This is a really fast machine with good graphic capabilities, internet ready(ofcoarse), big monitor, fast ram, ect. this is are the componets:

300mhz mmx K6-2 3D processor,
Ali 100 mhz bus TX motherboard w/ 1 meg cache (instead of more common 512k),
3.2 gig Quantum Fireball IDE HDD Ultra-dma,
64 megs 100mhz SDram(2-32meg chips),
8 meg ATI AGP Rage Pro video card (you'll like this one),
32X Udma CDrom,
Creative Labs 32awe(the best sound cards available),
33.6 modem V.90 (in case you get tired of playing games with your grand kids),
Mid tower
1.44 floppy
Good quality win95 keyboard
PS2 mouse
USB ports installed via ATX card that even has an Infared port ready to go,
17" Svga digital monitor,
Nice speakers.
I'm probabaly forgetting something, oh ya, win95 installed. You'll need to get your own licensed copy or you can get one from me as part of the trade for an extra $70 or you may already have a copy. This computer is only one week old ALL PARTS are with a one year warranty with exception to the monitor that has a 3 year warranty. Even better than that, if you dont like it you after you get it you can send it back for a full refund(I'm just having fun here with my spare money). I'll even take cash at the price I paid for the componets alone at wholesale and even send the original recepts with the date to prove when purchased the componets if you like.
E-mail me with your trade offers. I'll sell it outright for around a thousand dollars. You ship.
Thanks Cliff K5da
K5da@rocketmail.com

1475. Mods??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: psNOSPAM@adnc.com
Message-ID: <362a0566.2870006@news.adnc.com>
Source record: 129031

I notice some ads state "no mods done to this radio." Does the value of a rig go up or down after mods have been performed?

I have an Icom IC-2710H. On the 440 band -- within the normal freq range -- when I transmit with a "-" offset, I am getting whe word "off" on the display, and the radio is not sending out a signal. Am I going to have to do a mod in order to be able to Xmit on these legitimate frequencies?

-----Peter

1476. Re: Radar Gun for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: pmb1010@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <7056cu$3sg$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129032
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

> > It only takes one person slamming on their brakes to start the chain
> >reaction. Using one of these guns just to see someone's brake lights
> >come on is of little comfort to the guy who just got cut off by your
> >victim and is now braking for all he's worth too just to avoid an
> >accident.
> >
> If you stupid, arrogant B*stards would allow a "safe distance"
> between you and the car in front of you, You would not have
> to worry about hitting sombody in the rear end, and getting
> your dumb ass sued off..Because you were following to close.
>
> get a life, and put your cell phone where the sun don't shine.

Hmmm, guess you're not from New York! If you try to leave
the "safe distance", some nut will invariabley squeeze in there,
in the attempt to work thru traffic. THAT is more dangerous,
in my opinion. My brother got in an accident that way. He was
leaving safe distance (he was in left lane of 2 lane busy road), and
some idiot came up on the right, cut right into his "safe spot",
and jammed his brakes and turned on left blinker to turn into
a parking lot or driveway. My brother had nowhere to go...
Who's fault is that?

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1477. WTB: Sangean ATS909

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: wplanck@netusa1.net
Message-ID: <705472$1do$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129033
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Want to buy: Sangean ATS909 in EXCELLENT cond.

Bill K9KZ
wplanck@netusa1.net

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1478. WTB: MOT JT-1000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: chipjumper@thepentagon.com
Message-ID: <36260B91.1EF9D514@thepentagon.com>
Source record: 129034
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,sci.electronics.misc,
sci.electronics.equipment

I need a JT-1000 (400mhz band) in working condition for a reasonable price with battery and charger. Actually, i need a field programmable HT that works in the 400mhz band. Must not be a "modified" ham radio.

1479. SB-220 on 6m?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Spencer Ritchie <sfritchie@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <705372$b3e@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 129035

I'm planning to convert an SB-220 for use on 6m. I basically have two question. I have the plans that tell about retapping the coil, adding a different capacitor, and taking a few turns off the input coil. Is there a better way than this? And second, is there a source for a new input coil is I decide to put the amp back on 10m?
Thanks in advance.
Spencer KC2TX

1480. Re: Radar Gun for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill <billnews@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <7053qecoj1@supernews.com>
Source record: 129036
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.misc, sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

I think it's amazing how much controversy one for sale message can generate.
Take your bashing threads to another newsgroup, they don't belong here !
This is rec.radio.swap not rec.radio.slam......

Bill

1481. Zenith 6R687R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: billj@argo.net
Message-ID: <_VoV1.471$n25.2692@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 129037

I have a Zenith 1942 6R687R Radio/Phonograph[78] console for sale if anyone is interested. Also included are a large number of 78's [mostly classical] and a small record cabinet [year unknown]. Please e-mail if interested at billj@argo.net. I am in the Southern Massachusetts area. Thank you.

1482. FS: Standard C-5900 with a ICOM SM-8 Base Mic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: davez <davez@ticon.net>
Message-ID: <7055q5krd1@galileo.ticon.net>
Source record: 129038
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FOR SALE: Standard C-5900 "Tri-Band" FM transceiver (6/2 and 70 cm). Only about 4 months old . Never mobile, it is in prestine condition. Have all for it, like new. Also have an ICOM SM-8 base mic that is all wired up for use with the C-5900. Works fantasic with radio. Will only sell the SM-8 with the C-5900, will not break up ! Have the additional cable for the SM-8, so you could still connect a ICOM radio to the other input. The SM-8 is also in prestine condition.

Price (will pick up the UPS shipping too,USA lower 48 only) is $ 600.00. Sorry no COD's.

davez

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Visit my web site "Dave's Radio Receiver Page" at
http://www.ticon.net/~davez

1483. FS: UNIDEN HR 2510

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: cogicrev@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981015115429.27855.00001213@ng110.aol.com>
Source record: 129039

I have two 2510's for sale, in great shape. I'm upgrading my license as well as my shack. Taking offers.

kf4wru

1484. Re: Radar Gun for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dick Reeve(TEMP-Test Area Tech)" <djrNS@hpesdjr.fc.hp.com>
Message-ID: <36261D41.8AF@hpesdjr.fc.hp.com>
Source record: 129040
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.misc, sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

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> think that only bonified on-the-scene police officers should be allowed to
> do anything to try and slow down our fine citizens who choose to ignore
> posted speeds.
>
> Or something.
>
> KuoH wrote in message <3624C20D.5213@aol.com>...
> >"Fun" to impede the progress of others and create a potentially
> >hazardous situation? Oh I forgot, this is in the name of SAFETY too! I
> >guess that makes it alright....
> >
> > Both of you, do the public a favor and take your 1979 ozone killing,
> >gas guzzling, backfiring piece of rusted out death trap with one
> >headlight and no taillights OFF the road! Perhaps the money you'd spend
> >on a "ego" gun could be better utilized somewhere else? Like the
> >mortgage payment on your trailer home?
> >
> > I pay attention to what's in front AND behind me when driving. I'd
> >feel a thousand times safer letting one of these faster drivers pass me
> >and distance myself from him than having someone like you driving next
> >to me in the passing lane zapping traffic in front and holding up the
> >ones behind, all in the name of fun! Oh excuse me, I'm sure you ment
> >safety....
> >
> > Go join the highway patrol if you want to serve the public, because
> >the most inattentative and dangerous drivers on the road are the LEO
> >wannabes.
> >
> >KuoH
> >
> >Dave D wrote:
> >>
> >> On Wed, 14 Oct 1998 13:03:44 GMT, <gcsahanin@home.com> wrote:
> >>
> >> >It is fun to watch these kids in their turbocharged-wheeze-o-matic
> jap-traks

> >> >slam on the brakes.
> >> >
> >> I bought one of those radar "test" kits a few years ago from the back
> >> of Popular Whatever. Sends out an RF signal in the same band as the
> >> radar guns.
> >>
> >> It's a lot of fun to slow down the truckers and speed demons. Followed
> >> a turd in Mercedes for about 10 miles one time, eveytime he'd feel
> >> safe and speed up, I'd zap him.
> >> Dave
In Loveland< CO the police have a dummy that they set in the drivers
seat of a parked police car..
--
Dick
73's
KB0WWA (CO)
Remove the "NS" NO SPAM for return mail

1485. Wanted: Aerotron Mobiles

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Christopher Zeman, KB9RHA" <zman@iwc.net>
Message-ID: <P%oV1.1908$Gq.2424@news6.ispnews.com>
Source record: 129041
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio,alt.ham-radio.boatanchors,alt.ham-radio.mods,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.misc

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WANTED:

Aerotron TXVRs

Low-Band Mobile to be used on 6 meters.
Must have control head and manual.

UHF Mobile for 440.
Must have control head and manual.

Please reply to zman@iwc.net

Thank you,
Christopher Zeman, KB9RHA
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1486. Re: Alternative to ICOM CT-17?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Toste <saturn@interlog.com>
Message-ID: <7055lpbmv1@news.interlog.com>
Source record: 129042

But all means take a visit to my webpage, I have a 706 and built the CI-V unit into a RS232 Case for a grand total of $3.25 in NEW parts. CANADA in fact :)

http://www.interlog.com/~saturn

Clinton <cpeebles@_nospam_netidea.com> wrote:
> Hi all. I have a IC-706 and was thinking about hooking it up to the
> computer, until I saw the price of the CT-17 that is. Is there a
> cheaper alternative? For the $200.00 they want for ICOM's setup, I can
> push a lot of buttons on the radio...

> --

> Kill the MAI

> ************

> Clinton Peebles VE7KNL Grid DN19ie
> Remove _NOSPAM_ to reply.
> E-Mail: VE7KNL@RAC.CA

--
David Toste [VE3TOS] Internet - saturn@interlog.com
Brampton, Ontario. SWLOGit - The Ultimate Shortwave Listeners Software
ftp://qsl.net/pub/ve3tos/swlit20a.zip
http://www.interlog.com/~saturn/SWLOGit.html (SWLOGit Web Page)
ICQ: 4422700

1487. Re: Mods??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Lyons <boblyons@umich.edu>
Message-ID: <36261CEB.6E58ECA4@umich.edu>
Source record: 129043

Peter wrote:
>
> I notice some ads state "no mods done to this radio." Does the value
> of a rig go up or down after mods have been performed?
>
> I have an Icom IC-2710H. On the 440 band -- within the normal freq
> range -- when I transmit with a "-" offset, I am getting whe word
> "off" on the display, and the radio is not sending out a signal. Am I
> going to have to do a mod in order to be able to Xmit on these
> legitimate frequencies?
>
> -----Peter

The value does not necessarily go either up or down when a radio
has been modified, but the buyer needs to be aware of any mods
performed. Some buyers may prefer an unmodified radio, others
may prefer a modified one. Values change only in the buyers' eyes.
I would certainly be upset at receiving a modified radio if the
seller was not honest before the sale in stating what s/he had done.

Yes, if you key up and see 'Off' in the display, your Icom is
refusing to transmit on the selected frequency. Many 440-band
radios do not transmit over the entire 420-450 MHz amateur
allocation (I would be interested in hearing a discussion of why -
anyone care to elaborate?). However, manufactureres clearly state
the frequency coverage in their specifications. If your radio
does not transmit on a frequency where it is designed to operate,
then complain loudly to the manufactorer. If you are trying to
operate outside the limits set in the unit's specifications, then
complaining will not help. You will indeed have to modify the
radio to transmit on additional Ham-allocated frequencies.

73 -
Bob, KI8AB

1488. Re: Remote Operation of HF Station?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Lyons <boblyons@umich.edu>
Message-ID: <36261D83.F21DA0BF@umich.edu>
Source record: 129044

Larry R. Johnson wrote:
> Several of us in the Portland, OR area have these "Shackmasters" and have a
> lot of fun with them. I picked up another one at Dayton this year as a
> spare. ACC didn't make very many of them, as they were quite expensive when
> new.
>

Do you recall how much they are/were? Bob, KI8AB

1489. Re: WHAT IS "EBAY"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Lyons <boblyons@umich.edu>
Message-ID: <3626203C.55B56B8C@umich.edu>
Source record: 129045

JDer8745 wrote:
>
> Howdy,
>
> I keep seeing rference to "ebay".
>
> What is it?
>
> 73 de Jack, K9CUN

'EBay' is a web site specializing in auction sales of merchandise.
Individuals may place their items on auction, or can submit bids
on items on auction. You can see their web site at:

http://www.ebay.com

I suspect 'EBay' is short for 'East Bay'.

Bob, KI8AB

1490. Re: Remote Operation of HF Station?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <36a41da5.1034051266@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 129046

On Wed, 14 Oct 1998 14:52:23 GMT, martyt@pobox.com (Marty Tippin) wrote:
>I've been recently kicking around the idea of setting up an HF station
>on some land out in the country, maybe 10 miles from the house and
>then devising a means to completely control the station from my house
>via VHF and/or landline links.

Think Kachina 505. The radio is totally computer controlled, and may
be controlled via modem link if you want to separate the computer from
the radio. If you use a voice over data modem, everything can be done
on one phone line (or one duplex radio channel). Or you can use a
second channel for audio if you prefer.

Realize that if you use radio control, the control link is operating
under Part 97 auxiliary rules, and has to be above 222 MHz. So
you can't legally use 2m gear to do this.

A fast packet connection could be used for the control link. A fast
enough connection could even have digitized audio multiplexed with
the control data (consider the WA4DSY 56 kb RF modem for this).
Put a Linux host with the radio, and you could control the radio, handle
audio, and also do other control chores, all via an internet connection
(RF or wireline).

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

1491. Re: Radar Gun for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Louis Bybee <louisb@datacomm.com>
Message-ID: <362624D7.3DAE1B37@datacomm.com>
Source record: 129047
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.misc,
sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

Don't wish this on another group! This type of thing is best handled by
mature people in EMAIL's, but then you wouldn't have an audience.

On second thought, mature people wouldn't encourage this by responding
at all.

Hmmmmm.... ahhhhh.... Gee, look, someone else got sucked into
responding. :-)

Louis

Bill wrote:
>
> I think it's amazing how much controversy one for sale message can generate.
> Take your bashing threads to another newsgroup, they don't belong here !
> This is rec.radio.swap not rec.radio.slam......
>
> Bill

1492. Re: Radar Gun for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Shannon Mossman <thinblue@znet.com>
Message-ID: <36262547.6CBB@znet.com>
Source record: 129048
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.misc,
sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

Dick Reeve(TEMP-Test Area Tech) wrote:
>
> In Loveland< CO the police have a dummy that they set in the drivers
> seat of a parked police car..
> --

San Diego Sheriff used to have one, but, I retired last year. HI

Regards,

Shannon
W6SPY

--
Shannon L. Mossman
The Thin Blue Line
Security & Investigative Services
CA PI #18913, PPO #12820
760-738-4710
http://sd.znet.com/~thinblue

1493. Re: FA ebay: Kantonics KPC-3 TNC rev 5.1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wayne Faris <wfaris@navix.net>
Message-ID: <362625EC.237FF327@navix.net>
Source record: 129049
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Thanks for listing your reserve price on the eBay description. A lot of people find that an unlisted eBay reserve price is just as annoying as not posting an asking price for things being sold here in the news groups.

Wayne

1494. FS: Gonset Comm IV with VFO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: jimd7002@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981015130159.06383.00001465@ng-fi1.aol.com>
Source record: 129050

That's right, I've got this old boatanchor for sale. I'm not licensed (yet) so I've never transmitted on this.

The outer condition is probably a 6.5 on the 1-10 scale. Some rust and the paint is peeled a little. I have plugged it in and everything lights up, speaker hums, and I have received some voice on 2m. I don't have any crystals. I do have a copy of the manual that I downloaded from the internet though. VFO is also in the same condition, these units were both obtained as a set.

I'm looking for $75 or best offer, buyer pays for shipping. I'd trade for a good antenna tuner or SWR/PWR meter if the deal was right.

Contact me via email at jimd7002@aol.com.

Thanks

Jim

1495. Correction: Lincoln Amateur Radio Club Auction

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wayne Faris <wfaris@navix.net>
Message-ID: <362627B4.A4B98652@navix.net>
Source record: 129051
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,misc.computers.forsale

Sorry! I had an error in the Clubs web address, the one below is right!

Wayne, KEï¿½BZ

>The Lincoln Amateur Radio Club's annual auction will be held October
>25th at the Quality Inn at 52nd & Cornhusker Highway (Highway 6) in
>Lincoln, Nebraska. Check in time is 9:00 am with the actual auction
>beginning at 11:00 am. Talk-in will be on both 146.76 and 146.85
>repeaters.
>
>There will be loads of both ham radio and computer gear at this sale.
A
>lot of bargains to be had. Bring a truck to haul it away!
>
>More info can be had on the club's website at:
>
> http://cit1.unl.edu/larc
>
>See you there!
>
>Wayne Faris, KEï¿½BZ
>

1496. Re: Radar Gun for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Old Biker <enfieldbullet@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <01bdf85f$fec13b60$084a1504@enfield05.3n.net>
Source record: 129052
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.misc,
sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

Someone with a Nazi mantality wrote

> If we speak of "EGO" here, what does it say about all
> the asswipes who put themselves above the law,

I'd call them good Americans, of the same kind as Adams, Jefferson ...
Washington and the good old boys who threw the Boston Tea Party. A
comprehensive but little known DOT study proved that neither speed limits
nor their enforcement affected accident or death rates. Moreover the
notion that one must blindly obey unjust laws was common in Nazi Germany
but unwelcome elsewhere. Robin Hood is our hero, not Hitler.
>
> To me, the speed demons and tailgaters are the morons with the small dick
sydrome.

Talk about a small-dick syndrome then seek power over someone else by
blocking the normal flow of traffic by pacing some other slow poke?? The
shrinks'd have a heyday with that one.

KA3DWW

1497. WTB: Henry Radio 3004A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: spamnotmikegem@best.com
Message-ID: <spamnotmikegem-ya02408000R1510981032130001@nntp1.ba.best.com>
Source record: 129053

I would like to buy a Henry Radio 3004A amp for use on 440MHz. Unit must be in good working condition. RF deck only is ok. Prefer unit which I can see in operation. Please e-mail mikegem@best.com with particulars. Thank you.

--

1498. Re: WHAT IS "EBAY"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: philrut1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981015135724.21837.00001217@ng29.aol.com>
Source record: 129054

>
>I keep seeing rference to "ebay".
>
>What is it?

A big rip-off!

1499. Re: MIR Contact Info --- QSO CARD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Robert G. Schaffrath, N2JTX" <rschaffrath@acm.org>
Message-ID: <36263AA9.2619@acm.org>
Source record: 129055

QSL Rï¿½MIR via N6CO with a #10 (Business Size) SASE.

Have two Rï¿½MIR cards myself. They are black and white photo cards. You
can see one at http://tonto.netsurftech.com/rgs/qsl/r0mir.jpg. The
scanned image has some "banding" but the real card does not look like it
is being viewed through a screen door.

73,
Robert, N2JTX

KB6UDA wrote:
>
> I contacted the MIR space station 4/24/95 and would like to get a QSO card.
> Anyone have any information on how to do this?
>
> Thanks
> Jack

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| Robert G. Schaffrath, N2JTX (RGS71) |
| (516) 759-4314 | mailto:rschaffrath@acm.org |
| http://tonto.netsurftech.com/rgs |
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1500. Re: Comments on the Magellan ColorTrak GPS receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: bdiaz@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <705i9e$k71$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129056

In article <3625FDBE.C20C37E4@umich.edu>,
boblyons@umich.edu wrote:
>
> When I power up my Magellan ColorTrak, I usually see indications of
> received satellite data in 10 seconds or so. Position lock is obtained
> in perhaps 1-2 minutes (less if immobile under open sky, more if moving
> or if I'm under cover). The fastest I've seen the ColorTrak acquire a
> lock was about 20-30 seconds, while the slowest was probably 5 minutes
> (rainy day, in the car, moving - very unfavorable conditions). How does
> this compare with your older Magellan, Bob? With your brother-in-law's
> Garmin?

The fastest time to a lock was about 3 minutes. Most of the time it's about
5 minutes. I've had it take 15 minutes (more or less) to get a lock and
a few times it never locked even after 45 minutes. In those cases,
I powered off, then powered on, and got a lock in about 5 minutes.

I can't recall the exact times of my brother in law's unit, but I think he
said it was around 30 seconds to 90 seconds, depending on if it was a cold
or warm start. (A warm start is when the unit had been running, then shut
down for a short time, then powered up again. A cold start is when the
unit was off for a while.)

> Anyone else care to tell about their GPS receivers? I'd like to know
> the pro's and con's of other units, and whether mine is especially fast
> or slow at computing its position.
>
> One thing that did impress me - I turned on my ColorTrak during a cross-
> country airline flight, and it locked up fine - altitude was 35,000 (and
> confirmed by the captain shortly thereafter) and the speed was something
> believable (I forgot what). I wanna set it up with DeLorme Street Atlas
> showing me my position, continuously updated! No more wondering what I'm
> seeing out the wondow.
>
> Bob, KI8AB

I did try my GPS unit on an airline flight. It took a long time to get a lock
10 to 15 minutes. It never got a 3D lock, just a 2D lock. However, the
speeds it measured seemed to be within reason, 500 - 520 MPH.

When I purchased my unit 3 years ago, it was the "el cheap-o" of the GPS
units. I know for a fact that the more expensive units (of that time) work a
lot better than mine does. I forgot RULE #1: Never buy the cheapest of any
unit! Next time, when I purchase something to repalce this unit, I'm not
going to make that mistake again.

73,

Bob
KQ6WQ

------------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1501. Re: WHAT IS "EBAY"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: dutch@dish-NET.com
Message-ID: <705h92iej1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129057

In article <19981015095913.03702.00000853@ng-fc2.aol.com>,
jder8745@aol.com (JDer8745) wrote:
> Howdy,
>
> I keep seeing rference to "ebay".
>
> What is it?
>
> 73 de Jack, K9CUN
>

The biggest virtual auction place in the world. This morning there were more then 800 000 items up for sale. They have their own search engine to find stuff. You can find them at <http://www.ebay.com> Rene VE6WCA (dutch)

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1502. Re: WHAT IS "EBAY"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: dutch@dish-NET.com
Message-ID: <705hegipe1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129058

> I suspect 'EBay' is short for 'East Bay'.
>
> Bob, KI8AB
>

Close..... It stand for Pierre's original concept: Electronic Bay or E-BAY, I believe the name came from his local business, originating in the San Francisco Bay area. Rene VE6WCA (dutch)

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http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1503. Re: WHAT IS "EBAY"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wayne Faris <wfaris@navix.net>
Message-ID: <362645A7.51DA56EB@navix.net>
Source record: 129059

PhilRut1 wrote:

> >
> >I keep seeing rference to "ebay".
> >
> >What is it?
>
> A big rip-off!

It's only a rip-off of those people who don't have the self control to stop bidding when the price gets ridiculous. I often browse through the auctions just to amaze myself at how stupid some people must be to pay those prices, but nobody is forcing them to bid that high. They just need to learn to say no! Myself, I have purchased quite a few things through eBay. I think I have been the high bidder in only 1 out of each 15 or 20 items I bid on. I miss quite a number of items I would like to have had, but I do end up with a bargain on the items I do get.

So, instead of flaming eBay for high prices, maybe you should start a support group for compulsive eBay shoppers who can't stop bidding once the bid exceeds fair market value.

Wayne

1504. Re: Radar Gun for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Philip Rosenberg-Watt <rose7291@unco.edu>
Message-ID: <PQrV1.1096$ZY4.36589862@wormhole.dimensional.com>
Source record: 129060

<gasp> Bashing? Immature?
What you call bashing I call an open forum for discussion and expression of one's opinions. Besides, this is what newsgroups were designed for!
I'm sorry, but I just had to speak up and defend this marvelous form of forum.
If you don't want to read it, then don't. Just don't put other people down for expressing their opinions. If people need to "bash," they _should_ use e-mail. But I haven't noticed any inappropriate materal in this thread as of yet. (Maybe I'm just desensitised to this kind of thing.)
Besides, things evolve. Get off-topic. It's in our nature. Just look at this thread; it started out as "Radar Gun for sale."

Or shall we use the usenet for a big huge ol' classified section, instead?

>Don't wish this on another group! This type of thing is best handled by
>mature people in EMAIL's, but then you wouldn't have an audience.
>
>On second thought, mature people wouldn't encourage this by responding
>at all.

Hell yeah! If it strikes a cord with you, go for it (as you just did). Just don't negate other people and their "intellectual property," if you will. THAT is what arouses hostility.

>Hmmmmm.... ahhhhh.... Gee, look, someone else got sucked into
>responding. :-)
>
>Louis
>
>Bill wrote:
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>> I think it's amazing how much controversy one for sale message can generate.
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>>
>> Bill

1505. Re: FS: Kenwood SP-520

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: ham1484174@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981015152353.26453.00001112@ng127.aol.com>
Source record: 129061

is it still for sale and do you have the cable for it?

thanks marty N1WCP

1506. F/S QSK-5

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: w5rg@swbell.net
Message-ID: <36266B6C.6B3B@swbell.net>
Source record: 129062

Ameritron qsk-5 new in box, fits most of the larger Ameritron amps...
I got for my amp and it won't work on it...$120...Bob

1507. Re: Problem with Outback Outrunner Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Schoonover <schoon@adnc.com>
Message-ID: <36265230.24A5A779@adnc.com>
Source record: 129063
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Tom:

Have you tried the Outbacker without the spring to see if that is
the problem?? Personally I don't like thos silly springs as they can
generate alot of noise in the receiver whilst rolling down the road.
I've run HF mobile in an Escort station wagon with a screwdriver
antenna. You can check it out at http://www.qsl.net/ka6wke . The
complete installation is there as well as some other tips.

73 Mark

Badger wrote:

> Yea, I know some of you guys will say " That is is the
> problem, I have an Outback antenna" But seriously,
> the problem is that the dangblasted thing tunes way
> too high. It hits resonance at the upper edges of each
> band, with the stinger all the way out. I have it mounted
> on a standard ball-and-spring mount on the rear quarter
> panel of my Escort station wagon, so it seems like it would
> have at least a minimum amount of metal under it. I have
> the rear body panels & doors bonded with copper strapping for
> even more peace of mind. It is mounted as high up on the quarter
> panel as it will go, so is not up against the metal body. Any ideas?
> Other than to toss it and get Ham Sticks for each band?
>
> The problem is consistant - pretty much the same on all bands.
> Even subbing a longer stinger only helps slightly. Great for the
> few MARS and SHARES freqs that are above the ham bands,
> but not so great for the "normal" bands.
>
> Please cc: your reply via email, as my news server seems
> to not be too awfully reliable at times.
>
> Thanks
>
> Tom Norris
> KA4RKT
> Nashville, TN USA
> badger@telalink.net

1508. FS: Eddystone Radio Co EC10 receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mortlock <jmort@global.freeserve.co.uk>
Message-ID: <705lt6ctl2@newsreader1.core.theplanet.net>
Source record: 129064

Selling Eddystone EC10 receiver.

The Eddystone EC10 is a single conversion transistorised communications receiver covering 550 kHz to 30 MHz in 5 bands. Made in the 60's. Mainly bought these days by collectors. I think the EC10 may have been the first transistorised communications receiver made by Eddystone Radio Ltd.

In working order with photo copy of the manual and schematic.

offers please

John G3UGY

1509. Re: Kenwood TM-G707A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Casey <kd7afd@doitnow.com>
Message-ID: <705mol$g2m$1@supernews.com>
Source record: 129065

Hi Richard,

The TM-G707 radio is one band at a time. This is an extremely limiting feature. Even if you usually only monitor one band, you can usually monitor two frequenciews in VXV or UXU mode. Yes, the TM-V7A has a lot of features you will probably never use, but how much more is it? I think they left out some extremely important features.

Good luck,
Keith KC7KC

Richard Provencal wrote in message ...
>Hi
>
>I'm considering buying a 2m/70cm mobile rig.
>There is a lot out there!!!!!
>Many offer lots of bells & whistles and you end up not using most of it.
>So I came up to consider the Kenwood TM-707A.
>Any comments on the rig will be appreciated.
>Is there any review on the rig?
>
>Rich
>
>
>

1510. WTB: UT-34 (CTCSS for ICOM Radio)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Franz <franz.wimmer@vpn.at>
Message-ID: <705o3j$lt8$1@fleetstreet.Austria.EU.net>
Source record: 129066

I would like to buy a UT-34 (Tone Squelch Unit) for my Icom-Rig.
Please email to franz.wimmer@vpn.at

OE5VFM

1511. MAKE EXTRA MONEY AT HOME

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: ctaylor@athenet.net
Message-ID: <60732008948760NEWS2LX@news.athenet.net>
Source record: 129067

Are you interested in making extra money at home in the telecommunications industry?
E-mail for more information.

1512. Re: Radar Gun for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: rstevew@armory.com
Message-ID: <705o1q$k86$1@supernews.com>
Source record: 129068
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.misc

In article <3625D1EC.2A4BB7AF@hamradio.org>,
Al Dolgosh <al.dolgosh@hamradio.org> wrote:
>Amen! It is wonderful to hear someone hit the point exactly. We all
>need to take personal responsibility for our actions, and not say
>"the other guy made me do it"!!

Taking personal responsibility is merely the act of deciding on the basis
of your own decision and recognition of the situation as to what to do.
It has nothing to do with whether one is obedient to prevailing law or
customs, which are transitory in history.
-Steve

>If it is against the law to do something, then work to change the law,
>if it is unjust. It is not even logical to advocate law-breaking on the
>grounds that you disagree with the law.
>Al - K8EUR

Yours is the voice of the programmed mind: If one thoroughly disagrees
with a law and the society's characterization of people who break it,
then you are free to do what you think is right, much as blacks
circumvented the law in times of slavery or people avoided law in the
Nazi Reich. All laws are merely the current opinion of jingoistic and
narrowminded populations, and one can choose to work to change a law,
or violate a law carefully and with the impunity born of a circumspect
understanding of the psychology of its tyrrany over those who feel false
guilt at violating it, and one is at peace about doing so. To say with
facile idiocy: "if you are prepared to break the law be prepared to
take the consequences" then you are like sheep to the slaughter and you
suffer artificially induced guilt. People who can see through and around
a law that is wrong will be prepared to do all they must to avoid its
reach and defeat it at every turn, and will not march lamely to its
latest version of the Nazi's "showers". Those who believe the law's
characterization of them as lawbreakers will be easiest to capture at
it because they will leave a trail of evidence subconsciously. They
wish to be caught, and they aren't truly free of the law's influence
over their self-concept. Should blacks have run screaming back to their
masters in genuine penitence? Should holocaust victims have dutifully
marched into the gas-chambers?? No. People who are functionalistically
worshipful of the law, ANY law, desite its content, make me sick as to
the depths of human degradation you have fallen to. "Come out, my people",
said the prophet Isaiah, and see from outside the veil of culture.
-Steve
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-Steve Walz rstevew@armory.com ftp://ftp.armory.com:/pub/user/rstevew
-Electronics Site!! 1000 Files/50 Dirs!! http://www.armory.com/~rstevew
Europe:(Italy) http://ftp.cised.unina.it/pub/electronics/ftp.armory.com

1513. Re: NEED MOD FOR AN ALINCO DR-119T FOR CAP USE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Currie <tom.currie@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <36266522.2F85@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 129069

chipjumper@thepentagon.com wrote:
>
> I need a mod to open up the radio to transmit on CAP 148.15. The radio
> was accidently reseted.

Just ask your Squadron or Wing communications officer. They have (or
have access to) the mods for all CAP-approved radios.

1514. IC-T8A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nick Schaub <schaub@blue.weeg.uiowa.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.A41.3.95.981015160255.89940A-100000@black.weeg.uiowa.edu>
Source record: 129070

Anybody use the IC-T8A? Any good/bad? Thoughts, reflections,
tirades welcome...

(Crazy) Nick "Antennaman" Schaub, I
Drop everything and go here:
<http://www.angelfire.com/nj/antennaman>

1515. FT 847

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: nh6cj@ibm.net
Message-ID: <36266635.0@news1.ibm.net>
Source record: 129071

Any mods out on the 847 yet? I know it is new but I sure do like it. Any amd all would be helpful...

1516. how to program a wilson 16ch vhf-hi mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: WebMonkey <address@below.com>
Message-ID: <3626665F.75A8@below.com>
Source record: 129072
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

i've got the jumper position switched but can't
remember how to program the freqs etc. into
this unit
it's like the relm/regency 16ch models i think.

would appreciate anyone able to pass along the info.
thanks
email below
--
A.C. Curtis
KBï¿½WLF

mailto:demoman@rollanet.org
http://www.rollanet.org/~demoman

1517. Re: WHAT IS "EBAY"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5dh@rtis.ray.com
Message-ID: <705pfe$o4j@sf18.dseg.ti.com>
Source record: 129073

In article <3626203C.55B56B8C@umich.edu>, boblyons@umich.edu says...
>
>JDer8745 wrote:
>>
>> I keep seeing rference to "ebay".
>> What is it?
>
>'EBay' is a web site specializing in auction sales of merchandise.
>Individuals may place their items on auction, or can submit bids
>on items on auction. You can see their web site at:
>
> http://www.ebay.com
>
>I suspect 'EBay' is short for 'East Bay'.

eBay = Echo Bay Technologies, Inc. NASDAQ: EBAY

Dean / K5DH

1518. WTB Diamond X-700HNA Base Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard <tbolt@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <36267150.BE2B2205@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 129074
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap

WANT TO BUT; Diamond X-700HNA Base Antenna. Please state Condition, Age, Your QTH and the Price. Thank You.. Richie

1519. Re: WHAT IS "EBAY"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Doran Platt <jeepp@erols.com>
Message-ID: <36267184.624409F2@erols.com>
Source record: 129075

Its a California-based on-line auction. There, you can pay twice the reasonable price for anything you want. There is some nice stuff there... but be careful!
JDer8745 wrote:

> Howdy,
>
> I keep seeing rference to "ebay".
>
> What is it?
>
> 73 de Jack, K9CUN

1520. Re: IC-T8A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: frederick.mckenzie-1@kmail.ksc.nasa.gov
Message-ID: <frederick.mckenzie-1-1510981811300001@k4dii.ksc.nasa.gov>
Source record: 129076

In article
<Pine.A41.3.95.981015160255.89940A-100000@black.weeg.uiowa.edu>, Nick
Schaub <schaub@blue.weeg.uiowa.edu> wrote:
> Anybody use the IC-T8A? Any good/bad? Thoughts, reflections,
> tirades welcome...

Nick-

There is a 6 Meter repeater about 20 miles from me, that I can get into from the car (IC-706) with no problem. I can kerchunk it with the hand-held IC-T8A, but can't get in well enough to be understood. Otherwise, I don't have anything to compare it with. The T8A doesn't have a lot of competition as far as I can tell.

The antenna uses a standard SMA connector. (Amateur Electronics Supply has a Yaesu SMA-to-BNC adapter for $8.95.) The power out of mine, with about 9.6 volts indicated when the power is switched on, is 4.0 watts on 6 and 2, and about 3.5 watts on 440 MHz. Since the level was constant across the bands, I assume it has some kind of ALC circuit limiting output to 4 watts.

The radio has a button combination that extends its receive range to include some in the 300 MHz range and 800 or 900 MHz range, but NOT the cellular frequencies! (I don't remember what the button combination is.) The transmitter will go out of the two meter band far enough for some MARS and CAP frequencies.

The antenna is a little longer than the one on another 2/440 radio (TH-79AD). The radio seems to work as well as the other radio on 2 and 440.

I like the radio, but wish it would allow simultaneous reception on more than one band. Also, I wish it had more memory channels available. It has enough for two bands but maybe not 3!

73, Fred, K4DII

1521. Lafayette amp HA-250A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zack Miller <kb3cji@home.com>
Message-ID: <36267996.7B13C7FD@home.com>
Source record: 129077

I have on and need info/ schematics. Also the pinout for pwr. Thanks for any help

Zack
kb3cji

1522. WTB: Blown/Broken Microphones

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: blues4u76@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981015184502.01276.00001122@ng06.aol.com>
Source record: 129078

I want to buy your busted/blown microphones. What I'm looking for are bullet shaped mics, Shure 520,Astatic JT30,etc. or any other oddball brands with bullet shape. Must be detachable from desk stand. Cut off cords are fine, I don't care about that. What I'm interested in are the shells. Check those junk boxes. Whatcha got? Email me.
Thanks!

1523. Re: Alternative to ICOM CT-17?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clinton <cpeebles@_nospam_netidea.com>
Message-ID: <36267FB8.920@_nospam_netidea.com>
Source record: 129079

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Kill the MAI

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Clinton Peebles VE7KNL Grid DN19ie
Remove _NOSPAM_ to reply.
E-Mail: VE7KNL@RAC.CA
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1524. Re: Pros and Cons of VHF vs. family radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: bdiaz@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <703e1spjq1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129096

In article <36235E4C.C238FD8@umich.edu>,
boblyons@umich.edu wrote:
> bdiaz@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> >
> > If one lives in an area like LA, NY City, San Fransisco, ... where the
> > whole area has a massive population, finding a free frequency all the time
> > on 2 meters is tough.
>
> Sure, there are places where the ham bands are congested. I think the
> original poster was asking about cross-country travel, however. If
> I'm not mistaken, s/he wanted reliable car-to-car communication. My
> response was supporting ham VHF or UHF as opposed to CB or FRS, a
> comparison which still holds up in congested areas - perhaps even
> more apt, in fact.
>
> Your comments about the congestion around LA are interesting, Bob. I've
> never had the experience of driving around a big metropolitan area with
> my radio. I'll look forward to it!
>
> Bob, KI8AB
>

You're right, most of the areas aren't like the major population areas
like LA, NYC, . . . Thank Goodness :-)

If the origional poster didn't want to bother with getting a license
or was planning on using the radio for business use. FRS would be
OK provided the distance between the 2 cars wasn't very much. Say,
1/4 mile or less.

I've done both 2 meter and 440 MHz car to car (symplex) and had very
good luck with it. One time, a friend and I needed to drive from LA to
San Diego (in 2 different cars). We chatted the whole way down, which
was almost a 3 hour trip. Given our short range (under 1/4 of a mile),
he used 100 mW and I used 1 W (the lowest power possible on our rigs).
We didn't hear anyone else on the frequency we were using, 144.400 MHz.

Still when I talk from my car to home on symplex (144.400 MHz), there
are times when someone else is using the frequency. In looking over
what I wrote, I wasn't clear about something I said . . .

> > If one lives in an area like LA, NY City, San Fransisco, ... where the
> > whole area has a massive population, finding a free frequency all the time
> > on 2 meters is tough.

At any time in the LA area, you can scan the 2M band and there are open frequencies. What I was trying to say, was that a given frequency will not be open all the time.

Yesterday on my drive home, someone else was using the symplex frequency my son and I use. Given that they were a strong signal, I didn't want to transmitt and cause any interference to them.

Several months back, during our local emergency communications Tuesday Noon NET, someone was on 144.395 MHz and our NET was on 144.400 MHz. They were there first and had the right to frequency. But we asked them nicely and they were willing to change frequency for the sake of our NET.

I enjoy taking my 2M radio on trips. Even if I never get a chance to talk to someone, it's always fun to hear other hams in other areas of the country.

73,
Bob
KQ6WQ

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1525. Re: Comments on the Magellan ColorTrak GPS receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: bdiaz@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <703fbt$r82$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129097

In article <36239E82.1A093BA5@umich.edu>,
boblyons@umich.edu wrote:
> [While GPS receivers are not ham equipment, they are often used alongside
> amateur gear for APRS. My own interest is in ham applications, so I've
> posted this here in the rec.radio.amateur arena rather than look for GPS-
> specific hierarchies.]

<<Big snip to save space>>

> I'd be interested in hearing other people's experiences with Magellan and
> their staff, as well as other GPS systems.
>
> Bob, KI8AB

True, a GPS isn't Ham Radio, it can be a useful tool with Ham Radio.
Your example of APRS is the best example. I've also used my GPS to
help me figure out which way to point my yagi and also to measure the
distance to the person I'm trying to reach. In both cases, I must
know their position, but with GPS (at both ends) that's easy to obtain.

I own a Magellan GPS 2000. It works, sort of, overall I consider it
a dud. Even with a full view of the sky (no trees or nothing in the
way) it looses the lock. When I start it up, it takes F O R E V E R
to obtain a lock. My brother in law spent the extra money ($100 more)
and has a much better unit, a GARMAN (spelling?). He never seems to
have any problems.

I've never tried to call Magellan's Technical Suppoort, but I did ask
them a simple question via fax. They didn't answer it. I sent the
same question in a month later, they didn't answer. I sent it a third
time and they still didn't answer it.

I've had my unit for about 3 years, someday I'll break down and purchase
a much better unit and sell this "dog". I will never buy a Magellan again.

73,
Bob
KQ6WQ

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1526. wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: w9gyc@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <703ereqqc1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129098

Wanted: Collins grey touch up paint. Collins emblem in good condition.
WPE certificate or copy from Popular Electronics 60's.
Copy of ham liscense from 1962 preferably 9 call.
Old tube type CB equipment

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1527. for sale YAESU VX-1R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: bobar8@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981014200502.22507.00000412@ng60.aol.com>
Source record: 129099

FS YAESU VX-1R IN MINT CONDITION 8 MO. OLD W/ CUSTOM LEATHER
HOLSTER. BOX, MANUAL ETC. AS NEW.
$200.00 INCLUDING SHIPPING IN CONT. U.S.

BOBAR8@AOL.COM

1528. wtb ten tec 234 speech processor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: rhka0fbj@netins.net
Message-ID: <703eak$k0$1@ins8.netins.net>
Source record: 129100
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Cul8r

Robert Hull rhka0fbj@netins.net KA0FBJ

Want to help stop Spam? (also known as UNSOLICITED COMMERCIAL E-MAIL)
Support the Anti-Spam Amendment. Join at http://www.cauce.org/

Net-Tamer V 1.10 - Test Drive

1529. looking for th 78a

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: airwolf000@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981014203432.18917.00000763@ng26.aol.com>
Source record: 129101

hi im looking for a th 78 a dual band ht if u have one and would like to sell u can reach me at airwolf000@aol.com or home number is 1-562-699-3260

1530. Re: Radar Gun for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: conover@tiac.net
Message-ID: <703h7j$8pi@news-central.tiac.net>
Source record: 129102
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.misc,
sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

J.R. Hehnly (jarman@ionet.net) wrote:
: I saw another potential hazard the other day. The police set a car by the
: road, but left no-one in it! Cars were slamming on their brakes like
: crazy!!! I'm sure that if there had been an accident that it would be found
: to be the fault of the police for trying to 'scare' the kindly speeders. I
: think that only bonified on-the-scene police officers should be allowed to
: do anything to try and slow down our fine citizens who choose to ignore
: posted speeds.

You've simply got to be kidding! Where did you get your driver's license,
the Sharper Image Catalog?

Still, a nice troll!

Harry C.

1531. Re: Radar Gun for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: HaeWoon Lee <heti@soback.kornet.nm.kr>
Message-ID: <3625514E.2CEC@soback.kornet.nm.kr>
Source record: 129103
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.misc,
sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

bryan@prodistributors.com wrote:
>
>
> KUSTOM ELECTRONICS Model HR-8 hand held radar gun for sale.
> This is a 24 GHZ unit that is in good working order. Comes complete
> with carrying case and tuning fork for calibration. You can sure make
> the brake lights come on with this......$100 plus UPS.
>
> Bryan Edwards
> Lubbock, Texas

How can I pay for. Please let me know ordering info.
HaeWoon Lee

1532. Re: MIR Contact Info --- QSO CARD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@astro.net
Message-ID: <703icfplv2@supernews.com>
Source record: 129104

In article <19981014161407.12190.00000654@ng96.aol.com>, kb6uda@aol.com (KB6UDA) wrote:
>I contacted the MIR space station 4/24/95 and would like to get a QSO card.
>Anyone have any information on how to do this?
>
>Thanks
>Jack

Check sci.astro, I replied to you on that group. N6CO Dave Larsen is the U.S.
card manager for Mir.

73,
Tom

Remove the "P" from the below address (spam blocker)

Tom Randall Amateur Radio - KB2SMS
Mt. Beacon Amateur Radio Club / ARRL / 10-10
tprandall@idsi.net QRV on 6m on 50.125 or 52.525 from FN31
Member: AAVSO Solar Division

My Astronomy/Ham radio site: http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html

Opinions herein are mine and may not be that of Idsi.Net!

1533. amp sweep tubes fs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: jlogin@gville.mindspring.com
Message-ID: <703itl$j3q$2@camel25.mindspring.com>
Source record: 129105

Unable to test so if no good will refund....

6x 6kg6a(& one 6kg6) -- nos(2ea
Lindal,sylvania,3ge)---aea$19.20---$9.50ea

4x 6hf5 --3nos(2rca,1zenith), one used ge--aea$15.20---$7.50ea/used $4

4x 6kd6--nos(2westinghouse,1syl,1rca)--aea$39---$20ea

4x 6kv6a--nos(3west,1rca)---aea $39.20--$20ea

2x 6jt6a--nos(1lind,1rca)-----aea $28----$14 ea

3x 6km6-nos(2west,1lind)----aea(says call for price ---will sell for
50% of aea)

3x 6jb5/6he5/6jc5-nos(lind/syl/ge)----aea $5.60---$2.50

2x 6lb6--used ge/rca ----aea$24----$10ea

3x 6gy5--nos 2x itt/syl-----aea$5.30--$2.50

1x 6mh6--used ge----aea$8.30--$4

1x 6lr6--used(cud be new but in wrong box) usa mfg---aea$35--$15

1x 6kn6--nos lind----aea$9---$4

1x 6jm6a--nos rca---aea$5.60--$2.50

1x 6gt5a--nos rca---aea $17.30--$8.50

, Tnx & 73....Bob, AA8A

1534. Re: FS: Yaesu Ft 900 CAT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: dlr18sh@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981014214022.14847.00000891@ng115.aol.com>
Source record: 129106

You can buy the FT-900CAT Brand New
From Aes for $900 incuding the Separation Kit plus Free CW 500HZ Filter.

N1tmu

1535. HP 8640B For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: KB6LUE <kb6lue@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <3625D4B3.3DD1@pacbell.net>
Source record: 129107

Hi
I have a for sale HP8640B OPT 3 and OPT 1 2 3. Price OPT 3 $525
OPT 1 2 3 $925 Plus UPS 714 441 1002
Thanks
Jin KB6LUE

1536. FS; Kenwood YK-88A filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3bj@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <703n9n$79u$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129108
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchor

For Sale: Kenwood YK-88C AM filter, 6 KHz, for many Kenwood radios.
Excellent shape, looks new.

$50 shipped

Alan, N3BJ
Bent Mountain, VA

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
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1537. NEED MOD FOR AN ALINCO DR-119T FOR CAP USE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: chipjumper@thepentagon.com
Message-ID: <362575C6.2C714838@thepentagon.com>
Source record: 129109

I need a mod to open up the radio to transmit on CAP 148.15. The radio was accidently reseted.

1538. FS Yaesu FT-107M Station

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard <tbolt@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <36257C66.5BB8A0D@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 129110
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale ; Yaesu FT-107M Tranceiver, SP-107P Speaker-Phone Patch,
FP-1070E Power Supply, Mike, Manual, and Service Manual. All in
Excellent Condition. Purchased from original owner. All for $500.00
Phone Jeff at 315-672-3516 or e-mail me at tbolt@ix.netcom.com and I
will forward all replies to him. He does not have internet capability.
Thank You..

1539. Re: Radar Gun for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Les Wilson <nessman@servtech.com>
Message-ID: <36258257.7ED5@servtech.com>
Source record: 129111
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.misc,
sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

KuoH wrote:

> Go join the highway patrol if you want to serve the public, because
> the most inattentative and dangerous drivers on the road are the LEO
> wannabes.

And the off-duty LEO's screaming along at 90+ MPH because they know they
have a 99% chance of getting out of any traffic ticket are any safer?
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Another fine e-mail sent out by Les Wilson, K2LES, Greece, NY
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E-mail - Personal: nessman@servtech.com
Work: les_wilson@ccmail.monroe.edu
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Home Page: http://www.servtech.com/~nessman
Greater Rochester Railfan: http://www.servtech.com/~nessman/rochrail.htm
Parma Special Police: http://www.servtech.com/~nessman/papd.html
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1540. Re: HP HP141 Spectrum analyse tracking generator

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: keithmcr@central.co.nz
Message-ID: <7046ov$9bg$1@news.iconz.co.nz>
Source record: 129112

In article <3621B877.75B1@pop.removethistomailme.net>,
jmiles@pop.removethistomailme.net says...
>
>Keith McRoberts wrote:
>>
>> Has anyone had any experience with adding a tracking generator to a HP
>> spectrum analyser model Hp141-18Ghz.
>>
>Are you talking about the 8555A analyzer plugin? I don't think they
>ever made a tracking generator specifically for the higher frequency
>range of that one. The 8444A generator works with either the 8554B or
>8555A up to about 1.25 GHz, but above that you'd have to roll your own.
>
>-- jm KE5FX
>
Trackin gen up to 1.2G would be fine. Can someone tell me a source, or has
anyone got one to dispose of.

1541. Vhf & Uhf Ham Radio Repeater Location Guides!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jennifer R <kamikazi@geocities.com>
Message-ID: <3625A880.BA8E1168@geocities.com>
Source record: 129113
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio

Hello,

Are all new Southern California Repeater Location Guides are on our
Web Page. Please pay a visit at http://www.rotd.com/worldxn

The "Original Southern California" Repeater Location Guide contains
the
most complete listings of all Open and Closed Repeaters for 2-Meters,
220 MHz, 440 Mhz, 1.2 GHz, 6 & 10 Meters in Southern California.

Visit before the end of next month and take advantage of our specials...

Thanks Again,
Jennifer R.
World Express Network
http://www.rotd.com/worldxn

1542. Re: Radar Gun for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al Dolgosh <al.dolgosh@hamradio.org>
Message-ID: <3625D1EC.2A4BB7AF@hamradio.org>
Source record: 129114
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.misc, sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

Amen! It is wonderful to hear someone hit the point exactly. We all need to take personal responsibility for our actions, and not say "the other guy made me do it"!!

If it is against the law to do something, then work to change the law, if it is unjust. It is not even logical to advocate law-breaking on the grounds that you disagree with the law.

Al - K8EUR

Philip Rosenberg-Watt wrote:

> KuoH wrote in message <36251AF8.6C89@aol.com>...
> >5 of 7 wrote:
> >>
> >> "impede" ??? so all the people obeying the posted speed limit
> >> are getting in the way of all the people who choose to ignore
> >> it eh ??
> > >
> > > It only takes one person slamming on their brakes to start the chain
> > >reaction. Using one of these guns just to see someone's brake lights
> > >come on is of little comfort to the guy who just got cut off by your
> > >victim and is now braking for all he's worth too just to avoid an
> > >accident.
> >
> I'm sure if you check with your local traffic courts, a rear-end collission
> is ALWAYS the fault of the driver who rear-ended. Always. At least that's
> how it is here in Colorado. If you "can't help" avoiding slamming your
> multi-thousand lb. and $ transportation device into the back of someone
> else's because "they brake suddenly," it's still YOUR FAULT for following
> too closely and/or speeding way beyond the 85th percentile. I'm not saying
> that I stay back 2 seconds all the time, but just be prepared to accept the
> consequences of your own risky action(s). And I do totally agree that using
> a radar gun to slow traffic which is speeding and not giving enough follow
> time is dangerous. But the radar gun is not what caused the accident or
> created the safety hazzard; it's the method (or lack thereof) of people's
> driving. Make sure you realize the <driving envorinment> is not in itself
> hazardous or dangerous. It's the fallable human beings driving IN that
> environment who create the hazard.

1543. FS: HamStuff - Prices Reduced...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Repstad <rcc@together.net>
Message-ID: <3625E7EA.3D76304A@together.net>
Source record: 129115
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Hi Guys, got some good stuff here that I no longer have the room for...
:)

e-mail direct if interested.

Homebrew RF-Deck uses pair 4-125's, about 500W out needs HV supply:
$150.00
(The parts in this thing alone are worth $150.00)

Unbuilt Heathkit 5-Position Rotary Coax-Switch $50.00

Heathkit DX-60B w/matching HG-10 VFO: $120.00

MFJ 752C Signal Enhancer: $30.00

Heathkit AM-2 Swr Meter: $10.00

Pair Collis Motorized Roller Inductors $75.00

Kenwood TS-930SAT w/250hz CW filter, auto tuner, etc... exec condition:
$850.00

Linear Amp Parts (sold as set, will not split): Pair of 4CX1500B medical
pulls, w/1-Socket/Chimney,
Peter W. Dahl Plate transformer a 115/230 VAC primary and a 1250 VAC @
1.5A CCS secondary
8-1500mfd @ 450V Computer Grade caps, pair of 6KV block diodes,
pair of ducted blower fans (pulls from military equipment) all for $425.

--Tom
KB1CGA

1544. Re: Radar Gun for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: rhawk@megabits.net
Message-ID: <3625e9b8.815454@news.megabits.net>
Source record: 129116
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.misc,
sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

On Wed, 14 Oct 1998 16:59:25 -0500, "J.R. Hehnly" <jarman@ionet.net>
wrote:

>I saw another potential hazard the other day. The police set a car by the
>road, but left no-one in it! Cars were slamming on their brakes like
>crazy!!! I'm sure that if there had been an accident that it would be found
>to be the fault of the police for trying to 'scare' the kindly speeders. I
>think that only bonified on-the-scene police officers should be allowed to
>do anything to try and slow down our fine citizens who choose to ignore
>posted speeds.
>
>Or something.
>
You are smart, NOT. the police park a car on the side of the road,
with the radar on, so what. you are the second dipswitch today.
I suppose if you were to park your'e car there, it would be OK
because you are not a cop..what a Joke, you I mean.

1545. Alternative to ICOM CT-17?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clinton <cpeebles@_nospam_netidea.com>
Message-ID: <3625E9DC.6186@_nospam_netidea.com>
Source record: 129117

Hi all. I have a IC-706 and was thinking about hooking it up to the computer, until I saw the price of the CT-17 that is. Is there a cheaper alternative? For the $200.00 they want for ICOM's setup, I can push a lot of buttons on the radio...

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Kill the MAI

****

Clinton Peebles VE7KNL Grid DN19ie
Remove _NOSPAM_ to reply.
E-Mail: VE7KNL@RAC.CA

1546. VK (Australia)Email List

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: ameredith@ozemail.com.au
Message-ID: <704utf$r94$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129118

Hi All

Having trouble finding a VK? Maybe they have an Email address!

Check out http://www.ozemail.com.au/~ameredith/index.html

Australia's largest online listing of VK email & URL addresses.

Cheers...Allan VK2NNN

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1547. Re: Kenwood Microphone Switch???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark_Erbaugh@compuserve.com
Message-ID: <3625ee21.4228411@news2.infinet.com>
Source record: 129119

On Wed, 14 Oct 1998 19:54:58 -0500, "Dan In Minneapolis"
<lotsacache@sprintmail.com> wrote:

>Hi,
>
>Thanks for reading.
>
>I have four Kenwoods, all which take the standard 8 pin
>microphone plug.
>
>The problem is, I'd liek to use one microphone for all radios.
>
>Does anyone know of a microphone switch (4 position)
>I could use for this purpose? I could really use the desk space.
>
>Dan
>

Dan,

I don't know if this helps or not, but the Kenwood MC-85 desk mic has
connectors (and a switch) for up to 3 radios.

Mark

1548. Re: Radar Gun for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: rhawk@megabits.net
Message-ID: <362567da.1095723@news.megabits.net>
Source record: 129120
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.misc,
sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

On Wed, 14 Oct 1998 16:43:20 -0500, KuoH <KuoH@aol.com> wrote:

> It only takes one person slamming on their brakes to start the chain
>reaction. Using one of these guns just to see someone's brake lights
>come on is of little comfort to the guy who just got cut off by your
>victim and is now braking for all he's worth too just to avoid an
>accident.
>
If you stupid, arrogant B*stards would allow a "safe distance"
between you and the car in front of you, You would not have
to worry about hitting sombody in the rear end, and getting
your dumb ass sued off..Because you were following to close.

get a life, and put your cell phone where the sun don't shine.

Thats MY Opinion

Bob
>

1549. Kenwood TM-G707A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Provencal <Richard.Provencal@umontreal.ca>
Message-ID: <HomV1.169$7S1.148259@weber.videotron.net>
Source record: 129121

Hi

I'm considering buying a 2m/70cm mobile rig.
There is a lot out there!!!!!
Many offer lots of bells & whistles and you end up not using most of it.
So I came up to consider the Kenwood TM-707A.
Any comments on the rig will be appreciated.
Is there any review on the rig?

Rich

1550. FA ebay: Kantonics KPC-3 TNC rev 5.1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Fleckenstein <spfleck@warwick.net>
Message-ID: <3625F2B0.3E2282F@warwick.net>
Source record: 129122
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

KPC-3 in terrific shape on Ebay Auction
firmware = rev 5.1

Steve
73 de N2UBP

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=35939975

1551. FA ebay: Kantonics KPC-3 TNC rev 5.1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Fleckenstein <spfleck@warwick.net>
Message-ID: <3625F236.C42D04A0@warwick.net>
Source record: 129123
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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KPC-3 in terrific shape on Ebay Auction
firmware = rev 5.1

Steve
73 de N2UBP

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=35939975
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1552. Re: Radar Gun for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: JKirby@antispam.co.uk
Message-ID: <3625faa6.0@scooby.nildram.co.uk>
Source record: 129124
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.misc,
sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

"Philip Rosenberg-Watt" <rose7291@unco.edu> wrote:

>So, in essence, if I crash my car because of glare from the sun on my way
>home from work, it's the sun's fault?

I get the impression that in America, any accident that happens is
always the responsibility of some other poor sucker who you can sue.
If the sun is in your eyes, then the road was negligently built, and
then you have someone to sue. If not, try suing the car manufacturer
for not providing sun glasses with the car to prevent dazzling.

Was it not in America that a woman won damages from a microwave
oven manufacturer because it did not have a warning telling you not
to dry you pet dog in it?

>I admit that my heart jumps a little bit every time I see a patrol car on
>the highways, but if motorists can't handle a little pressure from the State
>Patrol and panic everytime they see a cruiser parked on the shoulder, maybe
>they should re-think their tactics?

1553. HAM STORE SPECIALS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: advanspec@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981015093937.05103.00000978@ng93.aol.com>
Source record: 129125

Advanced Specialties Electronics in Lodi, NJ hasd the following items on special sale:

******USED EQUIPMENT******

Kenwood TH-79AD W/5W battery. very clean, no mods done to radio. We will include as a package deal a Brand New dual slot rapid charger for this radio. $250 delivered.

MFJ artificial ground unit. $49 delivered.

Royce 23ch CB base station. w/mike & instructions. 120V AC. Great & inexpensive way to monitor CHS 9 & 19. $45 delivered.

******NEW EQUIPMENT*****

RMS PA-46 45 watt 2M amp . 1W in gives approx 25-30W out . 3 - 5W in for 40 - 45W out . $69 ea delivered.

ADI HT-204 Dual band HT. 1 left brand new. 120 ch alpha numeric 5W battery 800Mhz rcv. Originally made for Radi Shack as the HTX-204. PL enc/dec. full ADI warranty. $259 delivered.

If interested call 1-800-926-9426 or 201-843-2067. We are open Tues-Fri 10-6 and Sat 10-2 eastern. All major credit cards. All sales final, sorry no C.O.D's. We are an Authorized dealer & carry a full line of Amateur, Scanner & CB radios & accessories.

1554. Re: Remote Operation of HF Station?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: larryj@user2.teleport.com
Message-ID: <704u26kfg1@user2.teleport.com>
Source record: 129126

In article <36257953.777D@nomail.com>, Jones <Jones@nomail.com> wrote:
>> There would obviously be some features of the rig that can't be
>> controlled remotely - Mic gain and some of the other analog functions
>> come to mind immediately
>> -Marty KI&#65533;LO

ACC (Advanced Computer Controls, the Repeater Controller Mfr.) made a
controller called the SM-100 "Shackmaster". It would control your UHF/VHF
radio, HF Radio, autopatch, etc. For the HF rig, it would run (from your UHF
radio or from the telephone) an ICOM IC-751, Yaesu 757, Kenwood TS440 or
TS-940, etc. You can remotely change band, mode, frequency, etc. It gives
you voice readback of frequency, direction of your antenna in degrees (it
can control a CDE antenna Rotor), mode, etc.

Several of us in the Portland, OR area have these "Shackmasters" and have a
lot of fun with them. I picked up another one at Dayton this year as a
spare. ACC didn't make very many of them, as they were quite expensive when
new.

Good Luck,
Larry K7LJ
larryj@teleport.com

>
>My TS870 can be remote controlled through the rear rs232 port.
>Everything can be controlled, all front panel controls and the menu.
>Also the keyer. The manual gives you the necessary commands so you can
>write simple qbasic programs (or any computer language that supports
>serial ports) to control it if you don't like the program that comes
>with the rig. I'm sure there are other rigs that do the same. So it
>might be simpler than you think.

1555. Re: Comments on the Magellan ColorTrak GPS receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Lyons <boblyons@umich.edu>
Message-ID: <3625FDBE.C20C37E4@umich.edu>
Source record: 129127

bdiaz@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>
> In article <36239E82.1A093BA5@umich.edu>,
> boblyons@umich.edu wrote:
> > [While GPS receivers are not ham equipment, they are often used alongside
> > amateur gear for APRS. My own interest is in ham applications, so I've
> > posted this here in the rec.radio.amateur arena rather than look for GPS-
> > specific hierarchies.]
>
> <<Big snip to save space>>
>
> > I'd be interested in hearing other people's experiences with Magellan and
> > their staff, as well as other GPS systems.
> >
> > Bob, KI8AB
>
> I own a Magellan GPS 2000. It works, sort of, overall I consider it
> a dud. Even with a full view of the sky (no trees or nothing in the
> way) it looses the lock. When I start it up, it takes F O R E V E R
> to obtain a lock. My brother in law spent the extra money ($100 more)
> and has a much better unit, a GARMAN (spelling?). He never seems to
> have any problems.

When I power up my Magellan ColorTrak, I usually see indications of
received satellite data in 10 seconds or so. Position lock is obtained
in perhaps 1-2 minutes (less if immobile under open sky, more if moving
or if I'm under cover). The fastest I've seen the ColorTrak acquire a
lock was about 20-30 seconds, while the slowest was probably 5 minutes
(rainy day, in the car, moving - very unfavorable conditions). How does
this compare with your older Magellan, Bob? With your brother-in-law's
Garmin?

Anyone else care to tell about their GPS receivers? I'd like to know
the pro's and con's of other units, and whether mine is especially fast
or slow at computing its position.

One thing that did impress me - I turned on my ColorTrak during a cross-
country airline flight, and it locked up fine - altitude was 35,000 (and
confirmed by the captain shortly thereafter) and the speed was something
believable (I forgot what). I wanna set it up with DeLorme Street Atlas
showing me my position, continuously updated! No more wondering what I'm
seeing out the wondow.

Bob, KI8AB

1556. Lincoln (Nebraska)Amateur Radio Club Action 10/25

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wayne Faris <wfaris@navix.net>
Message-ID: <3625F87B.56F350B6@navix.net>
Source record: 129128
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,misc.computers.forsale

The Lincoln Amateur Radio Club's annual auction will be held October 25th at the Quality Inn at 52nd & Cornhusker Highway (Highway 6) in Lincoln, Nebraska. Check in time is 9:00 am with the actual auction beginning at 11:00 am. Talk-in will be on both 146.76 and 146.85 repeaters.

There will be loads of both ham radio and computer gear at this sale. A lot of bargains to be had. Bring a truck to haul it away!

More info can be had on the club's website at:

http://cit1.unl.edu.larc

See you there!

Wayne Faris, KEï¿½BZ

1557. WHAT IS "EBAY"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: jder8745@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981015095913.03702.00000853@ng-fc2.aol.com>
Source record: 129129

Howdy,

I keep seeing rference to "ebay".

What is it?

73 de Jack, K9CUN

1558. Re: Kenwood TS-950 Display

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: k6dpzhal@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981016193436.27591.00001798@ng136.aol.com>
Source record: 128881

You could have a bad electro lumenicient display.

1559. FS: Good Stuff

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Christopher Zeman, KB9RHA" <zman@iwc.net>
Message-ID: <xbRV1.213$yt5.175@news6.ispnews.com>
Source record: 128882

FOR SALE:

***Icom IC-T8A Tri-Band Handheld Transceiver
6 meters, 2 meters, and 440.
Cosmetic condition: 9/10
Operational condition: 10/10
Original battery and charger.
Several external antenna adapters are included.
Modification has been done to open up TX & RX range. RX range
is now 50-999.99 MHz (less cellular) Will transmit on a good
portion of that bandwidth, BUT IT STRONGLY CAUTIONED
Will work just fine on the same frequencies you would get out of
most other HTs, but some frequencies will TX and RX very weak
and will also TX on several frequencies at the same time.
$275.00 FIRM

Motorola Repeater with remote base, microphone, paging terminal, & auxilary
speaker.
Dual-frequency receive, single frequency transmit.
Currently crystalled for commercial band. (154.265 and 154.235 MHz)
Sold AS-IS. I do not have the manuals.
Will buy back, however, if it does not work correctly.
This item is for pick-up only in Lake Villa, IL. If you are interested,
please send me an e-mail.
I would be more than happy to have anyone seriously intersted in the
unit over to inspect it.
$75.00

120 Megabyte Tape Backup Drive with everthing you need to get
it going.
$15.00

(2) Radio Shack VOX Cassette Recorders Model # CTR-76
$10.00 each

Motherboards - $2.50 each or all for $10.00
(if you buy all, shipping is included.
(1) 286 Motherboard
(3) 386 Motherboards
(1) 486 Motherboard

Grundig Yaght Boy 500 SW/AM/FM Receiver
Cosmetic Condition 9/10
Operational Condition 10/10
$250.00 FIRM (includes shipping)

Unless otherwise stated, buyer pays shipping and sales are final.
Please e-mail zman@iwc.net if you are intersted or have any questions.
Personal checks accepted, however, there will be a 14 day waiting period
before items are shipped. Money orders preferred.

Thank you,
Christopher Zeman, KB9RHA
P.O. Box 4
Ingleside, IL 60041

Street address will be provided to buyers.

1560. FA: Tektronix 317 Scope

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Etter <retter@bright.net>
Message-ID: <3627E5CA.3AFF@bright.net>
Source record: 128883

Tektronix 317 Oscilloscope with 1959 Instruction Manual, I'd guess the
Scope to be maybe a year or two newer.
Manual in very good condition. Has complete schematics on fold out
pages.
In the back is a mint 1959 Tektronix Catalog of scopes and plug-ins.

Scope in very good condition, and has the green filter.
Scope is somewhat dirty from setting for years. The time-base
cal knob is broken. All other knobs ok.
I have powered it up, and everything appears to work. The
calibrator outputs are close, the vertical input is close,
time base looks good, and the ext. sync circuits work.
The manual has proceedures for calibrating.

Includes several coax test cables, 2 - 10X probes (1 Tektronix, 1 HP),
numerous connectors and test probes

Shipping to be paid by high bidder, based on location. I'm in zip
43532.

Thanks for looking!! start $14.99
See at:
http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=36217269

1561. FA: Tektronix 545A Manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Etter <retter@bright.net>
Message-ID: <3627E63D.23B5@bright.net>
Source record: 128884

Tektronix Instruction Manual
Type 545A Oscilloscope, 1960, about 8" x 12"

In very good condition, with just slight edge wear. Military Tech
Order # written on front. (see scan)

$1.50 regular mail or $3.00 Priority Shipping
Multiple Purchases will be combined for savings

Thanks for looking!!
see at:
http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=35735892

PLUG-INS!!! All Manuals in very good shape!!
Type:
CA
K
L
3A75
and P6046 Probe

See other auctions for plug-in manuals at:
http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewListedItems&userid=retter@bright.net

Thanks for looking!

1562. Re: Reminder: This is NOT the group for SALE/SWAP/WANT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Paul F. McCarron" <w1hzy@cybertours.com>
Message-ID: <3627EF5C.3EE21F3B@cybertours.com>
Source record: 128885

My computer crashes when i try to down load from rec.radio.swap. Glad to
hear that i'm not the only one having trouble.

Brian A. Berard wrote:

> >rec.radio.swap is the proper place for selling, buying, trading
>
> I haven't been able to retriev from the swap group for over a week,
> has any one else have the same problem? My ISP acknowledged there's a
> problem down the line but it sure seems that it's taking for ever to
> fix it!
> Bri
>
> To send me Email remove xx's and quotes, Thanks!
> "brianb@xx.xx.xx.velocity.net"

1563. icom 2100 mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: dave wilkin <dcwilkin@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <362819FF.490F8A00@mindspring.com>
Source record: 128886

About a month or so ago I bought my self a new IC-2100 2 metr mobile and
I would like to know if there are any mods for it andall please e-mail
if there are, becase of my shedule I don't get to check the posts very
often andall so please e-mail if there are.
Dave Wilkin
KF4WVB
rockhopper1998@yahoo.com

1564. FS Realistic DX-160 and Hallicrafters S77A general coverage receivers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris <ck5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3627F0E7.6627@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 128887
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have two very nice general coverage receivers for sale.
I have an excellent condition DX-160 for $95
I also have a Hallicrafters S77A in very good condition for $95.
The S77A is looks like an S40B. Both units are plus shipping.
Thanks Chris VE3NGW/W4 Florida

1565. Re: Prestine ICOM IC-R9000 ..HAS BEEN SOLD !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: davez <davez@ticon.net>
Message-ID: <708ttf$5m6$1@galileo.ticon.net>
Source record: 128888
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

This Radio Has Now been sold !! Many Thanks for all of the responces..
davez

davez wrote in message <706664gal1@galileo.ticon.net>...
>FOR SALE: A Mint-Prestine ICOM IC-R9000 receiver. Not a scratch, nick or
ANY
>dust on this set. 3 years old, display was never abused (brightness never
>turned up too high), has had very little use. Always covered when not in
>use. Non-smoker and treat equipment with full respect. On the old condition
>scale scale between 1 and 10, this one is a 9.99 !!! Have all orginal boxes
>(both inner and outer boxes), packing, manuals etc. Has the optional voice
>synthesizer unit installed.
>
>I will also include the matching optional SP-20 speaker (one with the
>filters in it). I no longer need as intrest in VHF-UHF is no longer there,
>have another set just for the SW.
>
>Will sacfrice for $ 3500.00 FIRM and I will pick up the UPS shipping (offer
>only valid in lower 48, USA). Sorry, NO COD's
>
>Thank You for taking the time to read this message.
>
>PLEASE: SERIOUS INQUIRES ONLY !!
>
>

1566. Re: Standard C-5900 ..Has Been SOLD !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: davez <davez@ticon.net>
Message-ID: <708u1k$5vl$1@galileo.ticon.net>
Source record: 128889
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

This radio Has Been SOLD !! Thanks to all for the responces...
davez

davez wrote in message <7055q5krd1@galileo.ticon.net>...
>FOR SALE: Standard C-5900 "Tri-Band" FM transceiver (6/2 and 70 cm). Only
>about 4 months old . Never mobile, it is in prestine condition. Have all
for
>it, like new. Also have an ICOM SM-8 base mic that is all wired up for use
>with the C-5900. Works fantasic with radio. Will only sell the SM-8 with
the
>C-5900, will not break up ! Have the additional cable for the SM-8, so you
>could still connect a ICOM radio to the other input. The SM-8 is also in
>prestine condition.
>
>Price (will pick up the UPS shipping too,USA lower 48 only) is $ 600.00.
>Sorry no COD's.
>
>davez
>
>++
>
>Visit my web site "Dave's Radio Receiver Page" at
>http://www.ticon.net/~davez
>
>

1567. Re: Courier Port-A-Lab Multi function Meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: dana <dana@randomc.com>
Message-ID: <Pine.GSO.3.96.981016220919.18124F-100000@cluster2>
Source record: 128890
Cross-posted to: rec.redio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.cb

i just gave away 2 of those the other day

On Fri, 16 Oct 1998, Chris wrote:

> Date: Fri, 16 Oct 1998 17:53:59 -0400
> From: Chris <ck5@ix.netcom.com>
> To: baswaplist@foothill.net
> Newsgroups: rec.redio.swap, rec.radio.amateur.equipment,
> rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors, rec.radio.cb
> Subject: Courier Port-A-Lab Multi function Meter
>
> Courier Port-a-Lab 500. SWR, Power up to 500 Watts, Field Strenth and
> Modulation Meter with built in Dummy load. Excellent, $65 plus
> shipping.
> 73 Chris VE3NGW/W4 Florida
>
>

1568. FS: Optoelectronics Frequency Counter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan Elekman <elekman@interaccess.com>
Message-ID: <708usn$32m$1@supernews.com>
Source record: 128891
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner

For sale: Optoelectronics MiniCounter with telescoping whip antenna and rubber duck antenna. $125 (shipping included)

Specifications:
Freq. Range 1MHz - 2.8GHz
Timebase: frequency: 10MHz
initial accuracy: 1 PPM
Display 10 Digit .175" character height liquid crystal
Size 3.7" high x 2.75" wide x 1.2" deep
Weight 7.5 oz.
Cabinet Stamped aluminum, black textured powder coat finish
Battery Internal 4 cell AA, 600 mAHour, shrink wrapped pack,
flying leads terminated with two conductor female plug
Battery discharge time: 4-5 hours from a full charge. 10-12 hours recharge time from supplied plug adapter.

Please email me if interested.

Thanks,
Dan
elekman@interaccess.com

1569. Re: IC-T8A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jay A <jltmn@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <36282428.0@news1.ibm.net>
Source record: 128892

Been using the radio myself. I like it, but wish its receive audio was a bit better. Sounds as if something is vibrating when the audio is cranked up a bit..but I have heard the same thing on more than my own sample of the radio.

6 meters is next to useless unless you are very close to a repeater, so I replaced the antenna with a shorter 2 meter, 440 one and don't bother with 6 meters.

Cellular CAN be heard.

Battery lasts a long time and is a pleasure.

All in all, I am happy with the radio.

Jay

1570. Re: Recommend 2m small HT?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jones <Jones@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <362820F2.4B2B@nomail.com>
Source record: 128893

> I think the VX-1R is the only radio that meets every one of your
> requirements, because I think it's the only one that's got AM band reception.
> Lewis "Moose" Gregory

The AM reception on the VX1R is a joke. You need a longer antenna to hear AM on it, and who wants to carry antenna wire in their pocket. When I bought it I thought wow that's a good idea, I could listen to news and scan and do hamming all in one little box. Well nope, although the ads look appealing it is lacking badly on several frequencies. Also I can't hear the local 162 weather freq. My IC2SAT reads it full scale. I read in another post that you can hear 162 with a better antenna, so now I gotta carry 2 antennas?? The UHF receiver is so poor on 800mhz that even though its blocked for cell phone, you can hear them plainly on the image frequency. But I didn't take it back as it does very well on the ham bands. Some day someone will make a tiny box that I can slip in my pocket and allow me to listen to all facets of entertaining radio. That day is *not* today.

1571. Re: Reminder: This is NOT the group for SALE/SWAP/WANT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jones <Jones@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <362821CD.2599@nomail.com>
Source record: 128894

> > I haven't been able to retriev from the swap group for over a week,
> > has any one else have the same problem?

Read it on Deja News. Although using the web is much slower, it keeps
you in touch when your local server fails.

1572. TS780s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Corgiat <rick.corgiat@mail.mei.com>
Message-ID: <36278B98.74DBFAB5@mail.mei.com>
Source record: 128895

Does anyone have any ifo on mods for this rig. It will tx/rx on the
entire 2m band but only 430 to 440 on uhf. Also, any ideas on what tone
board to put in the rig for repeater use?
Thanks,
Rick - N9JVO
n9jvo@qsl.net

1573. WTB 88/44 Mhy toroids

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: buzzmm@reno.rmci.net
Message-ID: <362ab668.19139222@news.reno.rmci.net>
Source record: 128896

I need 88 or 44 Mili-Henery toroids. These are the toroids that
were used for RTTY years ago.
Thanks,
Buzz

1574. ts-940+transverter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: marcos perini <marcosp@ba.net>
Message-ID: <70cbdq$cc1$1@colon.ba.net>
Source record: 128897

Hi my name is Luis my country Argentina and my ham is LU7APT and i have a problem.
i need the manuals of transverter's kenwood TV-506 AND TV-502S
for connect to my transceiver ts-940s. If you have a manual or how i can connect? pse tell me right here via e-mail
marcosp@ba.net

1575. FS:PK-88

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: sskadden@pacbell.net
Message-ID: <36279ECB.3B27@pacbell.net>
Source record: 128898

Hello and thanks for reading.I have a PK-88 TNC in like new condition,in the original box with manual,cables and an MFJ 1272 packett tnc switch. Price is $50.00.If interested,e-mail.Thanks & 73s.Shane,KE6JZ.

1576. WTB: 12M and 17M xtals for Omni C - HELP !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3bj@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <707hc8$d1l$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128931
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Wanted: 12M and 17M crystals for the Omni C. Need these desperately to complete a deal.

If anyone has a commercial source that offers good service, that would be helpful, also.

Need help !

Alan, N3BJ

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1577. FS Rohn 48' HBX tower

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: dick468359@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981016083633.00470.00001561@ng138.aol.com>
Source record: 128932

I have a Rohn HBX 48 foot free standing tower for sale or trade.It's down and ready to go
$225.00
Dick,KA1KLA 508 999 3748
in New Bedford,Ma.

1578. Need manual -- Lafayette HA-800B receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5dh@rtis.ray.com
Message-ID: <707ffp$qlj@sf18.dseg.ti.com>
Source record: 128933
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Looking for the manual for a Lafayette HA-800B receiver.
A clean photocopy would be fine. Must have schematic!

73,
Dean / K5DH

1579. Re: MFJ-259B SWR Analyzer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: ken simmons <ksimmons@jempac.com>
Message-ID: <36273FC7.C8A52B9D@jempac.com>
Source record: 128934

Chris,
The B works better than the original, computes reactance (no sign) and lots of other parameters.The frequency is more stable on the B also. I made some quick comparisons with W5UN's (other brand) and he liked the B model better. You can also put ni-cads in it, lots of talk about running battery's down real fast but I have owned both models and did not have a problem.
Just be careful with the touch power switch on front panel you can turn unit on placing in box till next time you need to use and your battery might be discharged. The original model had a alternate action switch, no accidental power on!

Ken Simmons K5UHF

1580. Re: Comments on the Magellan ColorTrak GPS receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Lyons <boblyons@umich.edu>
Message-ID: <36274593.BBA57117@umich.edu>
Source record: 128935

Dave Martindale wrote:
>
> bdiaz@my-dejanews.com writes:
> >The fastest time to a lock was about 3 minutes. Most of the time it's about
> >5 minutes. I've had it take 15 minutes (more or less) to get a lock and
> >a few times it never locked even after 45 minutes. In those cases,
> >I powered off, then powered on, and got a lock in about 5 minutes.
>
> This is slow even by the standards of the old single-channel GPS units.
> Maybe yours isn't quite healthy.
>
> But performance has improved greatly with the appearance of 8- and 12-
> channel parallel receivers. A Garmin GPS 12 can be had for $150 US,
> and it has external power input, computer interface for transferring
> tracks and waypoints, and a bit-mapped display that can do chart
> plotting (no built-in database of land features though - all you see
> are your waypoints and track log).
>
> The Magellan Blazer 12 is apparently even cheaper, but has no computer
> interface, and the display is a fixed LCD that can't do chart plotting.
>
> Both of these are 12-channel, and should give you a lock in about 45
> seconds when they haven't been in use for a few days or a few weeks
> and are stationary when turned on.

I was intrugued by Bob's (KQ6WQ) comments on warm vs. cold startup.
I tested this with my Magellan Colortrak (a 12-channel model or quite
recent design and manufacture). After a day of disuse, I started it
in my car and set it on the dashboard with excellent view of the sky.
It heard satellites within 5-10 seconds and had a position calculated
in slightly under a minute (58 seconds). Shortly thereafter, I powered
it down, waited half a minute, and powered it up again. This time it
acquired a position lock in 15 seconds. A second 'warm start' was done
in 10 seconds flat. The next day, a second 'cold start' acquired a
solid position in 57 seconds. This seems satisfactory, given info from
the other postings.

In my earlier posting, I had criticized the ColorTrak for its dim
backlight and for susceptability to spoofed movement (among other
complaints). I've discovered there are apparently *two* levels of back-
lighting (no mention of this in the manual!), the brighter of which
is fairly decent. Problems with spoofed movement have been less severe
in the last two days - perhaps I had only seen it under worst-case
situations before. Too bad the manual sucks.

I *am* still furious about the data plug on the back. My GPS rolled
off the dashboard yet again yesterday evening because it will not sit
flat. Magellan should placate its customers by providing a cradle to
hold the instrument on a flat surface (plastic and foam would be fine).
They should definitely design future devices with data ports on the
sides or bottom only. The manual is still pretty appallingly bad,
too. And the directions for upgrading their firmware. For today's
chuckle, here's another line from their instructions file (in the words
of Dave Barry, 'I'm not making this up!'):

"6. When the PC displays, ""Please set your Magellan ColorTRAK "
" unit to receive new software"", set your GPS ColorTRAK/Tracker to "
receive the new software.

[copied verbatim, including quotation marks]
[subsequent steps did indeed tell *how* to 'set your ....unit to receive...',
but this line is still totally laughable].]

Bob, KI8AB

1581. FS: Glen Martin Roof Tower + More.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: ^Fretts <n2rif@kwiknet.net>
Message-ID: <XJHV1.196$Kz3.118@news14.ispnews.com>
Source record: 128936
Cross-posted to: nj.forsale,phl.forsale,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap
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4Sale "Glen Martin Roof Tower, Thrust Bearing & Heavy Duty!"
Aluminum Mast Price & Specs New from Glen Martin are below:
#1; New Glen Martin Roof Tower, Specs & Price...
Model: RT-424, Height: 4.5', Shelf to top: 34.75, Base width 24",
Max Ant. in sq ft @ 87mph@6 / 100mph @4.5 / 112mph @3.6,
Max Ant load: 100lbs Weight: 18lbs Price: $162.00+ Shipping
#2; New Glen Martin Heavy Duty Thrust Bearing, Specs & Price...
Thrust Bearing for rotating setups, premium quality, weatherized
twin bearing for 1.3 to 2.6 mast diameters. TB-25 Price: $89.95
#3; Glen Martin Heavy Duty Aluminum Mast, Specs & Price...
MA-2069 106" X 2.375" OD ,.145 wall aluminum hvy duty 12 lbs
$108.00 New Price for all $359.95 + Shipping and Un-Assembled.
Everything is like new and completely assembled. Asking $240/obo.
Must Pickup! Qth Burlington, NJ. I'm about 10 miles S. of Trenton
& 6 miles N.E. Of Phila, Pa.. Email or Call 609-386-9382 Or
if busy Call: 609-386-3272 {afternoon's only please!!}
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"please remove knowspam to reply"

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1582. ICOM 745 Mint, all accy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: mts@plix.com
Message-ID: <707m0dklq1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128937
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

This IC IC 745 is in mint condition. I can email jpeg's of it for you to examine. It has the FM and Keyer units (options) installed. It has been recently factory updated and aligned. It is capable of MARS/CAP expansion and can be done for if you want.

General spec's, 100W, .16uv Rx, 10 - 160 M all modes (AM Rx only, by design) General coverage receiver 100Khz to 30Mhz, adjustability is the key to this rig, NB, VOX gain, RF gain, Tx power, AGC, CW delay, all adjustable.

PBT (pass band tunning) AND IF shift! plus a notch. What a nice package.

Any questions or the Jpegs (100Kb) please email. mts@plix.com

Thank you for stopping by.

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1583. FS: ICOM 745 Mint, all accy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: mts@plix.com
Message-ID: <707m12klu1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128938
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

This IC IC 745 is in mint condition. I can email jpeg's of it for you to examine. It has the FM and Keyer units (options) installed. It has been recently factory updated and aligned. It is capable of MARS/CAP expansion and can be done for if you want.

General spec's, 100W, .16uv Rx, 10 - 160 M all modes (AM Rx only, by design) General coverage receiver 100Khz to 30Mhz, adjustability is the key to this rig, NB, VOX gain, RF gain, Tx power, AGC, CW delay, all adjustable.

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1584. Tektronix 2335 100Mhz, w/delay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: mts@plix.com
Message-ID: <707m9elig1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128939
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Tek 2335 100mhz oscilloscope, full featured and portable, with time base delay. Fully functional, just upgraded the shop scopes. This is available for $400 and includes shipping in the cont. US.

email for pictures or if you have questions. mts@plix.com

Thank you for stopping by.

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1585. FS: Tektronix 2335 100Mhz, w/delay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: mts@plix.com
Message-ID: <707ma8lii1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128940
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Tek 2335 100mhz oscilloscope, full featured and portable, with time base delay. Fully functional, just upgraded the shop scopes. This is available for $400 and includes shipping in the cont. US.

email for pictures or if you have questions. mts@plix.com

Thank you for stopping by.

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1586. PalmPilot/GPS Mapping (was Re: Comments...GPS...)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Lyons <boblyons@umich.edu>
Message-ID: <36274C4A.796FF260@umich.edu>
Source record: 128941

I mentioned in the earlier thread that I had set up a Palmtop computer with my GPS to track my position, and was asked by a couple people to provide details. I'm using a new program called Quo Vadis. You can read about it on the following site:

http://www.marcosoft.com/quovadis/default.stm

It's not perfect, but has some nice features and capabilities. I'd really love to see this program converted to supply map service to a Palmtop APRS implementation. Imagine an APRS station that fits in your hands!

Bob, KI8AB

1587. Mods for IC-W32A (are there any?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: jimdorr@ici.net
Message-ID: <36274e01.19099614@news>
Source record: 128942

Icom W32A

Thanks for reading this. I've look all over the net for mods on
this radio and came up empty handed, can any one help please...

Thanks in advance, 73, -Jim- (kd1oq)

1588. Re: Radar Gun for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Barbour <jdb@apk.net>
Message-ID: <707m42$k38$1@plonk.apk.net>
Source record: 128943
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.misc,
sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

>KuoH <KuoH@aol.com> wrote:
>let me get this straight ? it('s) "hazardous" to do the posted
>speed limit ?
It is if you're in a line of cars going 70 and you're going 55, no matter
the limit. In CA, as it should be everywhere, YOU will get the ticket for
impeding traffic and causing a dangerous situation. Other drivers will have
to change lanes to get past you or brake even though they were an adequate
distance back.
Ohio has a minimum speed law on limited-access freeways of 40 mph. It should
be raised to 10 mph below the posted speed. Any slower and you had better
have your four-way flashers on and have car trouble!!!!

1589. Wanted alpha 78

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: steve <shfoster@usa.net>
Message-ID: <36275AEC.6FE1EDD3@usa.net>
Source record: 128944
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I am looking for an alpha 78 amp .Serial number above 8700. No tubes ok. Must be very clean and un modified. Let me know what you have. Steve WB5OMP

1590. Re: Anyone on 1200 MHz?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: frederick.mckenzie-1@kmail.ksc.nasa.gov
Message-ID: <frederick.mckenzie-1-1610981041280001@k4dii.ksc.nasa.gov>
Source record: 128945

In article <19981015201344.02712.00001251@ng133.aol.com>, khornyak@aol.com (Khornyak) wrote:
> I think you are over near Cocoa - I am in Clermont. We HAD a repeater on
> 1293.100 in Clermont at a commercial tower near Hwy 50 and US 27. On the air
> for nearly 4 years.

Keith-

When I purchased the TM-942, I stuck the new tri-band antenna on the roof using a magnet mount, put the 942 in place of a TM-742, and keyed up the Clermont repeater from the parking lot of Amateur Electronics Supply!

A few weeks later, I talked through the Clermont repeater from the Kennedy Space Center on the way to work. Although I found this to be unusual propagation, there is no doubt the Clermont repeater worked well. It is sad there is so little activity in Central Florida.

I've been in touch with Buddy, WB4OMG, over in the St. Petersburg area. I understand he has a repeater with the antenna only up about 50 feet. I'll try it out this weekend when I go over.

I received about 4 additional E-Mail responses to my earlier posting. The greatest activity seems to be in the California area, where it is reported to be as active as Two Meters is here. Several rigs were mentioned, but most are no longer available new.

One person mentioned use of the TM-541 as a repeater, but didn't give details. There is also an Icom repeater listed in the AES catalog.

Thanks for your response.

73, Fred, K4DII

1591. Re: Radar Gun for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Barbour <jdb@apk.net>
Message-ID: <707mha$k5a$1@plonk.apk.net>
Source record: 128946

Right On!

pmb1010@hotmail.com wrote in message <7056cu$3sg$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>
>
>> > It only takes one person slamming on their brakes to start the chain
>> >reaction. Using one of these guns just to see someone's brake lights
>> >come on is of little comfort to the guy who just got cut off by your
>> >victim and is now braking for all he's worth too just to avoid an
>> >accident.
>> >
>> If you stupid, arrogant B*stards would allow a "safe distance"
>> between you and the car in front of you, You would not have
>> to worry about hitting sombody in the rear end, and getting
>> your dumb ass sued off..Because you were following to close.
>>
>> get a life, and put your cell phone where the sun don't shine.
>
>Hmmm, guess you're not from New York! If you try to leave
>the "safe distance", some nut will invariabley squeeze in there,
>in the attempt to work thru traffic. THAT is more dangerous,
>in my opinion. My brother got in an accident that way. He was
>leaving safe distance (he was in left lane of 2 lane busy road), and
>some idiot came up on the right, cut right into his "safe spot",
>and jammed his brakes and turned on left blinker to turn into
>a parking lot or driveway. My brother had nowhere to go...
>Who's fault is that?
>
>------------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1592. Re: Radar Gun for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Barbour <jdb@apk.net>
Message-ID: <707o1a$ki8$1@plonk.apk.net>
Source record: 128947

>"J.R. Hehnly" <jarman@ionet.net> wrote:
>>I saw another potential hazard the other day. The police set a car by the
>>road, but left no-one in it! Cars were slamming on their brakes like
>>crazy!!! I'm sure that if there had been an accident that it would be
found
>>to be the fault of the police for trying to 'scare' the kindly speeders. I
>>think that only bonified on-the-scene police officers should be allowed to
>>do anything to try and slow down our fine citizens who choose to ignore
>>posted speeds.
>
>So all those police agencies that place an unattended patrol car in
>a school zone or residential zone to put violators on notice that they
>might get nailed - should stop the practice ?
Absolutely!!!

>Try telling that to the
>parents of the children who might get hit by those idiots who've never
>heard of the 2 words "speed limit"...
How about telling these irresponsible parents to teach their brats how to
cross a street?? When I was a kid, I wasn't allowed to cross any street by
myself till I was about 7 or 8 and if I hadn't been responsible myself, my
folks woudn't have let me cross then!!!
As for school zones, there is supposed to be crossing guards, "safety
patrol" kids, teachers, and other adults around an elementary school, and
higher grades should be old enough to know what they're doing, so no need
for a full blown school zone as such.

>Why were the cars slamming on their brakes (because they knew they
>were doing something wrong to begin with maybe ?)....if your legal,
>you got nothing to worry about.

WRONG!!!!!
Tickets are issued every day to people are are WITHIN the law, but the radar
gun is mis-calibrated or is just just flat out being used wrong.

>You know what really peeves me are the "rubberneckers" who insist
>on slowing down to look at something that doesn't concern them - and
>in the process, tie up traffic for no legitimate reason. The other day
>on the interstate going north, our lanes were clear - but jammed up.
>Why ? because the morons were slowing down to look at a wreck in the
>southbound side of the interstate (on the opposite side of the divider!!)
>Of course the typical rubbernecker is usually the asswipe who was
>speeding and suddenly decides "oh I want to look at this nice wreck"
>So since they don't give a shit about anyone else, they tie up traffic
>behind them - again the "me me me" and "F everybody else" attitude.

>
I'll second that!!!

1593. Re: WTB: BIG OLD XMTG TUBES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Carroll <w0ex@scan.missouri.org>
Message-ID: <707q2n$5bo$0@208.207.71.172>
Source record: 128948
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap

I've got 6 Eimac 304TL's that appear tobe NOS, 2 are in
original boxes and the other four are still wrapped in the
original paper but the boxes have deteriorated..they've been
in a dry attic for many
years.
I also have 2 Amperex brass base 211's, condition not
known
but filament continuity OK. I have no way to test further,
they dolook good.
I'll sell the 304TL's for $150 and the 211's for $50,
shipped if you take all.

73, Dick W0EX

MAK wrote:
>
> Wanted big old xmtg tubes i.e.:
> 211
> 212
> 801
> 810
> 833
> 845
> 849
> 851
> 250TL
> 304TL
> 450TL

1594. FS: Icom AT-150 Automatic Antenna Tuner Mint

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Terry Brown <brownt@frl.orst.edu>
Message-ID: <36276BC7.2074F1EA@frl.orst.edu>
Source record: 128949
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I have an Icom AT-150 automatic antenna tuner that has been used for fewer than 100 QSO's. It was used with my backup rig, an IC-735. It is in like new condition. I have the original box and manual.

$295 ppd in CONUS.

References on request.

Thanks and 73's de Terry, N7TB

1595. WTB HF Amp Multi Band

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: copper@bis.on.ca
Message-ID: <36276b0e.1487443@news.worldlinx.com>
Source record: 128950

Looking for a good used Linear Amp multi band HF amp.Perferably in
the ontario Canada region or close to Buffalo Detroit border crossing
area

1596. TNC For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ted Trostle <ttrostle@lazerlink.com>
Message-ID: <3OKV1.46$sn5.563@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 128951

I have a Kantronics KPC-3 like new (used 3 times) for sale. With cable and manual. Asking $125 or best offer. I ship UPS collect.

1597. For sale/trade Alinco dx70th

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: steve <shfoster@usa.net>
Message-ID: <36277DB9.A634BA00@usa.net>
Source record: 128952
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Hard to believe, but the thing is just too big for my car! 3 weeks old ,
never installed. $700 . Will trade twords aicom 706 mk2 or 900cat with
LONG extension kit. Steve WB5OMP

1598. Sale 220mhz.amplifier

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: james@wilmerding.com
Message-ID: <7083oj$a17$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128953

RF Concepts 200mhz FM/SSB amplifier with receive preamp. 30W in - 120W out.
Used only a few hours. Asking $200.00 - I will ship. Jim, N4MDC

------------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1599. Re: Mods for IC-W32A (are there any?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Pemble <pemble@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <70823p$l38@sjx-ixn3.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 128954

Don't know of any mods (would like an extended Xmit one) BUT here are a
couple of "tricks"

Extended receive adds 300-900 MHz on UHF side.

Press Squelch and Band key for 5 seconds while power up is applied.

Now each time you press the BAND key, you will cycle between:
OFF
145.00
300.00
440.00
800.00

(300.00 and 800.00 is now added)

The VHF side stays the same, i.e.
OFF
145.00
440.00
WX CH
118.00 AM

(Unfortunately, the only way I have found to turn this off is to to a
complete radio reset.)

Cross band repeat:

1. Lock Keyboard, then power off
2. SQL+MAIN+BAND+Power On
3. Unlock Keyboard to revert to normal operation.

cheers

Rick W4RP

Jim Dorrance wrote in message <36274e01.19099614@news>...
>
> Icom W32A
>
> Thanks for reading this. I've look all over the net for mods on
>this radio and came up empty handed, can any one help please...
>
> Thanks in advance, 73, -Jim- (kd1oq)
>

1600. Recommend 2m small HT?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: ddgsk@tic.net
Message-ID: <7082pb$sa6@news-central.tiac.net>
Source record: 128955

I'm interested in getting a small HT around the size of the VX-1R, or even smaller. Relevant criteria are:

1) Small size
2) Ability to scan general VHF and AM/FM (HF would be great, but probably doesn't exist)
3) Good output-- 300-500mw minimum
4) AM band reception (640kc to 1600)
5) 2m and 440 great, but if not at least whatever is better in NYC these days (haven't been on 2m and 440 in ages)

Thank you. Please respond here, not via e-mail.

P.S. Is the VX-1R state of the art, anything better? what are the immediate competitors?

1601. Want Info/ IC-756+FL-44A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: N1QWA@webtv.net
Message-ID: <12335-36278CCF-1@newsd-111.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 128956

I'm getting conflicting reports as to whether
or not the FL-44A SSB filter will work with
the IC-756. Has anyone personally tried this
combination. Any input would be greatly
appreciated.
TNX/73 de Barry
N1QWA

1602. Kenwood TS-950 Display

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "paul.adler" <paul.adler@snet.net>
Message-ID: <36279031.4D6393EE@snet.net>
Source record: 128957

I have a Kenwood TS-950. I bought it Aug. 1990 (TS-950 SD). I have a problem from the day I bought the radio with the first digit of the main VFO display. It is not as bright as the other digits. Does anyone have the same problem?
Example the display of 21.100.00 the 2 is not as bright as the other numbers.

73 Paul KW1L

1603. Kenwood TS-950 Display

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "paul.adler" <paul.adler@snet.net>
Message-ID: <362792D2.2A89E8@snet.net>
Source record: 128958

I have a Kenwood TS-950. I bought it Aug. 1990 (TS-950 SD). I have a problem from the day I bought the radio with the first digit of the main VFO display. It is not as bright as the other digits. Does anyone have the same problem?
Example the display of 21.100.00 the 2 is not as bright as the other numbers.

73 Paul KW1L

1604. Kenwood Ts-950 Display

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "paul.adler" <paul.adler@snet.net>
Message-ID: <362794DA.6F6F47E6@snet.net>
Source record: 128959

I have a Kenwood TS-950. I bought it Aug. 1990 (TS-950 SD). I have a problem from the day I bought the radio with the first digit of the main VFO display. It is not as bright as the other digits. Does anyone have the same problem?
Example the display of 21.100.00 the 2 is not as bright as the other numbers.

73 Paul KW1L

1605. Kenwood TS-950 Display

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "paul.adler" <paul.adler@snet.net>
Message-ID: <36279228.A36A07E0@snet.net>
Source record: 128960

I have a Kenwood TS-950. I bought it Aug. 1990 (TS-950 SD). I have a problem from the day I bought the radio with the first digit of the main VFO display. It is not as bright as the other digits. Does anyone have the same problem?
Example the display of 21.100.00 the 2 is not as bright as the other numbers.

73 Paul KW1L

1606. Kenwood TS-950 Display

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "paul.adler" <paul.adler@snet.net>
Message-ID: <362790D4.B7FAC481@snet.net>
Source record: 128961

I have a Kenwood TS-950. I bought it Aug. 1990 (TS-950 SD). I have a problem from the day I bought the radio with the first digit of the main VFO display. It is not as bright as the other digits. Does anyone have the same problem?
Example the display of 21.100.00 the 2 is not as bright as the other numbers.

73 Paul KW1L

1607. FAQ: Plectron and Motorola Alert Monitor Receivers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnass@bell-labs.com
Message-ID: <708428$95m@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
Source record: 128962
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.info

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Add a Plectron or Motorola Alert
Desktop Monitor Receiver
to Your Scanner Collection

by Bob Parnass, AJ9S

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In the 1960s and 1970s, thousands of firemen and ambulance squad members came to rely on their crystal controlled, transistor Plectron and Motorola desktop monitor receivers. They have now been replaced by battery operated portable pagers, and the desktop models are often available at hamfests in the $5 - $25 range. Since many are in rough condition and need repair, a hamfest special is better suited for hobbyists who like to fix their own radios.

Plectron and Motorola crystal controlled receivers are excellent for dedicated monitoring of local frequencies -- a task for which you wouldn't want to tie up your 400 channel programmable scanner. They are desktop models which can be powered from 117VAC or 12VDC with the proper mobile cord. The audio quality of a Plectron P1, Plectron 700 series, and Motorola Alert Monitor is far better than any consumer grade scanner and the sensitivity, image rejection, and intermod immunity is outstanding when aligned properly.

Models and Frequency Coverage

The Plectron and Motorola Alert monitors are single band receivers: VHF-low, VHF-high, or UHF. No single Plectron or Motorola Alert monitor can cover the entire 30-50 MHz band, so there were versions optimized for each portion of the VHF-low band. There were different versions to cover low and high "splits" in the VHF-high band, too. For example, low band R8000s come in 30 - 35, 35 - 39, 39 - 49, and 49 - 54 MHz versions. There are two VHF high band versions of the 700 and R8000: 148 - 158 and 158 - 175 MHz.

VHF-low band Motorola Alert monitors come in two splits: 30 - 42 and 42 - 54 MHz.

Although UHF versions of the 700 series were made, they are somewhat rare and coverage is limited to 470 MHz and below.

Plectron made several models with dozens of different options. Both the original P1 and later 700 series are suitable for restoration, although I prefer the newer 700 models. The 8000 series were even newer and very desireable, but they are difficult to find at hamfests. The Plectron 500 "economy" series is less desirable.

The P1 series have black cabinets with a blue-green and silver color scheme used on the front panel. They were made in the Chief (tone decoder & carrier squelch), Patrol (carrier squelch only), and Sentry (tone only) models. The Sentry models lack a carrier squelch and therefore are of little use to hobbyists except for scavenging parts. Model number and frequency information appears on a gummed label on the rear panel:

Band (MHz) Chief Patrol Sentry

_____
25-54 R19 R15 R17
148-174 R20 R16 R18
450-470 R23 R21 R22

Table 1. Plectron P1 models

The R700 series have black cabinets with brown front panels and are slightly smaller than the P1 receivers. R700s were made in the Chief (tone decoder & carrier squelch) and Patrol (carrier squelch only) models:

Band (MHz) Chief Patrol

_____
25-54 R719 R715
148-174 R720 R716
450-470 R723 R721

Table 2. Plectron 700 models

The R8000 series are much smaller than the P1 and R700 and are housed in metal cabinets of various colors. The R8000s use the same MC3357 IF/detector/squelch IC used in crystal scanners, but their crystals are not interchangeable with ordinary scanners. R8000s were made in the Chief (tone decoder & carrier squelch) and Patrol (carrier squelch only) models:

Band (MHz) Chief Patrol

_____
30-54 R8190 R8150

148-174 R8200 R8160

Table 3. Plectron 8000 models

The Plectron FM Receiver/Recorder is a collector's item. It is essentially a 700 series Chief receiver with a built in cassette tape recorder. The recorder is carrier activated and can tape transmissions while the receiver is unattended. A connector on the rear panel allows for all kinds of remote control possibilities.

I use two Plectron P1s and four R700s in my living room, seven R700s down the basement, and several Plectrons and Alert Monitors stored in reserve. The basement Plectrons are turned on automatically when someone walks downstairs. Power to them is controlled by a modified Radio Shack Safe House infrared motion detector, originally sold as an intrusion alarm.

When a rescue squad member from Missouri advertised a number of Plectrons on USENET, I bought them -- all 20+ of them. I cleaned, fixed, and restored each one. After recrystalling them on local frequencies, I distributed them to members of my scanner club who were glad to get them.

Both brands of receiver require special crystals. I sometimes use Radio Shack's generic 3rd overtone scanner crystals in the Plectrons but they oscillate on frequencies far away from their marked frequencies. That's because the Plectron oscillator is designed to be used with a crystal which oscillates on its fundamental, not overtone, frequency.

The best source for crystals is:

International Crystal Mfg Co.
11 N. Lee Ave
Oklahoma City, OK 73102
tel. 405-236-3741, 800-725-1426

You need not bother with calculating the crystal fundamental frequency. Merely supply International with the exact receiver model number, printed on the rear label, and the frequency you want to monitor. They will perform the necessary calculations.

AC power cords for both types of receivers use unique connectors and are scarce. I published the pinout for both Plectron and Motorola Alert Monitor receivers in June 1998 Monitoring Times magazine.

You can buy the proper replacement power cords but it's much cheaper to drill a hole on the rear panel and solder

on a permanent a power cord. Make sure you use a grommet in the hole to prevent the metal chassis from chafing the line cord.

Many Plectrons and Alert Monitors were equipped with an internal NiCd battery pack, intended to power the receiver if the AC power fails. It's unusual to find a used monitor receiver with the NiCd pack still capable of holding a charge. More often, the batteries have died and the series charging resistor has overheated and burned. Be sure to remove the dead batteries as they often leak.

If you find the squelch on your Plectron 700 series receiver has too much hysteresis, replace R96, a 180K resistor, with a 560K resistor. On the P1, the resistor is designated R81.

Minimum Volume Setting

Both Plectron and Motorola Alert monitor receivers are designed purposely to have a minimum volume setting which is still audible. The intent was to prevent firemen from turning the volume down completely, forgetting it was down, then missing an important call.

This "feature" was usually implemented by having a fixed value resistor in series between one end of the volume control and ground. In the R15X5, R14X5, R15X5, and R16X5, a 47 ohm resistor, designated R624, was inserted in series with the violet wire leading from the volume control.

You could decrease the lowest volume setting by decreasing the value of this fixed resistor. Alternatively, you could replace the resistor with a jumper wire to completely silence the receiver at minimum setting of the volume control.

Tone Alert Feature

I have not used the Plectron tone alerting features so I cannot address that except to say that the special coils and capacitors for the dual tone decoders vary depending on the tone frequencies and are somewhat difficult to obtain.

Repair and Replacement Parts

Repair service and replacement parts for the Plectron P1 and R700 models is offered by:

Weber Electronics
PO Box 212
5138 Laurel Ln.
Broad Run, VA 20137
telephone (540) 347-7760

email: weber@citizen.infi.net

You can also obtain Plectron repairs and parts from:

Northeast Communications
4 Oak Ridge Rd
Newfoundland NJ 07435
201-697-8804

Alert Monitor parts are available from Motorola. Phone (800)972-3226.

Plectron SM-series Scanning Receivers

Plectron also sold an SM series of scanners, manufactured in Japan by the same folks who made Craig (division of Pioneer) scanners. The SM series are consumer-grade models and are included in this article for the sake of completeness. They are crystal controlled radios and feature priority scan and a separate trimmer capacitor for each channel to net the crystals on frequency.

Band Frequency Limits

VHF-low 30 - 50
VHF-high 150 - 174
UHF 450 - 470 MHz

Table 4. Plectron SM Model Band Limits

Model	UHF	VHF-high	VHF-low
SM-301	X	X	X
SM-302	X	X	
SM-303	X	X	
SM-304	X	X	

Table 5. Plectron SM Models

The crystals used in the SM series are quite different from the crystals used in the conventional single channel Plectron monitors. Here are the crystal formulas:

VHF low band:
crystal 3rd overtone freq = receive freq + 10.7 MHz

VHF high band:
crystal 3rd overtone freq = (receive freq - 10.7 MHz)/3

UHF band:
crystal 3rd overtone freq = (receive freq - 10.7 MHz) / 10

Other crystal specifications for the SM series are:

CR 25/U holder
3rd overtone
20 pF load capacitance
parallel resonant
max series resistance 40 ohm
max drive 2 mW

I currently have no Plectrons or Motorola Alert Monitors
for sale. I'm hoarding them. :-)

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1608. Re: Want Info/ IC-756+FL-44A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: dickhughes@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <36279a2a.141130269@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 128963

On Fri, 16 Oct 1998 14:13:35 -0400 (EDT), N1QWA@webtv.net (Barry)
wrote:

>I'm getting conflicting reports as to whether
>or not the FL-44A SSB filter will work with
>the IC-756. Has anyone personally tried this
>combination. Any input would be greatly
>appreciated.
> TNX/73 de Barry
> N1QWA

I assume you already know it is not listed as an option for the 756.
The SSB filters listed are the FL-222, FL-223 and FL-257.

Dick - W6CCD

1609. Re: FT-50R Bat. Drain Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@groucho.cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <7087p4$591@groucho.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 128964

jperri@aros.net writes:
>First thanks to those who answered my plea for help on the Battery Drain
>problem on the early
>FT-50R's. Got the parts from Yaesu today, now can't find where they go.
>Anyone know an easy way to locate the spot without a service manual?

jperri and I corresponded a bit, and I found these resistors. I've seen this question posted several times, so here is the answer for other people to read as well:

>Thanks Dave... need to replace R2-102 and R2-103 with new surface mount
>resistors, which I have.

There aren't any resistors labelled R2-102 and R2-103, but there are ones labelled R2102 and R2103 - I assume that's what they are talking about. The parts list gives their values as 56K and 10K.

They are located on the rear side of the control board, so you need to take the radio's metal chassis out of its plastic case by the usual method. Then you unscrew the nut on the knob unit, and remove 3 screws from the control board. Gently pry upwards on the control board (there's an inter-board connector just behind the connector where the keypad plugs in). It should come free fairly easily.

Once the control board is free, turn it over to look at its rear side. In the extreme lower-left corner you should see an 8-lead surface mount device labelled 7W04 - this is Q2029. It should be next to a 16-lead device labelled 88347. If you see the 16-lead device but there is only a 3-lead transistor and some resistors to the left of it, you have an older revision of the control board that *does not have* R2102 and R2103.

Assuming you have the 8-lead 7W04, R2102 is the resistor just above it (towards the mic/ear jack), while R2103 is the resistor to the left of the IC. It's only a mm or two from both the left and bottom edges of the board.

Dave

1610. Re: Radar Gun for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: rstevew@armory.com
Message-ID: <7089fcaka1@supernews.com>
Source record: 128965
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.misc, sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

In article <707m42$k38$1@plonk.apk.net>, Jim Barbour <jdb@apk.net> wrote:
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>
>>KuoH <KuoH@aol.com> wrote:
>>let me get this straight ? it('s) "hazardous" to do the posted
>>speed limit ?
>It is if you're in a line of cars going 70 and you're going 55, no matter
>the limit. In CA, as it should be everywhere, YOU will get the ticket for
>impeding traffic and causing a dangerous situation. Other drivers will have
>to change lanes to get past you or brake even though they were an adequate
>distance back.
>Ohio has a minimum speed law on limited-access freeways of 40 mph. It should
>be raised to 10 mph below the posted speed. Any slower and you had better
>have your four-way flashers on and have car trouble!!!!

There are minimum speeds on the interstate, 40 is common. The rest of your
account is bullshit. I have seen whole groups of cars pulled over which
began harrassing someone driving the limit, and all but the law abider were
cited, one was arrested on the spot for reckless and endangering. If
you're "trapped" behind slower traffic don't delude yourself as this
asshole is trying to do above! Nobody HAS to cross multiple lanes to exceed
the speed limit, that is a voluntary act!! And illegal.
-Steve
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-Steve Walz rstevew@armory.com ftp://ftp.armory.com:/pub/user/rstevew
-Electronics Site!! 1000 Files/50 Dirs!! http://www.armory.com/~rstevew
Europe:(Italy) http://ftp.cised.unina.it/pub/electronics/ftp.armory.com

1611. Re: HTX -202 how to set pl tone ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: joeybrown@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <708fcssbl1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128966

In article <19981016.073834.18062.0.n1wcc@juno.com>,
n1wcc@juno.COM (Arol B Hill) wrote:
> Lost the manuel on the htx 202 ht. Does anyone know how to set the pl
> tone ?
> Thanks for the bw.
> Arol n1wcc
>
> ____
> You don't need to buy Internet access to use free Internet e-mail.
> Get completely free e-mail from Juno at http://www.juno.com
> or call Juno at (800) 654-JUNO [654-5866]
>
Arol,

Before setting the PL tone, put the frequency in memory again, via VF
mode. This time, select the T-SQL button so T-SQL appears at the top. After
you've entered it into memory, select the M-SET button. Then, press the up and
down arrows until you see tc. Then, move the tuning dial until you see the
frequency(Hz) of the PL tone you want(such as 100.0, 131.8, etc..).

-73's

Dan, K3DRQ

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1612. FS: SX-115 HALLICRAFTER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: JB Geer <jbgeer@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <3627B2E0.1AB0@swbell.net>
Source record: 128967

Clean and operating SX-115 in the Dallas area. Great on SSb and CW. A rare find. $650. WB5LXZ

1613. TEAC 3300 Schematic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: robin@teleplex.net
Message-ID: <3628b55e.31207076@news.teleplex.net>
Source record: 128968

Need a valid schematic and any pointers anyone has to offer.

I have a TEAC 3300 not a TEAC 3300S. Difference is 3 relays vs 7
relays and the 3300 has no remote / time input nor does it have a
remote control plug either.

Problem : When in REC or PLAY the feed and takeup reels do not turn.
The FF and FR both work.

K2 is a DPDT AC Relay that applies power to the Captsain.
K1 is a 4PDT relay that will not pull in at all.
And the Last Relay is K401 that is use to set the machine RECORD
funtction in operation.

I cannot get K2 to work at all. It does not pull in at all nor do not
know the require voltage nor where this is supplied from. I suspect
that this is the relay in question.

There are no other relays in the machine.

The machine will go into High Speed Wind and Rewind and go thru all
other functions with out problems. However the motors will not go
into low tension take up and feed when play /record is pressed but the
captsian motor runs just fine.

Need a schematic badly for this machine. I was given a TEAC 3300S
schematic but this will not work. This machine has over 7 relays in
it and as you can see my machine has only 3 relays. Is there any help
out there in cyberspace??

Robin Michael KD4SMM
POB 1016
Tryon, NC 28782
828.859.6340 Voice 1-5 daily execpt wed 9-noon
828.859.5708 FAX

Thanks in advance

1614. Looking for ADE components

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wim <warnar@castel.nl>
Message-ID: <708cqp$246$1@news.castel.nl>
Source record: 128969
Cross-posted to: misc.industry.electronics.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.components,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.misc,sci.electronics.repair

Hi,
I have a small microwave component from a ADE, the type number is CDM23
is there someone that has information from this device or the compagny.
Any help would be greatly appreciated.

Thanks,
Wim

1615. Re: USEFUL *****NEW**** U.S. IMMIGRATION INFORMATION

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4sqr@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981016172838.27855.00001712@ng110.aol.com>
Source record: 128970

This info does NOT belong on this newsgroup.

Don't be so inconsiderate.

1616. Re: Comments on the Magellan ColorTrak GPS receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: bdiaz@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <708gvquiq1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128971

I know from other users who have the exact same model, that my lock times
are normal. The unit is a single-channel unit with a very poor receive.
It doesn't take much to loose the signal. The real problem was that the unit
was an "el cheap-o" and it performs like it. :-(

The last 3 years have brought about a drop in prices AND an improvement in
the quality of the units. I've seen the units with the built-in maps,
but this time, I'm going to wait a while before I get another unit.

73,
Bob
KQ6WQ

In article <7064hk$3sl@groucho.cs.ubc.ca>,
davem@groucho.cs.ubc.ca (Dave Martindale) wrote:
> bdiaz@my-dejanews.com writes:
> >The fastest time to a lock was about 3 minutes. Most of the time it's about
> >5 minutes. I've had it take 15 minutes (more or less) to get a lock and
> >a few times it never locked even after 45 minutes. In those cases,
> >I powered off, then powered on, and got a lock in about 5 minutes.
>
> This is slow even by the standards of the old single-channel GPS units.
> Maybe yours isn't quite healthy.
>
> But performance has improved greatly with the appearance of 8- and 12-
> channel parallel receivers. A Garmin GPS 12 can be had for $150 US,
> and it has external power input, computer interface for transferring
> tracks and waypoints, and a bit-mapped display that can do chart
> plotting (no built-in database of land features though - all you see
> are your waypoints and track log).
>
> The Magellan Blazer 12 is apparently even cheaper, but has no computer
> interface, and the display is a fixed LCD that can't do chart plotting.
>
> Both of these are 12-channel, and should give you a lock in about 45
> seconds when they haven't been in use for a few days or a few weeks
> and are stationary when turned on.
>
> Dave

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1617. Heathkit SB-220 Amplifier For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: KQ6UV <jimsmith@ns.net>
Message-ID: <bcPV1.21476$3q2.3114788@nnrp2.ni.net>
Source record: 128972
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap

I have a Heathkit SB-220 2KW linear amplifier for sale. The amp. is in
very nice condition, and has 2 new matched graphite tubes. Manual included.
Local pickup in Sacramento preferred. May drive part way to meet buyer.
Will ship if buyer pays for shipping, and insurance.
$575.00
Jim Smith
KQ6UV

1618. NEED PARTS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOE <jrjrt@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <36273780.6B20@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 128973

HELP I WAS HIT BY LIGHTING AND NOW I
NEED SOME PARTS FOR A KENWOOD TS-82O..
DOES ANYONE OUT THERE KNOW WHERE I CAN
FIND A REPAIRMAN..I KNOW WHATS WRONG WITH IT
BUT I CAN;T FIND A SIMPLE OLD AUDIO CHIP CALL A
TA7201P..
IF YOU CAN HELP PLEASE E-MAIL ME AT JRJRT@BELLSOUTH.NET
KQ4TX

1619. Courier Port-A-Lab Multi function Meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris <ck5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3627C077.1ACD@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 128974
Cross-posted to: rec.redio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.cb

Courier Port-a-Lab 500. SWR, Power up to 500 Watts, Field Strenth and Modulation Meter with built in Dummy load. Excellent, $65 plus shipping.
73 Chris VE3NGW/W4 Florida

1620. Re: NEED PARTS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Louis Bybee <louisb@datacomm.com>
Message-ID: <3627C60F.1AE35D37@datacomm.com>
Source record: 128975

Call Kenwood, or ask at their web site for the 800 number of the outfit contracted to handle their parts orders. I have used them a number of times.

Louis

JOE wrote:
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> TA7201P..
> IF YOU CAN HELP PLEASE E-MAIL ME AT JRJRT@BELLSOUTH.NET
> KQ4TX

1621. Kenwood TS-130S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris <ck5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3627C457.7820@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 128976
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Great little 100 Watt mobile HF. Why spend two or three times the money
to do the same thing. This one has the 80-10 with the WARC Bands.
Handmike and Bracket. Great shape. $295+shipping.
73 Chris VE3NGW/W4 Florida

1622. Re: Radar Gun for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: 5 of 7 <Collective@borg.org>
Message-ID: <708hsm$oig@news.webspan.net>
Source record: 128977
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.misc, sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

rstevew@armory.com (Richard Steven Walz) wrote:
>In article <707m42$k38$1@plonk.apk.net>, Jim Barbour <jdb@apk.net> wrote:
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>>>KuoH <KuoH@aol.com> wrote:
>>>let me get this straight ? it('s) "hazardous" to do the posted
>>>speed limit ?
>>It is if you're in a line of cars going 70 and you're going 55, no matter
>>the limit. In CA, as it should be everywhere, YOU will get the ticket for
>>impeding traffic and causing a dangerous situation. Other drivers will have
>>to change lanes to get past you or brake even though they were an adequate
>>distance back.
>>Ohio has a minimum speed law on limited-access freeways of 40 mph. It should
>>be raised to 10 mph below the posted speed. Any slower and you had better
>>have your four-way flashers on and have car trouble!!!!
>--------------------------------
>There are minimum speeds on the interstate, 40 is common. The rest of your
>account is bullshit. I have seen whole groups of cars pulled over which
>began harrassing someone driving the limit, and all but the law abider were
>cited, one was arrested on the spot for reckless and endangering. If
>you're "trapped" behind slower traffic don't delude yourself as this
>asshole is trying to do above! Nobody HAS to cross multiple lanes to exceed
>the speed limit, that is a voluntary act!! And illegal.
>-Steve

Agree 100% ! I don't understand this insane need that some numbskulls have to speed and try to defy the laws of physics (faster you go, the harder it is to control and or stop the vehicle). This includes riding the bumper of the car in front of you at 70 mph ! This ain't NASCAR where you have Banjo Matthews chassis and roll cages, and the cars can survive bouncing off a wall at 150 mph.... this is cheap ass Detroit sheet metal and Joe Blow who thinks he's hot shit and a "better than average driver" (as most people seem to rate themselves as).... so your odds of surviving a high speed wreck are very remote...

Personally I'd say abolish all speed limits, and let the assholes kill themselves, but unfortunately a lot of innocent people would also perish in the resulting carnage. Saw an amusing cartoon one time, the cops were at the side of the road with this frown on their face, they were underneath this sign saying "NO speed limit" - and all the cars were zooming by and the drivers were going "YEE HAA!!".... meanwhile a hearse, with an undertaker is going to the cops "don't worry - we'll take it from here"....

1623. Re: Radar Gun for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: tmacinty@highlander.cbnet.ns.ca
Message-ID: <3627cffd.218396774@nr1.ottawa.istar.net>
Source record: 128978
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.misc,
sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

"Jim Barbour" <jdb@apk.net> wrote:

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>to change lanes to get past you or brake even though they were an adequate
>distance back.
>Ohio has a minimum speed law on limited-access freeways of 40 mph. It should
>be raised to 10 mph below the posted speed. Any slower and you had better
>have your four-way flashers on and have car trouble!!!!
>
>
>
The corollary to this is if you're the only sober driver in a line of
cars, you'll also be ticketed??

Tom

1624. FS: Mobile HF Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: vicwhite@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981016192240.28812.00001656@ng153.aol.com>
Source record: 128979

For Sale:
1 Mobile HF Antenna PRO AM by Valor, 5 bands, 10,15,20,40,80 adapters included. Multiband operation of 10,15,20, plus (40 or 80). All bands functional, used few months. You provide mobile mount. Listed in AES catalog. Cost new $120 from AES - asking $75 plus shipping from Denton, Texas.

VicWhite@aol.com

1625. Radio static

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D.Nopper" <dnopper@flarenet.com>
Message-ID: <708h81$6ad@enews2.newsguy.com>
Source record: 128980

I need help to eliminate the radio static on my AM radio in my pickup truck.
Checks which I have done include--Removing spark plug wires one at a time,
disconnecting the alternator,changing radios,
I have no static when the engine is not running and I have no static on FM.
The static seems to be on all stations.
Would it be a good idea to change the antennae?
Any suggestions would be appreciated.

thanks

Doug N.

1626. Re: Anyone on 1200 MHz?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: khornyak@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981015201344.02712.00001251@ng133.aol.com>
Source record: 129002

I think you are over near Cocoa - I am in Clermont. We HAD a repeater on 1293.100 in Clermont at a commercial tower near Hwy 50 and US 27. On the air for nearly 4 years. We took it down and liquidated EVERYTHING about 6 months ago due to lack of use/interest. The band is pretty spectacular - we had really great coverage - just a little shy of a 440 Mhz. system. But, Florida just hasn't experienced the growth necessary to force anyone to move higher in frequency - that's my opinion. Dwindled down to just a couple of us using the system. We have a 2M and 440 MHz sustem - decided to consolidate and dump 1.2 Ghz. By the way, we were using Kenwood TM-541 mobiles (2 of 'em) one for Rx and one for Tx. With a 10 watt repeater and antenna 550 feet above sea level, we had 30 + miles mobile coverage.

Good Luck!

Keith, W4QS

1627. Wanted HF remote station control

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: kovar <kovar@ia.net>
Message-ID: <01bdf901$9a1fc9e0$3bd0a0cd@kovar.inav.net>
Source record: 129003

I am looking for a method of controlling a Hf station from a different
location or from a cellular phone.
Station Master, or a few others may work, Let me know or your ideas
and products available.
--
Jack Kovar
k0var
Iowa

1628. FT 101e for sale Ontario Canada

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Smith <folly55@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <AjxV1.160$Dz2.437027@198.235.216.4>
Source record: 129004

Make me an offer.

John

1629. Heathkit SB-220 Amplifier For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: KQ6UV <jimsmith@ns.net>
Message-ID: <JNxV1.693$3q2.2791080@nnrp2.ni.net>
Source record: 129005
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I have a Heathkit SB-220 2KW linear amplifier for sale. The amp. is in
very nice condition, and has 2 new matched graphite tubes. Manual included.
Local pickup in Sacramento preferred. May drive part way to meet buyer.
Will ship if buyer pays for shipping, and insurance.
$575.00
Jim Smith
KQ6UV

1630. Re: FS: UNIDEN HR 2510

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: cogicrev@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981015222005.17694.00001387@ng38.aol.com>
Source record: 129006

they have been sold

1631. Re: Reminder: This is NOT the group for SALE/SWAP/WANT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb7vkl@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981015222208.01274.00001300@ng06.aol.com>
Source record: 129007

>Gary sez:
>Reminder: This is NOT the group for SALE/SWAP/WANT
>rec.radio.swap is the proper place for selling, buying, trading

Where can we find the charter and/or FAQ for this group?

1632. TERMAN RADIO BOOKS- Stanford U

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: MAK <blusky@internetcds.com>
Message-ID: <01bdf6e0$1cbb8340$26841ad0@blusky>
Source record: 129008
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap

(2) second edition Radio Engineering 1937------------------------$30 ea.+ shipping
(1) first edition Fundamentals of Radio 1938 ----------------------$25 + shipping

1633. Re: WHAT IS "EBAY"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: jder8745@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981015223739.05263.00001032@ng-fc1.aol.com>
Source record: 129009

QST:

To all who responded:

tnx es 73 de Jack, K9CUN

1634. Re: Vanity Automobile License Plates

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Phillip G. Johnson" <phillij1@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <3626B266.91A@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 129010

Wakko Warner wrote:
>
> Framix wrote:
>
> > I would not like to advertise my ham license on my car unless my form 610 info
> > pointed folks away from my house.....something like a PO box or something...
>
> This is what I did, I have a P O Box and I have used it on the 610 form, I am
> concidering a ham plate, but I am concerned just like the first guy who started
> this thred. I might change my mind because the cost, what is the cost in IL for
> a ham plate or is it concidered a vanity plate like the others said?
>
> I havent got my call sign yet, but I pasted the no code tech tests.
>
> Eric
>
> ---
>
> Name: vcard.vcf
> Part 1.2 Type: text/x-vcard
> Encoding: 7bit
> Description: Card for Eric
I have 2 plates, 1 for my blazer and for my van. It doesn't cost a
thing in tennessee

Phillip KF4TGY Blazer & KF4TGY2 Gmc Van

1635. Guide to the rec.radio Newsgroups

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <706e0f$oeu@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 129011
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Archive-name: radio/personal-intro

This message describes the rec.radio.amateur.*, rec.radio.cb, rec.radio.info, and rec.radio.swap newsgroups, as well as their Internet mailing list counterparts and complements. It is intended to serve as a guide for the new reader on what to find where. Questions and comments may be directed to Jeffrey Herman, KH2PZ, (jeffreyh@hawaii.edu), or Paul Schleck, K3FU, pschleck@novia.net.

This message was last changed on 14 March, 1998.

History
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Way back when, before there was a Usenet, the Internet hosted a mailing list for hams, called (appropriately enough) INFO-HAMS. Ham radio discussions were held on the mailing list, and sent to the mailboxes of those who had signed up for it. When the Usenet software was created, and net news as we now know it was developed, a newsgroup was created for hams: net.ham-radio. The mailing list and the newsgroup were gatewayed together, eventually.

Over the years, as the net grew, the volume of discussion became progressively higher. First one by one, and then as part of two reorganizations, what was once one group became many. In the process, developments elsewhere on the net were reflected in the groups as they were created, most notably the change to place all of the ham radio groups in one hierarchy.

The collection of newsgroups continues to grow as more people join the net, and as more topics of discussion gain volume, I expect to see more groups be created as well. This follows what is happening on the rest of the net.

Nearly all of the radio newsgroups have corresponding mailing lists, the notable exception being rec.radio.swap. There are also a few mailing lists that don't have newsgroups.

The Current Groups
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It's important to post messages to the group that's appropriate for them, and not to the groups that aren't. The whole idea of having different newsgroups is so that folks who aren't interested in, say, homebrewing, don't have to wade through messages about homebrewing on the way to read about Field Day. Posting appropriately is just good etiquette.

The rec.radio.amateur.misc group is the catchall. It is what rec.ham-radio was renamed to during the first major reorganization. Any message that's not more appropriate in one of the other groups belongs here, from contesting to DX to ragchewing on VHF to information on becoming a ham.

The group rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc is for discussions related to (surprise!) digital amateur radio. This doesn't have to be the common two-meter AX.25 variety of packet radio, either; some of the most knowledgeable folks in radio digital communications can be found here, and anything in the general area is welcome. The name was changed to emphasize this, and to encourage discussion not only of other text-based digital modes, such as AMTOR, RTTY, and Clover, but things like digital voice and video as well. The former group, rec.radio.amateur.packet, was removed on September 21st, 1993. It is obsolete, and you should use .digital.misc instead (or the appropriate new mailing list, mentioned below). The group has .misc as part of the name to allow further specialization if the users wish it, such as .digital.tcp-ip.

The swap group is rec.radio.swap. This recognizes a fact that became evident shortly after the original group was formed: Hams don't just swap ham radio gear, and other folks besides hams swap ham equipment. If you have radio equipment, or test gear, or computer stuff that hams would be interested in, here's the place. Equipment wanted postings belong here too. Discussions about the equipment generally don't; if you wish to discuss a particular posting with the buyer, email is a much better way to do it, and the other groups, especially .equipment and .homebrew, are the place for public discussions. There is now a regular posting with information on how to go about buying and selling items in rec.radio.swap; please refer to it before you post there. To answer a frequently asked question: No, there is no mailing list that goes along with this group. If you can't read Usenet news directly, you're out of luck.

The group rec.radio.amateur.policy was created as a place for all the discussions that seem to drag on interminably about the many rules, regulations, legalities, and policies that surround amateur radio, both existing and proposed. Recent changes to the Amateur Radio Rules (FCC Part 97) have finally laid to rest the Great Usenet Pizza Autopatch Debate - it's now legal to order a pizza on the autopatch, if you're not in the pizza business - as well as complaints about now-preempted local scanner laws hostile to amateurs, but plenty of discussion about what a bunch of rotten no-goodniks the local frequency coordinating body is, as well as the neverending no-code debate, may still be found here.

The group rec.radio.cb is the place for all discussion about the Citizens' Band radio service. Such discussions have been very inflammatory in rec.ham-radio in the past; please do not cross-post to both rec.radio.cb and rec.radio.amateur.* unless the topic is genuinely of interest to both hams and CBers - and very few topics are.

The rec.radio.info group is just what its name implies: it's the place where informational messages from across rec.radio.* may be found, regardless of where else they're posted. As of this writing, information posted to the group includes Cary Oler's daily solar progagation bulletins, ARRL

bulletins, the Frequently Asked Questions files for the various groups, and radio modification instructions. This group is moderated, so you cannot post to it directly; if you try, even if your message is crossposted to one of the other groups, your message will be mailed to the moderator, who is currently David Dodell, WB7TPY. The email address for submissions to the group is rec-radio-info@stat.com. Inquires and other administrivia should be directed to rec-radio-info-request@stat.com. For more information about rec.radio.info, consult the introduction and posting guidelines that are regularly posted to that newsgroup.

The groups r.r.amateur.antenna, .boatanchors, .dx, .equipment, .homebrew, and .space are for more specialized areas of ham radio: discussions about antennas, the older tube based amateur, military, and commercial gear, commercially-made equipment, homebrewing, and amateur radio space operations. The .equipment group is not the place for buying or selling equipment; that's what rec.radio.swap is for. Similarly, the .space group is specifically about amateur radio in space, such as the OSCAR program and SAREX, the Shuttle Amateur Radio EXperiment; other groups cover other aspects of satellites and space. Homebrewing isn't about making your own alcoholic beverages at home (that's rec.crafts.brewing), but rather construction of radio and electronic equipment by the amateur experimenter. The .dx group is devoted to long distance amateur communications. Each of these subgroups has its own charter and FAQ; please refer to the archives to find these documents.

Except for rec.radio.swap and rec.radio.cb, all of these newsgroups are available by Internet electronic mail in digest format; send a mail message containing "help" on a line by itself to listserv@ucsd.edu for instructions on how to use the mail server.

All of the groups can be posted to by electronic mail, though, by using a gateway at the University of Texas at Austin. To post a message this way, change the name of the group you wish to post to by replacing all of the '.'s with '-'s - for example, rec.radio.swap becomes rec-radio-swap - and send to that name@cs.utexas.edu (rec-radio-swap@cs.utexas.edu, for example). You may crosspost by including multiple addresses as Cc: entries (but see below). This gateway's continued availability is at the pleasure of the admins at UT-Austin, and is subject to going away at any time - and especially if forgeries and other net.abuses become a problem. You have been warned.

Mailing Lists

In addition to the mailing lists that mirror the Usenet newsgroups, there also are a few that stand alone. These cover specific areas of ham radio, and discussion is focused on just those areas.

The cq-contest mailing list is for discussions of contesting in ham radio. To join, send email with the word "subscribe" on a line by itself to cq-contest-request@tgv.com.

The DX mailing list covers the finer points of DXing. This one is also joined by mailing "subscribe" on a line by itself, this time to

dx-request@unbc.edu.

There's also a VHF mailing list, for VHF operators of the weak signal persuasion. You can join this one be sending "subscribe vhf" on a line by itself to vhf-request@w6yx.stanford.edu.

The QRP-L list is devoted to building and operating gear at low-power outputs. To subscribe, send an email to listproc@lehigh.edu and only write: subscribe qrp-l Your Name.

The TopBand e-list is devoted to all areas of operation on 160m. To subscribe, send an email to majordomo@contesting.com and only write: subscribe topband and follow the instructions you'll be sent.
This site, contesting.com, also hosts a couple dozen other ham-related e-lists. Use the above address, and only write: lists to get the entire index.

The Boatanchors e-list is devoted to the older tube-based ham, military, and commercial communications gear. To subscribe, send an email to: listserv@listserv.tempe.gov and only write: subscribe boatanchors

For homebuilding transmitters and receivers using tube technology, there is the Glowbugs e-list; send an email to:
majordomo@piobaire.mines.uidaho.edu and only write:
subscribe glowbugs <your@address.here>

The VHF DX discussion list can be accessed by sending an email to: majordomo@blacksheep.org and only writing: subscribe VHF-DX-discuss.

Qth.net hosts over 100 ham-related e-lists, including lists devoted to each state, manufacturer, mode, band - too many to state here. Send an email to majordomo@qth.net and only write: lists to get the complete index.

For one of the most complete indexes of email lists, see
http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageae.html

Please do NOT send subscription requests to the mailing lists themselves; that doesn't work very often, and is very annoying to those on the list. Also, please keep your electronic mail address current with any mailing lists you subscribe to, as dealing with returned email is a nuisance for the person maintaining the mailing list.

A Few Words on Crossposting
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Please do not crosspost messages to two or more groups unless there is genuine interest in both groups in the topic being discussed, and when you do, please include a header line of the form "Followup-To: group.name" in your article's headers (before the first blank line). This will cause followups to your article to go to the group listed in the Followup-To: line. If you wish to have replies to go to you by email, rather than be posted, use the word "poster" instead of the name of a group. Such a line appears in the headers of this article.

One of the few examples of productive cross-posting is with the rec.radio.info newsgroup. To provide a filtered presentation of information articles, while still maintaining visibility in their home newsgroups, the moderator strongly encourages cross-posting. All information articles should be submitted to the rec.radio.info moderator so that he may simultaneously cross-post your information to the appropriate newsgroups. Most newsreaders will only present the article once, and network bandwidth is conserved since only one article is propagated. If you make regular informational postings, and have made arrangements with the moderator to post directly to the group, please cross-post as appropriate.

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Jeffrey Herman, KH2PZ
jeffreyh@hawaii.edu
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1636. VX-1R Belt Clip FIX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: jwyke@telepath.com
Message-ID: <706d1qphq1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129012

I removed the stock belt clip from the radio, put a small strip of male vel-cro (the HOOK half)on the back of the radio and reinstalled the belt clip. It stays on your belt much better with this simple modification. I now find no need to get any other type of clip. You may want to, but this fix is pretty good in the meantime.

I have also seen some padded pager-type cases with excellent belt clips. They will allow quick removal of the radio when needed, and also give it some protection when not in use. Get creative and shop around. I purchased a pager case at Radio Shack and it is ideal. It has a very good clip, and holds the VX-1R securely and safely. It has a small vel-cro strap which goes over the top of the radio and fastens to the front of the case. One quick "rip" and you have access to the radio. The belt clip on the case is STRONG, so you need not worry about pulling the case off the belt with the radio! I'm sorry I don't have the Radio Shack cat. #, but it's the only pager case they sell priced at just under $30. (A bit pricey, but then so is the radio if you lose it!)

Good luck!

Another happy VX-1R owner.

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1637. Re: WHAT IS "EBAY"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: dutch@dish-NET.com
Message-ID: <706h2vvhp1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129013

In article <19981015135724.21837.00001217@ng29.aol.com>,
philrut1@aol.com (PhilRut1) wrote:
> >
> >I keep seeing rference to "ebay".
> >
> >What is it?
>
> A big rip-off!

Mmmmmmmm, it is always nice to see an opinion based on facts. Our facts are, we completed approximately 1000 transactions through eBAY over a 3 year period and had two sellers not sending the promised material, plus one buyer send us a bum check. That is 3 "rip-off" transaction in about a 1000. Our opinion is that this is a safe and good place to conduct business. Rene VE6WCA (dutch)

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
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1638. Re: WHAT IS "EBAY"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: dutch@dish-NET.com
Message-ID: <706hjj$g8$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129014

> It's only a rip-off of those people who don't have the self control to
> stop bidding when the price gets ridiculous. I often browse through the
> auctions just to amaze myself at how stupid some people must be to pay
> those prices, but nobody is forcing them to bid that high. They just
> need to learn to say no! Myself, I have purchased quite a few things
> through eBay. I think I have been the high bidder in only 1 out of each
> 15 or 20 items I bid on. I miss quite a number of items I would like to
> have had, but I do end up with a bargain on the items I do get.
>
> So, instead of flaming eBay for high prices, maybe you should start a
> support group for compulsive eBay shoppers who can't stop bidding once
> the bid exceeds fair market value.
>
> Wayne

I fully agree..... I place about 20 bids daily and I am maybe successful in one or two. But still, in total we have completed about 1000 transactions (buying & selling) over a 3 year period. It truly surprises me how cheap I have gotten items when buying and how high items have gone while selling. A very similar item (SWR / Wattmeter)which I bought two weeks ago for $75 went today for about $ 250.00. However, recently I was able to purchase a series of collector books in good condition for $ 250, where last year these same books were offered to me (new) for $ 2000 Hey, it is just a game - have fun with it and don't get too serious. Rene VE6WCA (dutch)

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1639. Re: WHAT IS "EBAY"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: dutch@dish-NET.com
Message-ID: <706i1l$16s$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129015

> eBay = Echo Bay Technologies, Inc. NASDAQ: EBAY
>
> Dean / K5DH

Echo Bay is a gold mine (literally) with gold mines in Northern Canada and near Salt Lake City. I have been to their Lupin mine in Northern Canada and was impressed with their operation. By the way, this mine is in the Guiness Book of Records, when they constructed the camp, they had to fly EVERYTHING in by Hercules aircraft. And they made more then 2000 flight in one year to move the stuff for building the mine. Their record is: the most consecutive flights in one year for a commercial aircraft.

eBAY is short for electronic Bay, which I understood from Pierre (eBAY's owner) came from "electronics" in the Bay (San Francisco) area. And come to think of it, eBAY is a gold mine too, figuratively speaking..... Rene VE6WCA (dutch)

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1640. Re: WHAT IS "EBAY"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: dutch@dish-NET.com
Message-ID: <706ikh$24t$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129016

In article <36267184.624409F2@erols.com>,
Doran Platt <jeepp@erols.com> wrote:
> Its a California-based on-line auction. There, you can pay twice the
> reasonable price for anything you want. There is some nice stuff
> there... but be careful!
> JDer8745 wrote:
>

True, some people will pay twice of what it is worth. And other people only pay half. I just sold 12 almost new AMPEX video tapes for 25 cents, since there was no second bidder. But some of my other items truly surprised me as to how much they brought. The trick is to set yourself a realistic limit and stick with it. If the going rate for a particular radio is $ 100, then limit yourself to this amount or at least close to that amount, depending on the added cost of shipping, how badly you want this and how scares it is. On the other hand, I will be bidding substantial on an old newspaper this week, because I really want this and I have NEVER seen one available before with the information in it. Granted, this old newspaper is only useful to line a birds cage, but probably will fetch 10's of dollars. And that's the fun of it. Rene VE6WCA (dutch)

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1641. Need MFJ software 1284 or 1289

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Randy Fish <fish@microlink.net>
Message-ID: <01bdf8b7$dde64040$7ddaa0d1@randyfis>
Source record: 129017

Hello All,
Name here is Randy, N0SAH. My copy of the MFJ
1284 TNC software just bit the dust. Does anyone
out there have a copy of that or the 1289 to send me
as a Zip-file attachment?? Thanks 73
Randy N0SAH

fish@microlink.net

1642. Re: Reminder: This is NOT the group for SALE/SWAP/WANT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: qsy220@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981016003917.00478.00001405@ng62.aol.com>
Source record: 129018

kb7vkl writes:

> Where can we find the charter and/or FAQ > for this group?

The fifth post above (below?) this thread entitled:

"Guide to the rec.radio Newsgroups"

contains the basics and says:

"The groups r.r.amateur.antenna, .boatanchors, .dx, .equipment, .homebrew, and .space are for more specialized areas of ham radio: discussions about antennas, the older tube based amateur, military, and commercial gear, commercially-made equipment, homebrewing, and amateur radio space operations. The .equipment group is not the place for buying or selling equipment; that's what rec.radio.swap is for. Similarly, the .space group is specifically about amateur radio in space, such as the OSCAR program and SAREX, the Shuttle Amateur Radio EXperiment; other groups cover other aspects of satellites and space. Homebrewing isn't about making your own alcoholic beverages at home (that's rec.crafts.brewing), but rather construction of radio and electronic equipment by the amateur experimenter. The .dx group is devoted to long distance amateur communications. Each of these subgroups has its own charter and FAQ; please refer to the archives to find these documents."

73,

Bill

1643. VX1-R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike N2OX <globalcm@erols.com>
Message-ID: <706jjmoaj1@autumn.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 129019
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I posted a VX1-R here for sale earlier this week...
Thanks for all your responses..
It has since been SOLD
73 de Mike N2OX

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http://www.qsl.net/mid-islandarc
http://members.aol.com/kg2mmike/n2ox/webpage.html

1644. ADI AT-600

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike N2OX <globalcm@erols.com>
Message-ID: <706jniosa1@autumn.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 129020
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Recently I posted a message inquiring about an AT-600.
Your responses were both informative and insightful.
I have since purchased an AT-600, and I love it!
Thanks to all who replied..
73 de Mike N2OX
Long Island NY

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http://www.qsl.net/mid-islandarc
http://members.aol.com/kg2mmike/n2ox/webpage.html

1645. Want Manual for FGMason 3C Reciever

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: markm@jcave.com
Message-ID: <3626d6b6.40805503@news.vitrex.net>
Source record: 129021

Have a friend looking for a Manual for F G Mason model 3C Reciever.

Tnx, Mark
markm@vitrex.net

1646. FS TEK 492 OPT 1 2 3

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: KB6LUE <kb6lue@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <36274CE0.33AE@pacbell.net>
Source record: 129022

Hi
I have a for sale TEK 492 OPT 1 2 3 spectrum analyzer. Frequency covers
50Khz to 21Ghz. Price $2000 each. Two for $3750 plus UPS
Thanks
Jin KB6LUE

1647. Icom IC756 Homepage?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: stu <stu@harborcom.net>
Message-ID: <3626E591.826485F8@harborcom.net>
Source record: 129023

Greetings,
Is there a homepage for the Icom IC756 as like the Yaesu FT847?
Thanks in advance. 73, Stuart KB8VIY

1648. Re: Wanted Info on small HTs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: mike@onpointgifts.com
Message-ID: <706m1u$6n0$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129024

In article <702hfidoc1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
clintbrad4d@earthlink.net wrote:
> In article <7018mi$ps8$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
> mike@onpointgifts.com wrote:
>
> > Just bought a VX-1R. I'm going to buy that belt clip...
>
> You will appreciate it. For BEST results, please consider removing the Yaesu
> label from the back of your VX-1R...you will see what I mean when you get your
> clip. Hey - tell Bob I referred you...we live only about 20 minutes apart...

Will do, thanx a bunch for your input.

73, Mike

>
> > About the antenna? I noticed you use SMA-503 Comet.
>
> The Comet SMA-503 is about 8.5" total length. I am also using a Comet
> SMA-3...a little longer, thicker, but very flexible.
>
> ADI/Pryme/Premier also makes a 19" super thin whip, too, that I use. I think
> you'll be pleased with the performance difference between any of these vs. the
> stock antenna.
>
> - Clint Bradford
>
> ----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
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1649. Re: VX-1R Belt Clip FIX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: clintbrad4d@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <7076r4$t5h$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 129025

In article <706d1qphq1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
jwyke@telepath.com wrote:
> I removed the stock belt clip from the radio, put a small strip of male
> vel-cro (the HOOK half)on the back of the radio and reinstalled the belt
> clip. It stays on your belt much better with this simple modification.

Unfortunately, this "mod" doesn't address the poor quality of the original
equipment belt clip in the slightest.

But here's a real solution" a Motorola pager belt clip that has been modified
to fit our VX-1R HTs perfectly:

http://www.icongrp.com/~sllewd/beltclp.htm

- Clint Bradford

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1650. TH-79 hidden features

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris Ellison <Chris@Scarthinbooks.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <TSrIfAAsCyJ2EwK7@scarthinbooks.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 129026

Does anyone have info on the 'hidden features' of the Kenwood TH-79E?
I've just bought one 2nd hand and the handbook does not seem to cover
some of the functions.(I'm also looking for a spare battery pack, slot
charger and speaker mike for same).
--
Chris Ellison G8RBW on 6m,2m and 70cm. UK QTH Matlock, Derbyshire. French QTH
Buis Les Baronnies, Haute Provence.

1651. MFJ-259B SWR Analyzer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris Ellison <Chris@Scarthinbooks.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <Wy1J3HAWGyJ2EwIP@scarthinbooks.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 129027

Does anyone have experience of the MFJ-259B? (I'm thinking of getting
one)
--
Chris Ellison G8RBW on 6m,2m and 70cm. UK QTH Matlock, Derbyshire. French QTH
Buis Les Baronnies, Haute Provence.

1652. Re: Radar Gun for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: tmacinty@highlander.cbnet.ns.ca
Message-ID: <36272a43.175964475@nr1.ottawa.istar.net>
Source record: 129028
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.misc,
sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

Kuo Huang <kuoh@aol.com> wrote:

>You do understand the difference between the terms "cutoff" and
>"tailgating" don't you?!

Cutoff is when there is not enough base emitter bias to turn on a
transistor. I'm familiar with tail current...

Aw, come on!! This thread was in need of some humour, wasn't it? Let
the flames begin!!!...

Tom
>
>KuoH

1653. HTX -202 how to set pl tone ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: n1wcc@juno.COM
Message-ID: <19981016.073834.18062.0.n1wcc@juno.com>
Source record: 129029

Lost the manuel on the htx 202 ht. Does anyone know how to set the pl
tone ?
Thanks for the bw.
Arol n1wcc

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1654. Re: DX CLOCK by World Time View?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: n2wb@bellsouth.NET
Message-ID: <36273AA3.32DBE5EB@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 129030

Hello:

Anyone ever purchase the DX Clock by World Time View?
Any GOOD? Did you purchase Black or solid walnut?
Any "Q"?
Thanks...

73, William/N2WB
n2wb@usa.net

1655. FS: Henry 3K-A linear

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Pedersen <n7bhc@gateway.net>
Message-ID: <70bkh3fem1@server2.wans.net>
Source record: 128782
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale: Henry 3K-A HF Amplifier, 80-40-20-15-10. Floor model, weighs 167 pounds. Extremely good condition with very little time on it. Located in Salt Lake City. $1050 plus shipping or pick up.

Dave Pedersen N7BHC
(801) 967-5896

1656. FS: 50MHz transverter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Pedersen <n7bhc@gateway.net>
Message-ID: <70bkkvffa1@server2.wans.net>
Source record: 128783
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale: 50 MHz Lunar high performance transverter. 28 MHz IF. $325

Dave Pedersen N7BHC
(801) 967-5896

1657. Re: Radar Gun for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kent Atwater <info@bizbox.com>
Message-ID: <36296E2F.671B@bizbox.com>
Source record: 128784
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.misc,
sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

Lewis Barnett wrote:
>
> Well done Bill. I can't believe that I actually sat here and read every
> message in this thread and this is the first one that asked the question
> that was going through my mind the whole time, "What has this got to do with
> a For-Sale ad or ham radio?"

I can't believe someone as intelligent as you would read every message
in a thread that you don't think even belongs here, or you are not
interested in seeing continue. Perhaps I am the idiot, but your message
here suggests to me that you can't imagine why this thread is here, yet
it is so interesting that you can't seem to miss reading a single post
in it. If you like reading it so much, be carefull to not give the
impression that you don't think it belongs here.

1658. WTB a Yaesu FTS-7 CTCSS PL tone board for a Yaesu FT203R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Gary Zabriskie, N7ARE" <gary@sginet.com>
Message-ID: <70bqoo$7hr$1@quartz.inquo.net>
Source record: 128785

WTB a Yaesu FTS-7 CTCSS PL tone board for a Yaesu FT203R (also FT703R) Handi Talkie. These are the 2 meter and 70cm HT's that have the thumbwheel frequency selector (same as Icom 2AT). If you have one you can part with please e-mail me at gary@sginet.com

73,

Gary Zabriskie N7ARE
St. George, Utah

1659. SEA automatic antenna coupler questions..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa6gsd@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <36297CF7.1799@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 128786
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.ssb

I have an antenna coupler (board only) that looks pretty much like an SGC-230. Per the date codes on the chips, appears to be made about 1985.. Was SGC once called SEA.. ?? Anyone have any info on this?? I have 2 SGC-230's, and this unit sure appears to be about the same.

The board is marked PCB 1612-01 Rev B. There is also a number 8026-16 in marker pen on the top of the PCB..

Thanks in advance for any info..

Steve-WA6GSD

1660. Re: MAKE EXTRA MONEY AT HOME

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: smitty <smitty@dzn.com>
Message-ID: <01bdf9f5$c24a60c0$a4c294cd@default>
Source record: 128787

So your ad.... My name is "Smitty", I sell calling cards, which I feel is a very good market to be in... So sells are doing great. I am selling about 20 a day, Part-Time.!!!
Please check out (http://www.lighthouseamerica.com) great time to get started, than e-mail me a smitty@dzn.com.. Thanks!!!!

ctaylor@athenet.net wrote in article
<60732008948760NEWS2LX@news.athenet.net>...
Are you interested in making extra money at home in the telecommunications industry?
E-mail for more information.

1661. Re: Tubes for sale!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Mama <joemama@rarebird.net>
Message-ID: <36297F29.4BCD@rarebird.net>
Source record: 128788
Cross-posted to: rec.audio.tubes,rec.audio.marketplace,alt.guitar,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave

KEN CHAIT wrote:
>
> --
>
> TUBES NOS AND CURRENT!! IMPROVE YOUR SYSTEM WITH PREMIUM TESTED AND
> SELECTED TUBES FROM ADVANTAGE TUBE SERVICES !! LOW NOISE MATCHED SETS.
> 90 DAY WARRANTY!! MULLARD,BRIMAR, TELEFUNKEN, AMPEREX, ECG,
> PHILIPS,SIEMENS, RCA, RFT, GE, SYLVANIA, Ei YUGO, SOVTEK, SVETLANA,
> TUNGSOL, JAN. OVER 1500 TYPES AVAILABLE!! BUY,SELL, TRADE. * LOW NOISE
> MATCHED PAIR SPECIALS*RFT 12AU7 $30.00/MP. JAN 12AU7 $20.00/MP. JAN
> 12AT7 $20.00/MP RFT 12AT7 $35.00/MP JAN 5751 $30.00/MP. GE 5965
> $25.00/MP MULLARD 6GK5 $30.00/MP. Ei YUGO 6DJ8, 12AX7, 20.00/MP.
> SOVTEK 12AX7 $15.00/MP. RCA 12AX7 $35.00/MP. US MFG. 6FQ7/6CG7
> $35.00/mp

Perhaps I'm missing something here, but in which applications would
there be a need for matched pairs of audio preamp tubes?

--
-jm

I realise that in my case joemama@rarebird.nut is more appropriate,
however, to reply no-spam e-mail change the nut to net..

1662. Re: HTX -202 how to set pl tone ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob <qrmbdiaz@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <3628C7D0.7980@pacbell.net>
Source record: 128789

Arol B Hill wrote:
>
> Lost the manuel on the htx 202 ht. Does anyone know how to set the pl
> tone ?
> Thanks for the bw.
> Arol n1wcc
>

(1) Press VF (Letter "D" on keypad).

(2) Select your frequency.

(3) Hold the function key down and press "M-SET" ("8" on the keypad).

(4) Use the "^SC" ("#") to move up through the list and
use the ".SC" ("*") to move down through the list.

(5) "tc" is the item you're looking for. Once you find it, you
use the "TUNE/M-CH" knob to select the PL tone.

(6) Pushing the PTT button selects that tone and turns on "T-SQL"
on the radio.

NOTE: The "M-SET" function allows you to set a lot of useful things:

"os" Sets the Offset
"tE" If set to "ON" locks out transmit
"rc" Selects the PL tome for receive

There are other functions, but I lost my manual too and I can't recall
what the other functions are.

1663. FS: ICOM IC-730

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: w4hlldhall@datavoiceinc.com
Message-ID: <36284e37.2114090@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 128831

ICOM 730 in excellent condition, comes with IC-HM7 hand mic, IC-SM6
desk mic.
The rig has the EX195 marker unit and the EX205 cw audio filter
installed.
Included are the EX205 TRV unit and the EX202 IDA units in original
boxes with manuals.

_____
$300.00

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reply to w4hlldhall@datavoiceinc.com (remove w4hll before sending
email)

David Hall W4HLL

1664. Battery Drain FT-50R revisited

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Perri <jperri@aros.net>
Message-ID: <3628BAF8.CD65DDCE@aros.net>
Source record: 128832

Now that I have my FT-50R in several pieces, I find I have an older version that does not have R's
2102 & 2103. Is there a fix for the excessive battery drain problem for this version?

Looks like there may be a down side for having the original version that is expandable from DC to Light Mhz.

JMP

1665. WTB: ten meter ssb rig.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Roger Cufaude <kb1zj@gis.net>
Message-ID: <3628ADD9.9FC44CA4@gis.net>
Source record: 128833

I'm looking for a ten meter rig like RS sold not to long ago.
I would like at least 10 watts out.
Must be in good shape. Let me know what you got.
Thanks es 73.
Roger KB1ZJ

1666. FS/trade:ATV station (430mHz band)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Carroll <w0ex@scan.missouri.org>
Message-ID: <70absm$8ku$0@208.207.71.175>
Source record: 128834
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.equipment,rec.radio

For Sale or trade: Complete AEA Fast Scan Amateur fast scan
tv
station. Includes:

AEA VSB-70 Fast Scan 430mHz transciever

AES RLA-70 remote 50 watt linear amp, can be mounted at
antenna
for low loss.

AEA MPS-100 multipurpose power supply,for both above units.
Feeds DC to remotely mounted amp via DC block in
coaxial feedline.

This equipment has seen very little use and is in as new
condition.
Comes with complete documention and an added Complete ATV
workbook, second edition. Original boxes and manuals.

Add your antenna/feedline, and TV of your choice and you're
on the air with fast scan TV.

Original cost at Amateur Electronic Supply was near $1100.
Will sell
for around half that or entertain interesting trades,
particularly
a Kenwood TS-50 or IC706.

Reply direct or phone 417-469-3347

1667. Re: HELP:SM220 PAN-ADAPTOR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <3628AF59.3694@onramp.net>
Source record: 128835

? wrote:
>
> can anyone please tell me if its possible to tell whether a pan adaptor is a
> bs-8 or a bs-5 from the seriel number written on it in big black numbers ??
>
> any help appreciated.
> please email me.
>
> thanks.

All of them I have seen have BS-5 or 8 stamped on them..
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Clif Holland KA5IPF
Owner of AVVid, an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
Click on the following or call 1-800-214-5779
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

1668. Re: Kenwood Microphone Switch???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: sds22@rocketmail.com
Message-ID: <3628b6a7.3937823@news.chesco.com>
Source record: 128836

On Wed, 14 Oct 1998 19:54:58 -0500, "Dan In Minneapolis"
<lotsacache@sprintmail.com> wrote:

>Hi,
>
>Thanks for reading.
>
>I have four Kenwoods, all which take the standard 8 pin
>microphone plug.
>
>The problem is, I'd liek to use one microphone for all radios.
>
>Does anyone know of a microphone switch (4 position)
>I could use for this purpose? I could really use the desk space.
>
>Dan
>
>
Dan,
I have used this for years, works like a champ too!
Beg, borrow or steal a 4 position computer data switch (in a metal
box) they come in several pin configurations, you want one with 9
pins, get some 9 pin cables, a few 8 pin mic connectors and roll your
own!
73, Ken K3JWL

1669. Drake L.4B 2KW Linear Amplifier:

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Graham <n9znt@gte.net>
Message-ID: <70aenr$94k$1@news-2.news.gte.net>
Source record: 128837

For Sale: Drake L.4B 2 KW Linear Amplifier, excellent condition, with manual & power supply. $1200.00
E-mail N9ZNT@gte.net N9ZNT

1670. SX-115 SOLD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: JB Geer <jbgeer@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <3628BDC0.2016@swbell.net>
Source record: 128838

Thanks to all who responded.

1671. Re: FS- 2 Tektronics mini-scopes cheap

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <3628bdef.6854032@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 128839
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,sci.electronics.misc,sci.electronics.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On 17 Oct 1998 15:34:48 GMT, ka4993gg@aol.com (KA4993GG) wrote:

>I have 2 non-working Tekronics scope for sale; models 212 and 221. Both are in
>excellent cosmetic condition. They are the 2.5" screen size units with
>internal rechargeable battery packs, and sold for several hundred dollars when
>new. They both have the blue case, built-in probes and ac cords, and complete
>with rechargeable battery packs. The approximate dimensions are 5" X 9" X 3".
> Here are the details:
>
>221 - single trace. This scope used to work, and one day just quite. I've
>been told by some on newsgroups that the internal rechargeable battery packs
>need to be replaced before the scope will even work on ac.
>
>212 - dual trace unit. This scope is missing the CRT. I purchased this from a
>fellow with the intention that my tech friend can put both units together and
>make one working unit. The scope is otheriwse comeplete as above. It does
>have both rechargeable battery packs but I have no way to test to see if they
>are good.
>
>These scopes have been sitting around in my closet for about six months. My
>tech friend has been too busy with work and his own projects to help me out.
>So, I would like to get these units out of my closet to make room for my
>radios.
>
>I am asking $75 shipped for both scopes within the lower 48 States.

1672. Re: TERMAN RADIO BOOKS- Stanford U

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: tjuana@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <70ak63duu1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128840
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

hi all @#
Does anyone know ....
where can i get a free catalog ....
about Radios ..... You know ......
I'm looking for a (SSB radio ... cheap ...)
tjuana@hotmail.com

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1673. WTB: Nuvistor Sockets

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: J-MarCom <jmar.com@cwix.com>
Message-ID: <3628C6EB.110A635@cwix.com>
Source record: 128841

Looking for as many as 6 Nuvistor sockets for 6CW4s. New would be great but undamaged used ones will work also. Please E-Mail with quantity and price.

Jon WR7JM
Tacoma

1674. FS: New QRP Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: gharmon@idworld.net
Message-ID: <3628c75a.18539865@news.idworld.net>
Source record: 128842

The QRP rig identified in the attached message is for sale. Assembled by professional assembler. I've seen it and it's beautiful. Please contact Morris directly at msully@sic.net but I will also forward any e-mails received to him.

Thanks in advance.

gary

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Gary H. Harmon, Jr. - K5JWK
6302 Robin Forest
San Antonio, TX 78239
(210) 657-1549
gharmon@idworld.net
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-----Original Message-----
From: Morris Sullivan, KG5CP <msully@stic.net>
To: Gary Harmon <gharmon@idworld.net>
Date: Saturday, October 17, 1998 10:50 AM
Subject: Re: QRP Rig

For Sale: Sierra QRP radio with the 10, 12, 15, and 17 meter band modules
and the KC2 Keyer/Counter/Meter assembly and KC2 Front Panel.
An external DC power source of 12-13.8 volts is required. All manuals included. This unit was assembled from a kit for an individual confined to
a nursing home but was never put in service due to failing health.
Kit cost: $464 Asking: $400 which includes shipping to US destinations.

I hope I have covered everything. About the only thing left is the fact they
need to supply the key (keyer) and speaker.

Morris

1675. fs yeasu ft301ad hf rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: jdickson@ee.net
Message-ID: <70ahjk$5cc$2@news2.ee.net>
Source record: 128843

I have for sale a ft 301ad this is the digital readout and 100 watt
output model it also comes with a matching power supply and landliner
all for 300

1676. YAESU FT-990

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: CANNON <cannon@megsinet.net>
Message-ID: <3628DBF5.9BAE8BA1@megsinet.net>
Source record: 128844

Yaesu ft-990 ac/dc, immaculate like new condition. 10 months warranty left from yaesu. Rig was purchased in August 1998 and was a demo from hro. Perfect working order, box, manual, hand mike. $1200. Firm...Thanks...Daryl...N7QAB Detroit, Mi.

1677. Mics Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ev <night.train.meagher@leland.stanford.edu>
Message-ID: <01bdf9f3$838d8120$2aa940ab@ventilator>
Source record: 128845

I'm looking for a few mics to round out my collection:

Turner 22X
Turner BX/BD
Astatic T-3 Pioneer
AStatic 10DA
Astatic DN-50
Astatic JT-30
Astatic Brown Biscuit
Shure 545S Unidyne III
Shure 585 Unisphere A
Shure 707A Silver Bullet
Shure Slim-X 777
Electrovoice 924
Electrovoice 605/606
Monarch MC131
Monarch MC24

respond to emeagher@leland.stanford.edu

-ev

1678. FT 890 Light change.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: guardm@aol.comjunkblk
Message-ID: <19981017133303.25147.00001926@ng03.aol.com>
Source record: 128846

Can anyone help with the changing of the pilot light in my rig. I set it down kind'a hard (Droped it) and now the ligh is burned out. How hard is it? Can I do it myself?
Thanks,

Mev
remove "junkblk" from e-mail address if you drop me a note.

1679. Wtd CMU161 Mem for C558A Standard Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Swanson <robert_swanson@sunshine.net>
Message-ID: <3628D563.35C4@sunshine.net>
Source record: 128847

I'm looking for a CMU161 200 channel memory chip for my Standard C558A
Dual band HT.
My e-mail is: robert_swanson@sunshine.net
73's R. Swanson VE7VBO

1680. FT-51 / ADMS-1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: b.blyleven@mgl.ca
Message-ID: <3629d440.8625730@news.mgl.ca>
Source record: 128848

Hello

I have a Japanise version of FT51 hand held. It does not have the "R" designator. A friend of mine who works in Japan sent it over to me.

This radio will only xmit from 144-146 MHz and 430-440MHz no matter what combination of pads are bridged and keys pressed.

I have discovered that the possible problem is in the "band" that it is currently in. This "band" is selected by power up with the upvol , DownVol and call buttons are pressed. Most mods I have come across show a standard radio showing as "band 1" as default. The radio I have shows "band 0" as default. I am unable to change this from "band 0" by any sort of keyboard means.

Today I purchased the ADMS-1 software in hopes of changing or programming this set. Unfortunatly it does not seem to clone down a template down to the computer....

I would like to ask the following....

1) Any information to get this set span the entire Canadian 2Mtr and 70cm band?

2) If I could get a *.tpl file for another ft-51?
(please tell me if radio that the *.tpl file is from a stock or modified set)

3) If the above 2 do not work out I am open to offers on this set (2 FNB-31 batteries, 1 FBA-14 AA battery holder and a CA-9 Desk charger. or trade for a VXR-1 or FT-50 plus cash??)

Thanx for any info.......

Please drop the "b." from e-mail to reply...

1681. Re: FS/trade:ATV station (430mHz band)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Carroll <w0ex@scan.missouri.org>
Message-ID: <70and6pg0@208.207.71.175>
Source record: 128849
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.equipment,rec.radio

The ATV station has been sold....thanks.

Richard Carroll wrote:
>
> For Sale or trade: Complete AEA Fast Scan Amateur fast scan
> tv
> station. Includes:
>
> AEA VSB-70 Fast Scan 430mHz transciever
>
> AES RLA-70 remote 50 watt linear amp, can be mounted at
> antenna
> for low loss.
>
> AEA MPS-100 multipurpose power supply,for both above units.
> Feeds DC to remotely mounted amp via DC block in
> coaxial feedline.
>
>

1682. Re: Radar Gun for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lewis Barnett <labdab@sprint.ca>
Message-ID: <gV5W1.13019$re.1901346@HME2.newscontent-01.sprint.ca>
Source record: 128850
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.misc, sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

Well done Bill. I can't believe that I actually sat here and read every
message in this thread and this is the first one that asked the question
that was going through my mind the whole time, "What has this got to do with
a For-Sale ad or ham radio?"
Bill wrote in message <7053qecoj1@supernews.com>...
>I think it's amazing how much controversy one for sale message can
generate.
>Take your bashing threads to another newsgroup, they don't belong here !
>This is rec.radio.swap not rec.radio.slam......
>
>Bill
>
>
>

1683. FS: Swan Transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: vicwhite@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981017150256.09881.00001945@ng24.aol.com>
Source record: 128851

FS: Swan 500C that was factory modified at Cubic to a 700CX transmit using 8950 finals and receive for 700W PEP as opposed to the 500W PEP of the original 500C.

I am the original owner, retired the Swan in favor of a Kenwood TS940AT. The unit has always been kept inside a/c house, never used mobile and is in 9 (plus) like new condition. Included is a 117XC AC PS/Speaker, Plug in VOX VX-2, original manual plus a manual on the 700CX model.

Will include a spare 8950 final tube you furnish mike and antenna.
$300.00 plus shipping.
VicWhite@aol.com

1684. Yaesu FT-2500 manual needed!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb4mdz_chuk@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <70b7ia$7tr$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128852

Urgent help needed. Really, really completely lost my FT2500 manual in the filing system, and would like a copy. Is there someone out there who has even a 'cheat sheet' card they could send me until I can get around to getting the full manual from Yaesu?

Thanks,
Chuk Gleason
1) kb4mdz.chuk@juno.com
2) Chukgleasn@aol.com (if we must, but at least it takes file attachments)

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

1685. FA-eBay: 6 Meter All Mode

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: k6sde@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <70ba3vbdu1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128853

The band is getting better and only improving. Beautiful FT-620B, all mode.

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=35680550

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http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1686. FS Drake TR4CW Tranceiver+MS4+PS4

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris <ck5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3628F848.7B4E@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 128854
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have for sale in good condition 8 out of 10, full output 150 watts TR4CW with the 500Hz filter, MS4 Speaker and the PS4 Power supply. This rig really sounds great. All tubes check good, all knobs are correct. The TR4CW has the nicest receive audio I have heard. Comes with original manual. $325+shipping 73 Chris VE3NGW/W4
Florida

1687. WTB--HEIL MIKE FOR KENWOOD TS-850

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: ian McCloy <ian_mccloy@bc.sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <70asdl$al0$1@news.bctel.net>
Source record: 128855

I am looking for the following Heil Mike es acces,

1. HM-10 with HC-5 Cartridge
2. TB-1 Stand

This must be wired for a Kenwood Ts-850 or for any 8 pin New type Kenwood Radio

1688. Re: FS Telex Contester Headset

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alan Caplan <alan.caplan@cwix.com>
Message-ID: <qB6W1.10605$la5.479@news.cwix.com>
Source record: 128856

Alan Caplan wrote in message ...
>Like new with cloth covers Telex Contester
>headset part # 62400-155 wired for TS-950SD
>with headphone jack and 8 pin mic plug. with
>box very few hours. Low impedence $50+$5
>shipping USA. Includes NEW Heil foot switch.
>
>Alan K4AVQ & P40AV
>14020 140th Court
>Apple Valley, MN 55124-9422
>612-431-5070
>
>
>

1689. Re: yaesu ft920

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: T E I X E I R A <teixeira@ccnet.com>
Message-ID: <3628FC3A.3660@ccnet.com>
Source record: 128857

Hmmm.... I'll check my xrstal ball and let you know....d:->

dt

nik wrote:
>
> i want to know if this trx has problems.thanks

1690. WTB: BIG OLD XMTG TUBES AND SOCKETS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: MAK <blusky@internetcds.com>
Message-ID: <01bdfa12$2705f8a0$0f881ad0@blusky>
Source record: 128858
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap

Wanted big old xmtg tubes i.e.:
211
212
801
810
833
845
849
851
250TL
304TL
450TL

blusky@internetcds.com

1691. Mods on Yaesu FT-847?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Roland Messerschmidt <bull.graz@netway.at>
Message-ID: <70at6luj1@news.netway.at>
Source record: 128859

Are there any modifications known on the Yaesu FT-847 to extend rx range, to extend tx range or to add some other features to make the rig swim, fly, dive...?

tnx & 73 de
Roland, OE6MOD

1692. Re: FS Telex Contester Headset

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alan Caplan <alan.caplan@cwix.com>
Message-ID: <iV6W1.11529$la5.482@news.cwix.com>
Source record: 128860

Alan Caplan wrote in message ...
>Like new with cloth covers Telex Contester
>headset part # 62400-155 wired for TS-950SD
>with headphone jack and 8 pin mic plug. with
>box very few hours. Low impedence $50+$5
>shipping USA. Inludes Foot switch by Heil
>
>Alan K4AVQ & P40AV
>14020 140th Court
>Apple Valley, MN 55124-9422
>612-431-5070
>
>
>

1693. FS: Murchison Antenna Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: w7ycn@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981017162856.24540.00002162@ng20.aol.com>
Source record: 128861

Hi - and thanks for reading. Murchison model UT-160M. This is a full legal power tuner with high quality heavy duty components. Case is 12x15 1/2x5. Has function switch (in and out, dummy load, ground) and relative output meter. Ceramic inductor tapped every turn, 4000 volt capacitors. In excellenct condition with original owner's manual. $95 plus shipping. (360) 432-1114

73 - Patrick (W7YCN)

1694. Re: IC-T8A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mackey <jmackey@usa.net>
Message-ID: <3629000E.5B8B@usa.net>
Source record: 128862

Fred McKenzie wrote:
> There is a 6 Meter repeater about 20 miles from me, that I can get into
> from the car (IC-706) with no problem. I can kerchunk it with the
> hand-held IC-T8A, but can't get in well enough to be understood.
> Otherwise, I don't have anything to compare it with. The T8A doesn't have
> a lot of competition as far as I can tell.

I have a 6 meter repeater that has been tied into my 2 meter
& 440 MHz repeaters at the same location. 6 meters on a HT
NEVER work as well as 2 meter or 440 MHz comparable systems.

1695. ARRL and Yaesu software compatibility

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: lweil@whdh.oem.net
Message-ID: <70atcjemj2@stalker.oem.net>
Source record: 128863
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur

I recently purchased the ARRL Travel Planner software, which allows the user to create a list of repeaters for a specific area or route. This software then allows you to export the file, in what it calls a .tpe format.

I also have the Yaesu ADMS-1 programming software for my FT-50R, which stores it's files in what it calls the .rdf format. What I found is that the Yaesu software is not able to recognize or use the files created by the ARRL software, which is something I would like to be able to do.

Does anyone know of a utility that would translate a .tpe file to the .rdf format, or know of a work-around for this problem.

TIA for your help.

Larry Weil
KC1IH
kc1ih@mediaone.net (must be all lower case)

1696. Re: Radar Gun for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: rhawk@megabits.net
Message-ID: <36290ba4.1261296@news.megabits.net>
Source record: 128864
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.misc,
sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

On Sat, 17 Oct 1998 13:04:49 -0600, "Lewis Barnett" <labdab@sprint.ca>
wrote:

>Well done Bill. I can't believe that I actually sat here and read every
>message in this thread and this is the first one that asked the question
>that was going through my mind the whole time, "What has this got to do with
>a For-Sale ad or ham radio?"
>Bill wrote in message <7053qecoj1@supernews.com>...
>>I think it's amazing how much controversy one for sale message can
>generate.
>>Take your bashing threads to another newsgroup, they don't belong here !
>>This is rec.radio.swap not rec.radio.slam......
>>
>>Bill

While I agree that this thread has got a bit emotional, at time.
the origional for sale post was Valid. from that point on,
just a lot of ASSumptions.

Bob

1697. Info: Alinco DJ-C5T mod?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke7vg@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981017172543.10547.00002077@ng69.aol.com>
Source record: 128865

Is there such a thing? None listed @ QRZ.com.
Appreciate any info.
Thanks,
Gene

1698. Re: Mods on Yaesu FT-847?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: feinstei@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <36290ac8.20210815@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 128866

On Sat, 17 Oct 1998 22:02:20 +0200, "Roland Messerschmidt"
<bull.graz@netway.at> wrote:

>Are there any modifications known on the Yaesu FT-847 to extend rx range, to
>extend tx range or to add some other features to make the rig swim, fly,
>dive...?
>
Yes, try the Yaesu FT-847 web site. Mods galore.

1699. FS New HAM IV Rotor and contol box $350

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris <ck5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <362915F4.15D6@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 128867
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.antennas,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Never installed Ham IV Rotor and control box. Could not put up the new
tower restricted neighbourhood so it has to go. $350 + shipping
Comes in the original box with instructions from Telrex HyGain.
Thank you 73 Chris VE3NGW/W4 Florida

1700. FS: Kenwood TM-733A Dual Band

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Michael A. Griffiths" <magriff@griffiths.org>
Message-ID: <70b5u7$5nf$1@news.xmission.com>
Source record: 128868

Just bought the new FT-100 HF/VHF/UHF combo and won't use this dual-band rig anymore.

Kenwood TM-733A DualBand in perfect condition..... manual, original boxes, backlit microphone option. Like new. $250 and I'll pay the shipping.

Mike, N7FQ

1701. Info/schematic ??Motorola Spectra C2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris.Muriel@analog.com
Message-ID: <362907fe.10207302@analog.com>
Source record: 128869

A friend has a quantity of surplus Motorola
transceivers known as "Spectra". They appear to be
model number "C2" &, as supplied , are on 420 MHz.
The user handbook mentions the possibility of re-programming
them with an "interface board" & some PC software.
This can reprogram the internal EEPROM.
On the rear of the case there's a model number of
"D44ZXA5JC2AK"
The handbook I have refers to their use for the
" Spectra Smartnet Radio System"
I'm wondering whether these could easily be moved to the
the European 70 cms (430-440 MHz) band.
Does anyone have an info,schematics,details of the interface
board etc. etc. ???
They seem to be very well made (compared to your average
ham-radio rig).
Chris Muriel (G3ZDM),Manchester,UK
(email :- chris.muriel@analog.com)

1702. Re: local disable of 800 MHz cellphones?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: aaronp@removeme-shore.net
Message-ID: <ZS8W1.4$OZ4.2509@news.shore.net>
Source record: 128870

Such a device is about to be sold in Israel:

http://www.netline.co.il/new/c-guard.htm

It is very small. It must not be a jammer per se because they claim it can be used where RF emissions could harm equipment like on aircraft and in hospitals.
I also don't see how the government could come after you for jamming the rx of receivers within your home or business, ie private property. I don't think phone companies could either. I'm no lawyer, of course, but this should apply to enclosed theaters. Morally, you would want to have signs making it very clear you did so just in case the odd doctor or expecting father strolled in.
In college I new some people who wanted to build a device to use in dorms because their neighbors were yakking all night on the little portable phones in the hallways.. I brought up making a portable one to sell to people for use in their cars. You know, to stop all the idiots out there using their cell phone while driving. Of course, this was stupid talk very late on evening by kids who didn't know the law. But if such a thing could be legalized it would be one hell of a market.

Aaron Price, 011011011
www.aavso.org
Systems Administrator, American Association of Variable Star Observers

1703. Owner manual for IC-T7A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke3nj@voicenet.COM
Message-ID: <3629005E.9D0256CE@voicenet.com>
Source record: 128871

Just purchased an IC-T7A handheld at estate auction.&#65533; I am in need of
owners manual.&#65533; Can anyone point me in direction to find one on line?

Would gladly pay for shipping and copying if anyone would take the time!

Thanks

David A. Letterman&#65533; KE3NJ

ke3nj@voicenet.com

"No I'm not the Dave Letterman on TV!!"
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&#65533;
&#65533;

1704. Re: Radar Gun for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wakko Warner <wakko9@mediaone.net>
Message-ID: <362928D0.8EF539C0@mediaone.net>
Source record: 128872
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.misc,
sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: vcard.vcf

Where can I get one and how much is it.

I couldnt reach your email.

Eric

Dave D wrote:

> On Wed, 14 Oct 1998 13:03:44 GMT, <gcsahanin@home.com> wrote:
>
> >It is fun to watch these kids in their turbocharged-wheeze-o-matic jap-traks
> >slam on the brakes.
> >
> I bought one of those radar "test" kits a few years ago from the back
> of Popular Whatever. Sends out an RF signal in the same band as the
> radar guns.
>
> It's a lot of fun to slow down the truckers and speed demons. Followed
> a turd in Mercedes for about 10 miles one time, eveytime he'd feel
> safe and speed up, I'd zap him.
> Dave

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

1705. Re: Info: Alinco DJ-C5T mod?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Paul F. McCarron" <w1hzy@cybertours.com>
Message-ID: <3629282B.9987ECB4@cybertours.com>
Source record: 128873

yes, it's so simple, it was published in a magazine! It opens up TX open
the case and cut the red wire loop! That's it!!

KE7VG wrote:

> Is there such a thing? None listed @ QRZ.com.
> Appreciate any info.
> Thanks,
> Gene

1706. Mobile installation in 91 Previa

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Wells <davew@cruzio.com>
Message-ID: <01bdfa20$8f55bc20$240efbcf@ham>
Source record: 128874

Hi,

I want to install an ICOM IC2100H in my 91 Previa but have a couple
questions for anyone that has installed a radio in one.

1) How is the dash around the AM/FM/cassette player removed? I am thinking
of putting the radio where the CD player was to go.

2) Where can I route a cable to the battery or some other source of a
"stiff" 12 volts?

Any help appreciated. Thanks.
--
Dave KD6TO

1707. FS: Motorola voice pagers with monitor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: pwserctr@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981017194742.14847.00002386@ng115.aol.com>
Source record: 128875

Now available reconditioned Motorola Keynote pagers with monitor function. These pagers can be put on your freq and tones for a total of $155. They function very similar to the Minitor II pagers and will alert with any tones that will set off the Minitor II pagers. Also available with the pager: Voice Storage, vibe, chargers, and batteries.

Over 1,000 pagers in stock, in all bands, 33 to 47MHz, 148 to 165 MHz, 450 to 470MHz, and 900MHz. We can put them on any freq and tones you want for the same price of $155 each (Dealer prices lower). There is a 90 day warranty with all these pagers.

Visit our web site for a picture and complete description.

http://members.aol.com/pwserctr/home.htm

or look in one of the following magazines for our ad: Fire House, Fire Chief, Fire Rescue, Paramedic & Firefighter News, Mobile Radio Tech, and Wireless Business & Tech.

1708. KENWOOD WANTS!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jordan Arndt <jordana@nucleus.com>
Message-ID: <362951A9.5C2@nucleus.com>
Source record: 128876

Hi I am looking for a Kenwood SP-820 and Manuals for the the TS-820S and the VFO-820... Please e-mail me jordana@nucleus.com....

1709. Re: EAS Receiver/decoder?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thomas & Karen Mitchell <kg7u@olympus.net>
Message-ID: <3629499F.3E63@olympus.net>
Source record: 128877

We found a source for an AM-FM broadcast unit (NOT NOAA weather radio @
162 MHZ), at http://www.netins.net/showcase/asi/
which looks good - and for ~$60.

Thanks to all who replied.

Thomas & Karen Mitchell wrote:
>
> Does anyone know where we could obtain a receiver/decoder for the
> Emergency Alert System? (Formerly Emergency Broadcast System).
>
> MTS Communications has one, but only for FM radio; we need AM
> (no FM stations in town).
>
> Thanks.
>
> Tom Mitchell, KG7U
> Karen Mitchell, KB7CEN

1710. MFJ 784B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Pendergast <pender@gte.net>
Message-ID: <70bk1c$3rs$1@news-2.news.gte.net>
Source record: 128878

I am considering buying an MFJ 784B DSP filter. Does anyone have experience with this unit that they could share? Is this a DSP unit that deserves serious consideration or should I be looking for other units?

Thanks for your opinions and input.
Mike KT4AN

1711. Kenwood TH-D7A?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Pearl <sdpearl@voicenet.com>
Message-ID: <aZcW1.1200$J4.1922784@news3.voicenet.com>
Source record: 128879

Anyone heard anything about the new Kenwood TH-D7A Dual Band HT with built-in TNC and APRS capability? The ad on the back of QST indicated a 1200 and 9600 capability and a boatload of features, but I can't find anything on the Kenwood site about it.

Thanks.

Steve, N3LJZ
sdpearl@bigfoot.com

1712. WTB Yaesu FTS-7 for FT203/FT703 HT's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Gary Zabriskie, N7ARE" <gary@sginet.com>
Message-ID: <70bmh2$54l$1@quartz.inquo.net>
Source record: 128880

I am looking to buy the FTS-7 CTCSS PL Tone Board for the Yaesu FT203R and FT703R Handi Talkies. These are the rigs with the thumbwheel (BCD) frequency controls. If you have the board separately or in possibly a "dead" rig. Please e-mail me at: gary@sginet.com

Thanks and 73,

Gary Zabriskie
N7ARE
St. George, Utah

1713. Re: MFJ-259B SWR Analyzer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Chris M. Bridges" <n4fan@shelby.net>
Message-ID: <36283598.2ADF@shelby.net>
Source record: 128899

Chris Ellison wrote:
>
> Does anyone have experience of the MFJ-259B? (I'm thinking of getting
> one)
> --
> Chris Ellison G8RBW on 6m,2m and 70cm. UK QTH Matlock, Derbyshire. French QTH
> Buis Les Baronnies, Haute Provence.
>

If you like experimenting with antennas,get you one!

Chris Bridges
N4FAN

1714. /\/\OTOROLA P50+(x2) FOR $150 L@@K

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: sourcebook@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <708q52$bd6$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128900

I have !TWO! P50+ UHF for sale. These are two channel units that include batteries and antennas for each radio and one charger for the radios to share. Please e-mail me if your interested. Thank You.

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1715. Re: Reminder: This is NOT the group for SALE/SWAP/WANT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: brianb@velocity.net
Message-ID: <3628e18f.1887758@news.velocity.net>
Source record: 128901

>rec.radio.swap is the proper place for selling, buying, trading

I haven't been able to retriev from the swap group for over a week,
has any one else have the same problem? My ISP acknowledged there's a
problem down the line but it sure seems that it's taking for ever to
fix it!
Bri

To send me Email remove xx's and quotes, Thanks!
"brianb@xx.xx.xx.velocity.net"

1716. Amps for sale...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: wizard@eskimo.com
Message-ID: <3627df82.778501429@eskinews.eskimo.com>
Source record: 128902

6 and 2 meter dual band 300W amp with power supply.....$280

15-10 meter 800W amp. Rack mount. 28VDC.....$400

KC7IYU

1717. Re: Radio static

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Richard A. Ferguson" <raferguson@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <36279063.733@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 128903

I suggest that you check and be sure that you have resistor spark plugs or resistor wires. The attached essay may be helpful.

Richard

HF MOBILE NOISE ELIMINATION

In my experience, there are three parts to the job of installing HF mobile in a vehicle: Installing the radio, installing the antenna, and suppressing noise. Of the three, suppressing noise is probably the hardest.

The first question is what kind of noise you are experiencing. If it sounds like a popping noise, and gets louder when you accelerate, it is probably ignition noise. If it is a hash type noise, it is probably an electric motor. The engine fans on my Tercel were very bad, but only ran in traffic, so I just lived with it. I was told that .001uf caps, short leads, from the motor to ground would help, but never did it. Some electric fuel pumps can be very noisy.

One test to see if the noise is coming from the power cable or the antenna is to disconnect the antenna. If you still have noise, work on the power cable. If the noise goes away, the power is OK, focus on suppressing noise at the source. If you connect the radio power cable directly to the battery, you will probably not experience noise on the power cable. (Don't forget to fuse both plus and minus at the battery for safety). Heavy cable is advisable; I would not use anything smaller than 12 ga, and some people use welding cable.

I assume here that you have broad-band noise across various bands. If you have a single frequency birdie, you probably have noise from the computer crystal.

You might check to be sure that you have resistor plugs and wires before starting more serious work. Also, be sure that your noise blanker is on, although most radios do not have super-effective noise blankers.

On a 1979 Honda Civic with points, I used resistor plugs and wires, which solved the problem, but meant that I had to change the points every 5000 miles or so, as the ignition system was designed for resistor wires only, and if the ignition system was not perfect, the car ran poorly.

On a 1985 Toyota Tercel, I had tremendous luck suppressing ignition noise by buying heavy copper tubular braid, and slipping it over

the spark plug wires. I built a copper box that covered most of the distributor, bonded the braid to the box, and then bonded the box to the block, keeping the wires short. This was a day and night improvement, and I never felt the need to do any more ignition noise suppression.

On a 1996 Subaru Legacy, I again built a copper box, and bought more tubular braid. However, I only got an improvement of about 2 S-units. I needed more, especially on 40 meters, so I ran two ground wires from the exhaust pipe to the chassis. This was probably worth more than 2 S-units, and finished the job to my satisfaction.

If you are systematic, you should be able to identify the source of any problems and correct them.

A couple of other notes on HF mobile installations. Don Johnson, W6AAQ wrote the book, 40+5 YEARS OF HF MOBILEERING. Try to get a copy. I use the Hustler antenna system, and find it adequate except on 75 m. If you plan to operate 75m, consider a WB5TYD Texas Bug Catcher or a Screwdriver antenna. Unless you have an automatic or remote tuning system, the antenna bandwidth on 75m will probably be only about 50kc or so. I have never invested the time and effort required to achieve a satisfactory 75m installation.

Good luck
Richard Ferguson, KA0DXM
Boulder Colorado
November 19, 1996
raferguson@worldnet.att.net

D.Nopper wrote:
>
> I need help to eliminate the radio static on my AM radio in my pickup truck.
> Checks which I have done include--Removing spark plug wires one at a time,
> disconnecting the alternator,changing radios,
> I have no static when the engine is not running and I have no static on FM.
> The static seems to be on all stations.
> Would it be a good idea to change the antennae?
> Any suggestions would be appreciated.
>
> thanks
>
> Doug N.

1718. TVI Filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: napoli@i-2000.com
Message-ID: <362be563.17570558@news.i-2000.com>
Source record: 128904

Hi Guys--Could it be possible that somewhere in the world there is no cable TV, and people are still having trouble with TVI..If so I have a high quality J.W. Miller High Pass filter FS..Its not one of those things thrown together on a board, its enclosed in a breautiful machined aluminum case..If its works half as good as it looks its a winner..So if you or your neighbor has TVI, this might be the cure.... $10.00+shp Pse remove the (ns) from my address...Bob K2LGO

1719. /\/\OTOROLA P200s VHF $170 L@@K

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: sourcebook@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <708tpt$gj8$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128905

Motorola P200s in excellent condition. Specs: Band split 155-176, !TWO! good condition batteries, one RAPID charger, and one antenna FOR EACH RADIO! Please e-mail me if your interested. Thank You.

-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1720. Re: Recommend 2m small HT?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: lewisgregory@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <3627e32c.6609531@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 128906

On 16 Oct 1998 18:20:27 GMT, ddgsk@tic.net wrote:

>I'm interested in getting a small HT around the size of the VX-1R, or even
>smaller. Relevant criteria are:
>
>1) Small size
>2) Ability to scan general VHF and AM/FM (HF would be great, but probably
>doesn't exist)
>3) Good output-- 300-500mw minimum
>4) AM band reception (640kc to 1600)
>5) 2m and 440 great, but if not at least whatever is better in NYC these
>days (haven't been on 2m and 440 in ages)
>
>Thank you. Please respond here, not via e-mail.
>
>P.S. Is the VX-1R state of the art, anything better? what are the
>immediate competitors?

I think the VX-1R is the only radio that meets every one of your requirements, because I think it's the only one that's got AM band reception. I was looking at the Icom Q7A, since it was $30 cheaper ($199 at HRO in Atlanta vs. $229 for the VX-1R) but I decided to go for the Yaesu for several reasons--prior positive experiences with Yaesu products, the VX-1R's AM band, and the fact that the VX-1R comes with a rechargeable battery (the Q7A takes two AAs). The VX-1R will do 2m and 70cm, AM, FM, airband, you name it--pretty much everything from 76 to 999 MHz, except for Those Frequencies Which The FCC Deems Unacceptable (i.e., cellular). I think the Q7A is continuous from 30 to 1300 MHz except for cellular.

So far I like my VX-1R, aside from lousy out-of-band reception with the stock antenna (but I just took care of that, ordered a Comet SMA-3 from HRO). I haven't transmitted with it yet, but I'm very pleased with the receive audio (better than I expected from a radio that small) and the features. I think it'll do very well as a backup (and *very* portable) HT. Be warned, though, I've found the AM reception is poor with the stock antenna unless you're very close to a really high-power station.

Check six,
Lewis "Moose" Gregory +--
lewisgregory@earthlink.net | ICQ UIN 745844 Amateur Radio: KS4RY
Columbia, South Carolina +--
Confederate States of America | WarBirds: "moose-"
-------------------------------------+--
Proud Member of the Flying Pigs Squadron - http://www.flyingpigs.com
OINK! OINK! TO WAR!!

"Dammit, Beavis, quit screwing around. We've got an experiment to do."

1721. Kenwood AT-50 Automatic Tuner for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: qin2@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981016205504.07866.00002215@ng68.aol.com>
Source record: 128907

Kenwood AT-50 Automatic antenna tuner for Kenwood TS-50. Excellent condition
with all original paperwork , packing , cables and box . $250 firm.
Includes shipping . Rob KB2VX

1722. Re: WHAT IS "EBAY"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: dbbadge@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981016210957.07930.00000917@ng53.aol.com>
Source record: 128908

for the answer go to
http://www.ebay.com

1723. Re: WTB HF Amp Multi Band

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb5mer@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981016213702.12193.00001686@ng96.aol.com>
Source record: 128909

I have a solid state 160 - 10 meter amplifier 40 watt input / 240 watts out
built for Henry, built in 28 volt power supply . $ 375.00
Thanks JR Austin , Texas - kb5mer@aol.com

1724. ICOM 760 Mic Trouble

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: JKennyREMOVE@Ingress.com
Message-ID: <3638f7d4.1614400@news.ingress.com>
Source record: 128910

I've just bought the HEIL mic for the 706mkII and I'm having trouble with both the VOX and audio levels. Has anyone had this trouble themselves? Can anyone tell me where to find ICOM info on the mic circuit? Thanks in advance.

1725. ICOM 706 Mic Trouble (Sorry)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: JKennyREMOVE@Ingress.com
Message-ID: <3639f84a.1732828@news.ingress.com>
Source record: 128911

I've just bought the HEIL mic for the 706mkII and I'm having trouble with both the VOX and audio levels. Has anyone had this trouble themselves? Can anyone tell me where to find ICOM info on the mic circuit? Thanks in advance.

1726. Re: Reminder: This is NOT the group for SALE/SWAP/WANT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: DavidC <davidc@bit-net.com>
Message-ID: <01bdf977$105d0d00$a78492d0@davidc.bit-net.com>
Source record: 128912

It's your ISP, rec.radio.swap is fine

My ISP is having to upgrade their news server machine because it is slow
and unreliable and is dropping posts randomly ... definitely not cool!

73, DavidC AA1FA

> I haven't been able to retriev from the swap group for over a week,
> has any one else have the same problem? My ISP acknowledged there's a
> problem down the line but it sure seems that it's taking for ever to
> fix it! Bri

1727. Re: Radio static

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: summitrt@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981016224426.01842.00001865@ng94.aol.com>
Source record: 128913

Does the pitch change with the rev of the engine? If so, check your grounds, try a dc noise filter on both the ign and bat positive leads. Does it go away if you disconnect the antenna, (if the radio turns off, you need to ground the radio)? If so try an antenna noise filter or a small cap between the center and ground leads of the antenna wire. Some inexpensive aftermarket radios don't have very good shielding, you may only be able to clear up the problem with a factory radio. Also consider running power to another point on the fuse block. Or like the other guy said, try better spark plug wires.

1728. FS-Larsen AD-2/70 Dual Band Antenna Coupler-$25 (HRO-$63.70)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: dwills@northlink.com
Message-ID: <36282455.12744755@news.northlink.com>
Source record: 128914
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale - Larsen Model AD-2/70 Dual Band Antenna Coupler. New in the package - $25 shipping included. I have a several of these left.

This is a dual frequency duplexer that permits simultaneous operation in both VHF and UHF. This is designed for the 2 meter and 70 centimeter bands, but is useable on commercial VHF and UHF bands.

Crossband isolation is -50dB VHF @ 430 MHz and -60dB UHF@140 MHz. Power input is 200 watts max. Size 1.77" H x 2.63" W x 3" L

This will allow two separate antennas on a dual band radio or one dualband antenna on two separate radios.

I just noticed, HRO is getting $63.70 for these.

1729. Re: NEED PARTS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: no-baumann-spam@dave-world.net
Message-ID: <MPG.1091e69fefae89c19896e5@news.dave-world.net>
Source record: 128915

In article <36273780.6B20@bellsouth.net>, jrjrt@bellsouth.net says...
> HELP I WAS HIT BY LIGHTING AND NOW I
> NEED SOME PARTS FOR A KENWOOD TS-82O..
> DOES ANYONE OUT THERE KNOW WHERE I CAN
> FIND A REPAIRMAN..I KNOW WHATS WRONG WITH IT
> BUT I CAN;T FIND A SIMPLE OLD AUDIO CHIP CALL A
> TA7201P..
> IF YOU CAN HELP PLEASE E-MAIL ME AT JRJRT@BELLSOUTH.NET
> KQ4TX
>

Check this out!

http://www.fortunecity.com/skyscraper/mmx/36/ts820.txt

SB-954 TA7201P Substitution Parts Kit 07/20/89

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George
to email remove no- -spam

1730. FS:!!!!!!! ICOM IC-229H 2 meter mobile !!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cliff <ccedar@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <J_VV1.502$v_3.2190288@newse1.twcny.rr.com>
Source record: 128916

I have a IC-229h in real good shape..On a 1 - 10 its a 8...I dont have the original box or manual..Iam asking $150 US money order for it..
Its 45watts max out and works great...73's KC2DNH email me at ccedar@yahoo.com

1731. FS:!!!!!!! ICOM IC-229H 2 meter mobile !!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cliff <ccedar@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <_XVV1.499$v_3.2189021@newse1.twcny.rr.com>
Source record: 128917

I have a IC-229h in real good shape..On a 1 - 10 its a 8...I dont have to
original box or manual..Iam asking $150 US money order for it..
Its 45watts max out and works great...73's KC2DNH

1732. Free Program Upgraded

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gareth Crispell <gareth@capecod.net>
Message-ID: <3628380C.FDE4D9D1@capecod.net>
Source record: 128918
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hi folks!
If you come over to my homepage and navigate your way to
the radio section and then go to the links you will find a great
completely free Anti-Virus program. The program has just had the
string definitions upgraded as of October 12, 1998. This will cover
all the terrible new trojans that have popped up over the summer.
Please feel free to explore all the other stuff that is non radio
related. Also, the Aussie HAP charts are a great propagation tool.
Take care, and I look forward to working you on the air.

de ... N1MSV (gary - on the Cape Cod salt marsh)

Gareth http://www.capecod.net/~gareth

.....at the dawn of the New Age of Man,
they will abide with us.
Their glory and fire will burn like
sparks among the stubble!

1733. soon-to-be-ham looking for used equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: oxygen@ttlc.net
Message-ID: <3628215f.23610821@news.ttlc.net>
Source record: 128919

i am looking for a mobile radio and/or equipment for a base station
thanks
Bob O'Neill (oxygen@ttlc.net

1734. HELP:SM220 PAN-ADAPTOR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: email@tig.com.au
Message-ID: <709prv$7ou$2@toto.tig.com.au>
Source record: 128920

can anyone please tell me if its possible to tell whether a pan adaptor is a bs-8 or a bs-5 from the seriel number written on it in big black numbers ??

any help appreciated.
please email me.

thanks.

1735. cbradio-one.com

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: busdriver@internet8.net
Message-ID: <36283b9a.3506748@news.accesscom.net>
Source record: 128921

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for all you radio needs call me!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
cbradio-one.com
1-800-303-5152 SHOP
1-504-758-3570 SHOP
1-504-868-4593 HOUSE
Dedicated to the Sport
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WORLD WIDE BUSDRIVER
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1736. kenwood 440 700.00 cbradio-one.com

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: busdriver@internet8.net
Message-ID: <36283c17.3631590@news.accesscom.net>
Source record: 128922

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first come first serve
cbradio-one.com
1-800-303-5152 SHOP
1-504-758-3570 SHOP
1-504-868-4593 HOUSE
Dedicated to the Sport
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WORLD WIDE BUSDRIVER
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1737. icom gp22a handheld gps 75.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: busdriver@internet8.net
Message-ID: <36283bd6.3566310@news.accesscom.net>
Source record: 128923

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cbradio-one.com
1-800-303-5152 SHOP
1-504-758-3570 SHOP
1-504-868-4593 HOUSE
Dedicated to the Sport
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WORLD WIDE BUSDRIVER
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1738. HAMFEST October 25, 1998 - Lindenhurst, LI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: W2GSB <info@gsbarc.org>
Message-ID: <IA_V1.10880$i16.27151991@news.optonline.net>
Source record: 128924

HAMFEST October 25, 1998 - Lindenhurst, LI

GREAT SOUTH BAY AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
ARRL APPROVED LONG ISLAND HAMFEST-COMPUTER SHOW - OCTOBER 25, 1998

LINDENHURST, LI - NY

On October 25, 1998 the Great South Bay Amateur Radio Club will again sponsor an indoor Hamfest-Computer Show. The location will be at the:

Knights of Columbus
400 South Broadway, Lindenhurst, NY.
This is an ARRL approved Hamfest.

There will be radio equipment, electronic componets, computers and access-ories, softeware, books, technical manulas, ARRL information, Amateur Radio License Exams, Door Prizes.

Advanced registration is $15.00 each table. Tables at the door are $20.00 each. Contact Peter Portanova WB2OQQ at 516 541-4886 for table reserations. NO TABLES WILL BE RESERVED WITHOUT PRIOR PAYMENT due to the space available.

General admission is $ 6.00. $5.00 with coupon. (Coupons will be available at the door.)

VE - ARRL - 12:00 NOON
For exam candidates please remember to bring your original FCC Amateur Radio license (if licensed), any C.S.C.E. forms that are pending, plus a photocopy of each, pens, calculator, formal form of ID (preferably photo ID),
and the examination fee, to the exam seesion. 1998 ARRL/VEC fee is $ 6.35, exact change is appreciated. Novice exams are free.
The VE team is from ISLIP ARES Group and GSBARC. Thanks guys.

Talk-in will be via GSBARC Repeaters on 146.685 4Z(136.5) PL.

Food Service during the Hamfest will be provided by members of the Knights of Columbus Council.

Information is also available during the GSBARC 2 meter info net every Monday evening at 7:00 pm following the Newsline Report on the W2GSB repeater, 146.685 -600 4Z(136.5) PL required. You may also write to:

Great South Bay ARC
P.O. Box 1356
West Babylon, NY 11704

E-mail GSBARC at info@gsbarc.or or visit GSBARC online at
http://www.gsbarc.org/hamfest.htm

NEXT HAMFEST- March 7, 1999, October 24, 1999

73,
GSBARC

1739. help with ic-706mk1 no hf tx

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: James Wilks <jwilks@orac.net.au>
Message-ID: <908622385.142019@zen.orac.net.au>
Source record: 128925

my ic706 mk 1 has stoped transmitting on HF & 6 metres but is fine on
2metres.
any ideas please reply
jim VK1UAL

jwilks@orac.net.au

1740. yaesu ft920

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: nik <sv9cai@her.forthnet.gr>
Message-ID: <70a109$88$1@sharon.forthnet.gr>
Source record: 128926

i want to know if this trx has problems.thanks

1741. FS/WTT: Yaesu VX1R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: N1QVE <harry@connix.com>
Message-ID: <36288A6D.D8F68F1A@connix.com>
Source record: 128927
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hi and thx for reading.
I have a like-new VX1R....pristine condition.... for sale or trade.

VX1R w/lithium battery, charger, antenna
Original box, all docs, warranty card
Yaesu soft case
Yaesu CN3 SMA-BNC adapter
VE3AYR's VX1R pocket guide

$220 shipped/BO/ or trade for/toward VHF brick (50, 220, 432MHz),
microwave gear (903, 1296), Kenwood 599 twins, vintage radio gear.

73
Harry

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Harry White
Yale School of Forestry and Environmental Studies
205 Prospect Street
New Haven, CT 06511
harry.white@yale.edu harry@connix.com

1742. Re: Sale 220mhz.amplifier

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: nj7a@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981017085227.25669.00002098@ng112.aol.com>
Source record: 128928

Jim,
If you still have the amp I'm looking for one. Consider it sold. Let me know,
also your phone number. Tnx.

>RF Concepts 200mhz FM/SSB amplifier with receive preamp. 30W in - 120W out.
>Used only a few hours. Asking $200.00 - I will ship. Jim, N4MDC
>
73 de
Dave nj7a
DN30

1743. ICOM AT-150 Automatic 9 band Autotuner $275

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dr. Al Link" <al.link@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <70a5nn$l32@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 128929
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

The rest of the station: Four antenna inputs, including LONG WIRE, allows fully automatic antenna SWITCHING as well as AUTOMATIC TUNING. Works on all 9 HF bands.

Exceptionally well built and well designed. A major addition to your station. Comes in original box, with manual, cables. This unit is 100 percent perfect.

$275 and you pay shipping. This unit cost $495 from AES.

If interested, return via email to al.link@worldnet.att.net

Thanks,

AL

1744. Re: Lincoln (Nebraska)Amateur Radio Club Action 10/25

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joel Mueller <mueller@cserve.com>
Message-ID: <70a7i7$52q1@iac7.navix.net>
Source record: 128930
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,misc.computers.forsale

Last year you had an unbelieveably bad computer accounting system? I got screwed out of a variac I bought. Your software claimed I was the seller NOT the buyer. Your people would not even try to correct the problem. The claim table sent me to the front table. The front table sent me to the claim table twice. Your people were too busy trying to get the software to work right. I finally had to take a check from you for the item I bought (?!?) and write you a refund check. Never did get an apology. No way to run an auction....

Joel

Wayne Faris wrote in message <3625F87B.56F350B6@navix.net>...
>The Lincoln Amateur Radio Club's annual auction will be held October
>25th at the Quality Inn at 52nd & Cornhusker Highway (Highway 6) in
>Lincoln, Nebraska. Check in time is 9:00 am with the actual auction
>beginning at 11:00 am. Talk-in will be on both 146.76 and 146.85
>repeaters.
>
>There will be loads of both ham radio and computer gear at this sale. A
>lot of bargains to be had. Bring a truck to haul it away!
>
>More info can be had on the club's website at:
>
> http://cit1.unl.edu.larc
>
>See you there!
>
>Wayne Faris, KEBZ
>

1745. Re: FS: FT-840

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Sull <w8imo@kellnet.com>
Message-ID: <362A4BE7.B403F1F@kellnet.com>
Source record: 128732

Bearcat@cloudnet.com wrote:

> For sale: Yeasu FT-840 with the FC 10 antenna tuner and Astron rs-35a
> amp. Set up for 11 meter also.

Great comment for rec.radio.AMATEUR.equipment.....

Bob
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(o o)
---73, Bob---oooO---O---Oooo---w8imo@kellnet.com---------------
What is the speed of dark?

1746. Motorola GTX 900Mhz handheld hack

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: ewart@olm1.com
Message-ID: <362a4b1f.252586140@nntp>
Source record: 128733

I have a need to hack the GTX. In the non-trunk mode, I want to narrow up the freq spacing down to 5mhz. the old space is from 896. to 906. and I need the split from 935. to 941. (TX on 935 and RX on 941.) Has anyone out there hacked this radio, or the RSS software? Thanks for the help.

1747. IC-735 full break-in relay query??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: gagnon@gagnon.fakeu-net.com
Message-ID: <362a4dff.151610@news.u-net.com>
Source record: 128734

I own an Icom 735. I would love to use the full break-in CW facilities
of this rig more often but I find the fast electromechanical relay
clicking it does on the full break-in rather annoying. I don't
understand why a rig of this age of manufacture has to use a relay
...why not use full transisitor silent high-speed switching. Is there
any way around this???

Larry MW0AWC
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to send me direct email remove "fake" from my email
address. Please don't try to sell me anything! Thanks
==========

1748. Im Looking for a cellular phone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: ***cummins@caramail.com
Message-ID: <362a4e70.2495566@news.videotron.ca>
Source record: 128735

Hello,

Im looking for a cellular phone, OKI 900, an old one, but
working, Or any one, but not portable. (handsheild) Remove the "*" in
front of my email address.

Thanks,

Marc..

1749. im looking for a cellular phone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: ***cummins@caramail.com
Message-ID: <362a4f86.2773953@news.videotron.ca>
Source record: 128736

Hello,

Im looking for a cellular phone, OKI 900, an old one, but
working, Or any one, but not portable. (handsheild) Remove the "*" in
front of my email address.

Thanks,

Marc..
***cummins@caramail.com

1750. DOS version of ADMS-like software?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Daniel J Velez <dvelez@citizen.infi.net>
Message-ID: <70dlk1ued1@nw001t.infi.net>
Source record: 128737
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Is there a DOS-based software for programming the FT-51R or the IC-207?

Thanks!

73 de Dan

1751. FS..Motorola Desktrak UHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: daffy@justducky.net
Message-ID: <362a5e9c.16918474@news.netins.net>
Source record: 128738
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

Fore sale Motorola UHF Desktrac Base Station. 450-470 MHz
model L545UM70D0A
$400.00 + Shipping certifide check or mony order
Don Brown (donaldb@bedford.heartland.net)
My E-Mail=<donaldb@bedford.heartland.net>. The one shown is for the SPAM BOTs

1752. Re: Recommend 2m small HT?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Ottria <Gottria@Inreach.com>
Message-ID: <NmtW1.24133$D5.17104886@news.inreach.com>
Source record: 128739

You may want to change that antenna order from the Comet to the Diamond. The Comet does not have good reception on the BC Band. I bought the same antenna and could not receive the AM stations so I took it back and got the Diamond SRH-519. Much better. Also the newer versions of the Vx-1R receives AM MUCH better that the older versions. If you hold down the "AR" button while powering up the radio it will give the screen test mode. If you press the "AR button over and over again you will see the LCD characters move. If you see some numbers, A103, A104, A105, that is the version number. If you don't see any numbers don't panic Thats the A106 version that will receive AM better.

Greg Ottria KE6PTP
Castro Valley, California
Gottria@Inreach.com
Lewis Gregory wrote in message <3627e32c.6609531@news.earthlink.net>...
>On 16 Oct 1998 18:20:27 GMT, ddgsk@tic.net wrote:
>
>>I'm interested in getting a small HT around the size of the VX-1R, or even
>>smaller. Relevant criteria are:
>>
>>1) Small size
>>2) Ability to scan general VHF and AM/FM (HF would be great, but probably
>>doesn't exist)
>>3) Good output-- 300-500mw minimum
>>4) AM band reception (640kc to 1600)
>>5) 2m and 440 great, but if not at least whatever is better in NYC these
>>days (haven't been on 2m and 440 in ages)
>>
>>Thank you. Please respond here, not via e-mail.
>>
>>P.S. Is the VX-1R state of the art, anything better? what are the
>>immediate competitors?
>
> I think the VX-1R is the only radio that meets every one of your
>requirements, because I think it's the only one that's got AM band
reception. I
>was looking at the Icom Q7A, since it was $30 cheaper ($199 at HRO in
Atlanta
>vs. $229 for the VX-1R) but I decided to go for the Yaesu for several
>reasons--prior positive experiences with Yaesu products, the VX-1R's AM
band,
>and the fact that the VX-1R comes with a rechargeable battery (the Q7A
takes two
>AAs). The VX-1R will do 2m and 70cm, AM, FM, airband, you name it--pretty

much
>everything from 76 to 999 MHz, except for Those Frequencies Which The FCC
Deems
>Unacceptable (i.e., cellular). I think the Q7A is continuous from 30 to
1300
>MHz except for cellular.
>
> So far I like my VX-1R, aside from lousy out-of-band reception with the
stock
>antenna (but I just took care of that, ordered a Comet SMA-3 from HRO). I
>haven't transmitted with it yet, but I'm very pleased with the receive
audio
>(better than I expected from a radio that small) and the features. I think
>it'll do very well as a backup (and *very* portable) HT. Be warned,
though,
>I've found the AM reception is poor with the stock antenna unless you're
very
>close to a really high-power station.
>
>
>Check six,
>Lewis "Moose" Gregory
+--
>lewisgregory@earthlink.net | ICQ UIN 745844 Amateur Radio:
KS4RY
>Columbia, South Carolina
+--
>Confederate States of America | WarBirds: "moose-"
>-----------------------------------+-----------------------------------
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> Proud Member of the Flying Pigs Squadron - http://www.flyingpigs.com
> OINK! OINK! TO WAR!!
>---

> "Dammit, Beavis, quit screwing around. We've got an experiment to do."

1753. Re: VX1-R Power plug

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: clintbrad4d@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <70drgqlej1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128740

In article <362A1B1F.4C25C859@kellnet.com>,
Bob Sull <w8imo@kellnet.com> wrote:
> A friend told me that he saw somebody selling the coaxial power plugs
> that fit the VX1-R.

They use to have a link on:

http://www.icongrp.com/~sllewd/

...I believe Mouser Electronics carries them - with straight cord attached.

- Clint Bradford

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1754. FS: Yaesu ADMS-2D Software and PC Cable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: kf6dbh <jcssow@jps.net>
Message-ID: <362A65B0.AF523718@jps.net>
Source record: 128741

Yaesu ADMS-2D Software and PC Cable used to program FT-8100R, FT-8000R, FT-8500, FT-3000M in original box. $35.00 shipped in CONUS. Reason: Sold

radio. Jim, KF6DBH, kf6dbh@qsl.net

1755. FS: TimeWave DSP-59+

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: w1ksz@tiac.net
Message-ID: <362a6c9e.4852983@news.tiac.net>
Source record: 128742

Mint TimeWave DSP, model 59+ for sale. $175 shipped.
73, Dick, W1KSZ

1756. (/\/\)OTOROLA BASE STATION $375

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: sourcebook@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <70dt19nhm1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128743

The Motorola M120 radio is ideal for your mobile or stationary radio communication needs. This model is a two channel, UHF unit. It includes a standard microphone and a base station type microphone. The radio also includes an Astron RS-12A power supply I've also included the power wires to attach the radio to the power supply. All you need is an antenna! This radio is in "like new" condition and works great. It can be used in a vehicle or base station enviroment. The exact Motorola model number is M44GMC20A3AA. The speaker is built into this model. Yes, this radio is programmable and can accept PL codes. Interested buyers pleae e-mail me and I well forward you a picture. The reduced price is $375. GOOD LUCK!!!

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1757. WTB Radio Shack HTX-100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ralph M. Ferrara" <rmf218@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <Oz6rfsu#9GA.252@upnetnews02.moswest.msn.net>
Source record: 128744

I'm looking for clean RS HTX-100 10m ssb mobile rig. Please forward any response to rmf218@msn.com Thanks Ralph WA2NTK

1758. Re: DOS version of ADMS-like software?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: miltonm@realtime.net
Message-ID: <70du33$f8k@ghostwheel.bga.com>
Source record: 128745
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <70dlk1ued1@nw001t.infi.net>,
Daniel J Velez <dvelez@citizen.infi.net> wrote:
>Is there a DOS-based software for programming the FT-51R or the IC-207?
>
>Thanks!
>
>73 de Dan

Although I don't think there is a version already compiled, the linux
based software has the c code to send the right characters and would
only need some serial code written at most. Anyone upto it?

milton

1759. Re: How do you like FT-50RD?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stu Olson <solson@usa.net>
Message-ID: <70dvh3$4ct$1@oak.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 128746

Brana From YU wrote in message <6vrc06qcl1@SOLAIR2.EUnet.yu>...
>I'd like to buy a Yaesu FT-50RD. So tell me something about it.
>Post to kbrana@Eunet.yu . Thanks.
>

Go to:
http://home.earthlink.net/~n7qjp/index.html
Select the Ham Radio link and then select the Equipment Comments link. You will find several reviews on HTs, including one for the the FT-50RD. Hope this helps.

73.......Stu

1760. FS Collins S Line

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dale N. Richardson" <aa5xe@sat.net>
Message-ID: <01bdfafc$5f035b40$4a3ce0cf@aa5xe.sat.net>
Source record: 128747
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

For Sale: 32S-1 Transmitter, 75S-1 Receiver, both winged emblem. 312B-4 Station Console round emblem. Equipment is in excellent condition, very clean, and works great. Cables, manuals for 32S1 (orig) and 75S1 (copy), mike connector, and Heath HP-23 Power Supply included. Prefer not to break up. Shipping is from Junction, TX 76849. Price is $750 plus shipping. Will consider trade for 6m amplifier or 2m all mode transceiver. I can be reached at 915-446-4607 or email: aa5xe@sat.net

1761. FS Heath SB-220

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dale N. Richardson" <aa5xe@sat.net>
Message-ID: <01bdfafd$10d97ac0$4a3ce0cf@aa5xe.sat.net>
Source record: 128748
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

For Sale: Heath SB-220 Linear Amplifier, 80-10 meters, uses 2 3-500Z tubes. New filter caps in power supply, has soft key mod and new parasitic suppression kit. Looks and works fine. Manual included. I am original owner. $575 plus shipping from Junction, TX 76849. I can be reached at 915-446-4607 or email aa5xe@sat.net
73 de Dale AA5XE

1762. F.S. TUBES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: BOB BIEKER <n9tew@jorsm.com>
Message-ID: <362A90C1.3B20BA6@jorsm.com>
Source record: 128749
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.shortwave

NOS TUBES
MATCHED PAIR OF 6JS6C TUBES PLUS A 12BY7A DRIVER (BULK PACK RCA SILVERTONE) 64.00 (32.00 EACH). MATCHED PAIR OF 6146W OR 6JB6A PLUS A 12BY7A (RCA BULK PACK SILVER TONE) 36.00 (18.00 EACH). 6LQ6 32.00 ,6LR6 25.00 , 6KD6 30.00 , 6JG6 25.00 ,6LF6 OR 20LF6 40.00, GE 8908 75.00 .OTHER TUBES ARE AVAILABLE .USED TUBES ARE ALSO AVAILABLE FOR 50% OFF. ALL TUBES ARE TESTED . BEST TO EMAIL ME AT n9tew@jorsm.com

1763. FS Collins 30L-1 Amplifier

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dale N. Richardson" <aa5xe@sat.net>
Message-ID: <01bdfafd$79a3f4e0$4a3ce0cf@aa5xe.sat.net>
Source record: 128750
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FS: Collins 30L-1 Linear Amplifier, WE, 80-10 meters. Super clean and works great. Extra set of finals and manual included. $575 plus shipping from Junction, TX 76849. I can be reached at 915-446-4607 or email aa5xe@sat.net
Tnx es 73
Dale AA5XE

1764. FS AEA PK-232 MBX TNC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dale N. Richardson" <aa5xe@sat.net>
Message-ID: <01bdfafd$ef917880$4a3ce0cf@aa5xe.sat.net>
Source record: 128751
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FS PK-232MBX TNC. cables for Icom and Yaesu FT-900. Manual and PC Packratt software. $125 plus shipping from Junction, TX 76849. I can be reached at 915-446-4607 or email aa5xe@ sat.net
Tnx es 73,
Dale AA5XE

1765. Re: Motorola MX340/350 Crystal Elements

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: davev@ccnn.net
Message-ID: <362A9A10.6BF7@ccnn.net>
Source record: 128752
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,uk.radio.amateur

TechText wrote:
>
> Hi all,
>
> I am looking for plug-in crystal elements (CEs I think they're called) for
> Motorola MX340 and MX350 UHF radios. These elements were pulled from the
> radios I have.
>
> Anyone able to help?
>
> Jan Buiting
> PE1CSI
> techtext@worldonline.nl

Try Dan at National Radio: (this is the last email I had):
mailto:NationalRadio@worldnet.att.net

good luck.

1766. FS Collins CP-1 Crystal Pack

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dale N. Richardson" <aa5xe@sat.net>
Message-ID: <01bdfb01$2be7ea00$4a3ce0cf@aa5xe.sat.net>
Source record: 128753
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FS Collins CP-1 Crystal Pack, 125 crystals, no rips or tears in case, lettering is clear and crisp. $225 plus shipping from Junction, TX 76849. I can be contacted at 915-446-4607 or email aa5xe@sat.net
Tnx es 73,
Dale AA5XE

1767. FS: FT 990AC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Schuckert <mikes@newulmtel.net>
Message-ID: <362AA2CC.6648@newulmtel.net>
Source record: 128754
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

This radio is in fine condition and has original box and its documentation. $1250.00 shipped

1768. Re: Kenwood TM-G707 Mod Info.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Pemble <pemble@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <70e997$n8d@sjx-ixn3.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 128755

There are 2 "standard" mods from Kenwood, and one "discovered".
The first extends receive range to
118.0 - 174.0
320.0 - 525.0
800.0 - 950.0

The second opens up transmit range for CAP/MARS.

From the Kenwood site, get the mod for extended receive. In addition to the W501 jumper to cut, also cut the jumper next to it. Both of them are obvious -- large green loop jumpers next to each other. (mod instructions can be gotten at ftp.kenwood.net)

For full xmit capability, follow the instructions for the TMV-7A mod with one exception, remove SM Resistor number 1 (not the number 0 for TM-V7A mod!).

The TM-V7A mod can be found at the QRZ site www.qrz.com. look under radio mods, and then TM-V7A.

The drawback to this mod, is that you lose the auto repeater offset capability.

I performed all three mods to my TM-G707A on Saturday (10/17) and they work flawlessly.

(credit for the first two mods to Kenwood, the last to KC4KZT)

cheers

Rick W4RP

Tom Bell wrote in message <36295a3d.41521231@news.ici.net>...
>Looking for modification information for Kenwood FM Tranceiver
>TM-G707.
>/tom

1769. "Sport Radios"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul <pgs@northnet.org>
Message-ID: <362AAA75.56E6EBDD@northnet.org>
Source record: 128756

Some of you must get the Cabela's catalog and have noticed that they carry a radio that goes by the name of SMR 2000 VHF Transceiver. They have up to 2 watts of rx and come equipped with 151.4 and 151.625 MHz operation. They also make other models. SMR stands for Southern Marine Research and the one that I saw was made in China. I can not find anything on the net about this manufacturer. I was able to look at the inside of one of these radios and found 6 of what I believed are crystals. None of them are marked with the actual operating freqs. but are marked something like 10.xxxx MHz or 37.xxxx MHz etc. I believe that the radios can be changed to another "sport / business" frequency but not sure how. Are these radios software programable? There does not seem to be an easy way to change the crystals. Can any one shed some light on these radios? Thanks in advance.
Paul

1770. Re: Info: Alinco DJ-C5T mod?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Vlack <k2dv@rochester.rr.com>
Message-ID: <362AD203.A06F1222@rochester.rr.com>
Source record: 128757

Yes , there is an extended TX mod. Open up the back cover, clip the small red wire that is there, and close it back up. Turn on the radio while holding the function and MW button. It now transmits where it hears. BUT it also erases anything you had in the memories, so be sure you copy that info first!
Good luck
--

73 from
Don Vlack K2DV

1771. FA: Amateur Radio Manuals, 60s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Etter <retter@bright.net>
Message-ID: <362AB831.1E83@bright.net>
Source record: 128758

Amateur Radio Booklets -- All for one bid!!

1st is Learning the Radiotelegraph Code, by ARRL, 1963. 48 pages.
Course on learning code.

2nd is The Radio Amateur's License Manaul, by ARRL, 1964.108 pages.
Discusses various class of licenses, US regulations and
international regulations.

3rd is How to Become A Radio Amateur, by ARRL, 1964. 126
Pages. Includes schemtics and construction plans for simple
Rx and Tx
for beginners.

4th is Operating An Amateur Radio Station, by ARRL, 1964. 19
pages. Operating practices, field activities, FCC regs, Public
service communications.

Thanks for looking!!

Start bid -- $4.99

See at:
http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=36367724

1772. FS:Yaesu FT-50R Dual Band, VHF/UHF, Hand-Held Transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg <greg-h@earthlink.com>
Message-ID: <362AC793.39C54BA9@earthlink.com>
Source record: 128759
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For sale Yaesu FT-50R Dual Band, VHF/UHF, Hand-Held Transceiver with
Digital Voice Recorder option (FTT-12 Keypad). All of the
modifications were done to be able to receive and transmit on the
specified extended frequencies.
This radio is currently auctioned at E-BAY. See the following bookmark.

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=36689087

1773. stewart-warner 138

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: ocatt@concentric.net
Message-ID: <70ei6d$ri6@chronicle.concentric.net>
Source record: 128760

Hello, I was wondering if anyone had any info or sites for a Stewart-Warner Model 138. Please email me at ocatt@concentric.net. Do not email me if you are soliciting anything except SW 138. I don't want junk email.

Thanks
oCatt

1774. FS Hallicrafters S108

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Asp <larry.asp@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <3629385C.6E62@sympatico.ca>
Source record: 128790
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave

Hallicrafters S108 receiver,decent shape, in working condition, $75.00
plus packing and shipping.

1775. FS Knight P2/SWR/Pwr meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Asp <larry.asp@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <36293AB0.478C@sympatico.ca>
Source record: 128791
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Nic clean Knight P2/SWR?Pwr meter. Handles up to 1KW, and 1.8mc - 432mc.
$25.00 plus shipping(aprox. $5.00)

1776. Re: TH-79 hidden features

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: propage1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981017205412.20550.00002228@ng114.aol.com>
Source record: 128792

check out qrz.com and search their radio mods section

1777. FS MFJ CW Filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Asp <larry.asp@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <36294161.18B6@sympatico.ca>
Source record: 128793
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

MFJ CW2 CW Filter. Clean/Working. $20.00 plus postage.

1778. /\/\OTOROLA P110S UHF COMPLETE $180

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: sourcebook@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <70cp8j$45o$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128794

These are UHF P110s some as new as 1994. Each radio includes a battery, standard charger, and antenna. The radios are 4 watts and two channels. These are priced to sell at $180 each. Please e-mail me if your interested. Thank You.

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1779. Modifications for IC-T8

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: mick@uq.net.au
Message-ID: <36295535.6414782@news.uq.net.au>
Source record: 128795

Hi there,

Can you give me the mods for the IC-T8 hand held. Esp TX on 477 Mhz
UHF CB

Thank you

Mick
VK4JHM

mick@uq.net.au

1780. Kenwood TM-G707 Modes??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: w1xs@ici.net
Message-ID: <36295611.40452573@news.ici.net>
Source record: 128796

Looking for any Modification data for the Kenwood TM-G707 transceiver.
/Tom

1781. The Boatanchor Classifieds

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Boatanchor Classifieds <"The Boatanchor Classifieds"@dealamerica.com>
Message-ID: <36295EC4.B4034289@dealamerica.com>
Source record: 128797

Hi all,

You are cordially invited to The Boatanchor Classifieds. It's free, and all ads are INSTANTLY posted. This brand new site is well organized and contains useful links and info. The more you use the service the faster it will grow.. Please take the time to visit and post some ads!

http://dealamerica.com/deal/cgi-bin/ads/bcads.cgi

1782. Kenwood TM-G707 Mod Info.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: w1xs@ici.net
Message-ID: <36295a3d.41521231@news.ici.net>
Source record: 128798

Looking for modification information for Kenwood FM Tranceiver
TM-G707.
/tom

1783. Boston electronic shacks?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: aaronp@removeme-shore.net
Message-ID: <vkdW1.9$OZ4.7028@news.shore.net>
Source record: 128799

Does anyone know of any good electronic stores for equipment in the Boston area? I don't have a car so it needs to be somewhat near a T bus or subway line. I am relatively new here and havent found any good parts stores. I have checked the web and phone book with poor results. Any recommendations?

Aaron Price, 011011011
www.aavso.org
Systems Administrator, American Association of Variable Star Observers

1784. Kenwood TM-G707 Mod Info (2nd Try)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: w1xs@ici.net
Message-ID: <36296482.44150485@news.ici.net>
Source record: 128800

Looking for modification information for Kenwood FM Tranceiver
TM-G707.
/tom w1xs@ici.net

1785. Ten-Tec 229 Antenna Tuner Kit??????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: wd4ixe@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981018004532.14849.00002422@ng115.aol.com>
Source record: 128801

Just found tentec 229 kit for 2kw antenna tuner. All there except hook up wire.Anyone have an idea what would be acceptable size? Tentec< in the instructions call it lead wire. The hookups are like from wafer switch to ground etc.

Mike

1786. Re: Grundig YachtBoy 400 vs. Sony ICF-SW7600G

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim Rhind <rhind@autobahn.mb.ca>
Message-ID: <36297545.AAF62701@autobahn.mb.ca>
Source record: 128802
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

Check out this link for good reviews of receivers. They even commented on the poorer performance of the YB500 over the YB400.

http://www.rnw.nl/realradio/rx_pdf.html

Adam Trent Phillips wrote:

> In a previous article, mwatry@shrike.depaul.edu (Mike Watry) says:
>
> >Anyone ever hear of the Grundig YB500? I picked one up in Spain this
> >spring, and have been pretty happy with it (although I don't have
> >anything to compare it to). It sounds like you can't get them in the
> >US. I was trying to find one of the Satellit 700 radios, but I don't
> >think Grundig makes them anymore...
> >
>
> I have tried the YB 500, and I found it to be inferior to the YB
> 400 of the Sony 7600G. The ones I tried seemed to have a lot of
> microphonics (IE: you tap the radio on it's side and you hear the sound of
> it come out the speaker. It means that some component is acting as a
> microphone.). The YB400 and 7600G both are just better built and designed
> radios.
>
> --
> Member of the Signal Surfer DX Club, check out our web site at our NEW URL:
> http://www.swl.net/signal
>
> bb099@cleveland.freenet.edu 73 de A. Trent Phillips

1787. MOTOROLA SPECTRA A7 FRONT PANEL NEEDED .!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: fox/mulder@usa.net
Message-ID: <70cafn$kl0$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128803

If anyone has spare or used front panel (plastic with holes and plastic keys for Spectra A7 model of mobile radio please contact me .!!!

fox/mulder@usa.net

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Trustno1, do you ??

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1788. MOTOROLA SPECTRA A7 FRONT PANEL NEEDED .!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: fox/mulder@usa.net
Message-ID: <70cagp$kl3$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128804

If anyone has spare or used front panel (plastic with holes and plastic keys for Spectra A7 model of mobile radio please contact me .!!!

fox/mulder@usa.net

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1789. MOTOROLA SPECTRA A7 FRONT PANEL NEEDED .!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: sixkiller@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <70cahn$kl6$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128805

If anyone has spare or used front panel (plastic with holes and plastic keys for Spectra A7 model of mobile radio please contact me .!!!

fox/mulder@usa.net

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1790. Re: Boston electronic shacks?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: roncook@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <362bcb55.35025691@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 128806

Aaron, two stores I use:

Electronic Planet, 168 Cummings Park, (Washington Street) in Woburn,
MA. 01801 (617-932-6800) and You-Do-It Electronics in Needham.

YDI has a greater variety of small parts and quite a range of
electronics-related tools and test equipment. EP has a variety of
computer hardware and software - and knowledgeable staff.

Unfortunately, I've not found any ham-related outlets closer than HRO
in Salem, NH.

On Sun, 18 Oct 1998 03:33:47 GMT, aaronp@removeme-shore.net wrote:

> Does anyone know of any good electronic stores for equipment in the
>Boston area? I don't have a car so it needs to be somewhat near a T bus or
>subway line. I am relatively new here and havent found any good parts
>stores. I have checked the web and phone book with poor results. Any
>recommendations?
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>
>Aaron Price, 011011011
>www.aavso.org
>Systems Administrator, American Association of Variable Star Observers

Ron N1ZHI
roncook@att.net
cook@amsa.com <-- preferred
cooky@delphi.com

1791. Re: soon-to-be-ham looking for used equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: cgibbs@freenet.columbus.oh.us
Message-ID: <70cjub$4gs@login.freenet.columbus.oh.us>
Source record: 128807

Oxygen (oxygen@ttlc.net) wrote:
: i am looking for a mobile radio and/or equipment for a base station
: thanks
: Bob O'Neill (oxygen@ttlc.net

just a thought --- many of the larger dealers (such as Universal Radio)
also carry used (but tested) equipment.... they do tend to take some of
the risk out of buying used stuff.

--
C. W. Gibbs <cgibbs@gcfn.org>
----------- "Laziness Breeds Efficiency" -------------

Psalm 119:112 also at <KC8KQL@juno.com>

1792. Looking for ADE components

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wim <warnar@castel.nl>
Message-ID: <70ckr5$2rj$1@news.castel.nl>
Source record: 128808
Cross-posted to: misc.industry.electronics.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.components,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.misc,sci.electronics.repair

Hi,
I have a small microwave component from a ADE, the type number is CDM23
is there someone that has information from this device or the company.
Any help would be greatly appreciated.

Thanks,
Wim

1793. Tubes for sale!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: KEN CHAIT <atsi@herald.infi.net>
Message-ID: <3629F434.3432E09D@herald.infi.net>
Source record: 128809
Cross-posted to: rec.audio.tubes,rec.audio.marketplace,alt.guitar,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave

[No readable article body recovered]

1794. FS: ICOM AT-150 9 band autotuner $275

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dr. Al Link" <al.link@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <70cr76$p3e@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 128810
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

The rest of the station: Four antenna inputs, including LONG WIRE, allows fully automatic antenna SWITCHING as well as AUTOMATIC TUNING. Works on all 9 HF bands.

Exceptionally well built and well designed. A major addition to your station. Comes in original box, with manual, cables. This unit is 100 percent perfect.

$275 and you pay shipping. This unit cost $495 from AES.

If interested, return via email to al.link@worldnet.att.net

Thanks,

AL

1795. INFO NEEDED ON 784B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Pendergast <pender@gte.net>
Message-ID: <70cr8j$1ov$1@news-2.news.gte.net>
Source record: 128811

I am considering buying an MFJ 784B DSP filter. Does anyone have
experience with this unit that they could share? Is this a DSP unit that
deserves serious consideration or should I be looking for other units?

Thanks for your opinions and input.
Mike KT4AN

1796. TFS House cleaning !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: KEN CHAIT <atsi@herald.infi.net>
Message-ID: <3629ED6F.B0ADAA25@herald.infi.net>
Source record: 128812
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.audio.tubes,rec.audio.marketplace

1 Tele NOS ECH81 $8.00. 1 ea. Tele, Amperex NOS EF89/6DA6 $6.00. 1 matched pair Sovtek 6922 NIB low noise $10.00. 6 JAN 6922 NIB $12.00. 1 Philips Minwatt Holland 7308 gp $8.50. 1mp Int'l Svc. Master 6922 gp(Amperex) $8.00. 1 pr. Tesla ECC803S gp $20.00. 8 used clean ck'd Mullard/ Holland Gp 6922 $16.00 all. 8 NOS 7199 $18.50 ea. 6 -7119 Amperex PQ NOS $9.50 ea. 10 Tungsram Hungary 6GW8's $45.00 all. 3-6CW4 1-6DS4(nuvistors NOS) $25.00 all. 6- 6V4/EZ80 NOS England(Brimar) Syl,GE labeled and boxed $20.00 all. 4 NOS 6AW8A's $10.00 all. 4 NOS RCA 6146(not AB) $25.00 all. 5 US NOS OB2's $10.00 all. 9 US OA2's $20.00 all. Add $6.00 min. S&H. All tubes tested B4 shipment.

Ken Chait/ FL.(check or moneyorder)
Orders only please ! Call 1-800-273-7234
Advantage Tube Services
Plantation, Fl.

1797. Re: Radar Gun for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lewis Barnett <labdab@sprint.ca>
Message-ID: <GjnW1.14314$re.2373388@HME2.newscontent-01.sprint.ca>
Source record: 128813
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.misc, sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

Touche' . I knew it was only a matter of time before someone called me on that and look here I am reading again. Lets just say that when you invest this much time in something you have to see how it all turns out. Oh and might I add how astute you seem to be. It usually takes most people a lot more than a few lines in a Newsgroup ad to discover just how intelligent I really am.
Kent Atwater wrote in message <36296E2F.671B@bizbox.com>...
>Lewis Barnett wrote:
>>
>> Well done Bill. I can't believe that I actually sat here and read every
>> message in this thread and this is the first one that asked the question
>> that was going through my mind the whole time, "What has this got to do with
>> a For-Sale ad or ham radio?"
>
>I can't believe someone as intelligent as you would read every message
>in a thread that you don't think even belongs here, or you are not
>interested in seeing continue. Perhaps I am the idiot, but your message
>here suggests to me that you can't imagine why this thread is here, yet
>it is so interesting that you can't seem to miss reading a single post
>in it. If you like reading it so much, be carefull to not give the
>impression that you don't think it belongs here.

1798. Re: local disable of 800 MHz cellphones?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3640fed8.91774818@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 128814

On Sat, 17 Oct 1998 22:29:13 GMT, aaronp@removeme-shore.net wrote:

>Such a device is about to be sold in Israel:
>
>http://www.netline.co.il/new/c-guard.htm
>
> It is very small. It must not be a jammer per se because they claim it
>can be used where RF emissions could harm equipment like on aircraft and
>in hospitals.

It is a jammer per se. The webpage says it jams the control channel
frequencies of the cellular system. That's very very illegal here.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

1799. FS Johnson Ranger

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Asp <larry.asp@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <362A04A6.6FE0@sympatico.ca>
Source record: 128815
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Listed my Johnson Viking Ranger on Ebay. Searching E Bay with "Johnson Viking Ranger" will find it for you.

1800. Re: FS Johnson Ranger

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: wetartie@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <N.101898.113615.39@vna-va17-35.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 128816
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

On 10/18/98 11:10AM, in message <362A04A6.6FE0@sympatico.ca>, Larry Asp <larry.asp@sympatico.ca> wrote:

> Listed my Johnson Viking Ranger on Ebay. Searching E Bay with "Johnson
> Viking Ranger" will find it for you.

How about listing this as "FA", or "FA on eBay", so we don't have to waste our time reading an ad which leads us to believe we can actually *buy* it (For Sale), rather than *bid* on it (For Auction)?

Thanks,

-bill
KB3PT

1801. Converson of Cherokee AH100 for 10 Meter Ops - Clarifier mod 1 khz mod ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: k3jim@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <zFnW1.3$%61.114884694@newsreader.digex.net>
Source record: 128817

I just purchased an AH-100 CB to be coverted to 10 for the coming solar cycle. I was able to covert the thing to 10 ok but the conversion info for the so called 5khz split and rit xmit seem to be wrong.

What his rig needs is 1 khz increments and a open rit . Any ideas??? There is one web page with some wrong info that mentions a CRSE button this is actually for another rig. How bout the Cherokee people coming out with a real 10 meter version with FM ???

1802. FA-eBay: Turner mic, beautiful

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: k6sde@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <70d470$h7m$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128818

Only at $7.50 now; ends 2 days. Brushed chrome case, beautiful. Take a look.

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=35671367

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1803. Manual for FT23R or FT33R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke6tcg@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981018123235.11878.00002086@ng23.aol.com>
Source record: 128819

Just bought a used FT23R w/o instructions.
Does anyone have a copy of the manual, or can email me the general operating instructions?
tnx
73
ke6tcg
harry

1804. VX1-R Power plug

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Sull <w8imo@kellnet.com>
Message-ID: <362A1B1F.4C25C859@kellnet.com>
Source record: 128820

A friend told me that he saw somebody selling the coaxial power plugs
that
fit the VX1-R.

Does anybody have or know where these can be bought?

Tnx es 73
Bob

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(o o)
---73, Bob---oooO---O---Oooo---w8imo@kellnet.com---------------
What is the speed of dark?

1805. FS: Hamshack Laptop

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: CSR/md <receiver@erols.com>
Message-ID: <362A2A3A.60063823@erols.com>
Source record: 128821

Toshiba T4700CS laptop with Message Tracker, captures pager messages when connected to your HT. From what I understand this software was pulled off the market by the government, because it was so effective in logging pager info. I was lucky and had one of the early copies.

Also includesAcars software for airband downloads, Q&A database and more. 560MB HDD, 8 mgs. ram, window 3.1, PCMCIA slots etc.

$300.00 obo COD-CASH or credit card

Margo KF4PJP

1806. TEST

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0ngq@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <70d85c$mu1$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128822

Checking a problem with the News Server at dave-world.net........

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1807. Re: Bugcatcher coil for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Keith <nm5k@wt.net>
Message-ID: <362A20EB.4B4F@wt.net>
Source record: 128823
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

bryan wrote:
>
> Texas Bugcatcher coil 10-80 meters for sale. Built by Henry Allen at
> GLA. Great coil for mobile use. I am selling my truck and can't fit
> HF in the new Honda. $50 plus UPS.
Still have it? I can use a extra coil.. MK

1808. Re: FS: Kenwood TM-733A Dual Band

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: lilpin0y4u@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981018133958.15129.00002168@ng123.aol.com>
Source record: 128824

hi michael,
im interested in buying your radio,this radio come's with
separation kit let me know pls. shipped it to this address:

Ric Ramos
Signal Technology
975 Benecia Ave.
Sunnyvale Ca, 94086
so is in good working condition and good shape...send the radio soon...e-mail
to this address...lilpin0y4u@aol.com

1809. FS: Kenwood TS-830S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: ks9j@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <70ddlc$v0j$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128825

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Kenwood TS-830S
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- 10-160m including WARC bands
- CW/USB/LSB
- Solid state front end with digitial tuning/readout
- 6146 tube finals (~120W CW output),
great for antennas that aren't quite resonate
- Variable Bandpass Tuning (VBT)
- Notch filter
- IF shift
- VOX
- Copy of owners manual
- Excellent condition!

$475 OBO. Will consider trades. Money order
preferred. Will wait ten days after depositing
personal or cashier checks before shipping the
box (sorry, no exceptions). Will split shipping
costs with buyer. Five day money back guarantee
if DOA.

Larry KS9J (Indiana)
haak@hsonline.net

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1810. FS TS-520S and accessories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wayne Reynolds <wreynolds@odyssey.on.ca>
Message-ID: <70ddfhktj1@mur2.odyssey.on.ca>
Source record: 128826

For Sale Kenwood TS-520s HF Xcvr. in mint shape with manual and a set of new finals and driver tube. Also includes an MC-50 mic.

Asking $350.00

VE3JET

email address is wreynolds@odyssey.on.ca

1811. FS: Index QRP++ $375 shipped

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3bj@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <70deb9vsu1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128827
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale: Index Labs QRP++, late SN 1398. Has the AGC "pop" mod, which works and a small momentary on switch on top for tuning purposes (well done). Very nice condition, must be one of the latest produced with that SN. Just have too many rigs. This radio works FB and looks the same. Original manual, box and ICOM mike included.

$375 shipped

Alan, N3BJ
Bent Mountain, VA

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1812. Need element spacing info on Cushcraft 225WB (220 MHz yagi)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: aci6@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981018152617.01840.00002454@ng94.aol.com>
Source record: 128828

Hello All,

I currently have a Cushcraft 220B, 17 element, 19' boom 220 antenna (This is the older version.)

I would like to get the element spacing information on the CURRENT Cushcraft 220 Boomer, the 225WB, for comparison purposes.

If you have this information, I would appreciate a reply via email.

Thanks,

Bill

1813. FOR SALE EX. COND. A TS-430S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Skip Kritcher <twi4@evansinet.com>
Message-ID: <362A45B8.4BFC337E@evansinet.com>
Source record: 128829
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: vcard.vcf

Have a TS-430S and a MC-60 desk Mic For Sale for $425.00 (firm).

Contact Skip (209) 892-8651
or email twi4@evansinet.com

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

1814. FS: FT-840

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bearcat@cloudnet.com
Message-ID: <362A4A35.D342F7A2@cloudnet.com>
Source record: 128830

For sale: Yeasu FT-840 with the FC 10 antenna tuner and Astron rs-35a amp. Set up for 11 meter also. Best offer. Prefer minnesota location to avoid mailing due to weight. Have all manuals and warrenty registration cards. radio and amp is 1 year old and the tuner is 3 months old. Best offer.

1815. Re: DRAKE RV75 SYNTHESIZED VFO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: wz1u@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981019153207.01398.00001642@ng79.aol.com>
Source record: 128634

WHAT A JOKE !!!!!

1816. Repeater for sale - Exec II, RLC-Club, etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: srwhite@ibm.net
Message-ID: <362b93bf.0@news3.ibm.net>
Source record: 128635

Because of installation issues and the fact that I might be moving within
the next few months, I have been forced to abandon my repeater project.
So now I've decided to sell it. Here's what I have:

Link Communications RLC-Club Repeater Controller
Price: $700 (All options included here cost over $900 new with shipping)
Features:
- 800 User Macros
- Voice Synthesizer
- Built-in 8 Second DVR
- Latest Firmware (v1.79)
- 2 Seperate Radio/Repeater Ports (By way of included Deluxe Module)
- 8 Contact Closure Outputs
- 4 Analog Inputs
Includes:
- Controller
- RLC-Deluxe Expander Module
- (1) RLC-ADM Audio Delay Module
- (1) Temperature Sensor
- (1) Original Manual
- (2) Copies of Manual
- Radio Connecting Cables (DB-9)
- FREE SHIPPING (UPS Ground, lower 48) in Original Box!
- Total Cost New $850
- NEVER USED IN THE FIELD!

Visit The Link Communications Home Page at http://www.link-comm.com for more information
on this controller.

GE Mastr Exec II Radios
Price: $225
Includes:
- (1) Exec II Rare "56" Split Tuned and Crystalled for 146.955-
- Duplexed Electronically and Mechanically and Ready for Use
- GE UHS Preamp Installed on Above Radio
- (1) Exec II "66" Split for Parts
- Home-Built Rack-Mount Control Head with Cable
- Exec II Service Manual

Rack Mount Control Head Features/Includes:
- Terminal Strips Terminate all Radio Control Lines
- Controls for Monitor Volume and Repeater Squelch
- 1/8" Jack for Local Monitor Speaker

- Radio Power and Control Head Power Switches
- PTT Control Selection Switch (Toggles Controller PTT and Manual PTT)
- CAS to COR Converted
- DC Blocking on all Audio Lines
- Built-In Comm-Spec TS-32P CTCSS Encoder/Decoder
- Backup PL-Encoder (Unsure of model)
- Front Panel Selection of CTCSS Encoder
- Front Panel LED's Indicate TX, RX, Radio Power, Control Head Power
- All Outputs Terminate to Link-Communications Compatible DB-9 Connector

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Sinclair Hybrid Ring Duplexer
Price: $175
Features:
- >100dB Isolation at 500kc Seperation
- (4) 7" Diameter Cans, (2) Per Side
-New Cabling on Receive Side

Includes:
- Owners Manuals
- All Cables
- Female 'N' Connector Inputs And Ouputs

NOTE: These require experience in tuning and have have been known to work poorly in enviroments prone to wide temperature swings.

These also need work, there might be some additional cabling problems causing random bursts of RF to get into the receiver. Sold AS-IS.

I would prefer selling the whole thing as a package, and am willing to take a little more off the total package. I'll let it all go for $1,000 and I'll pay for shipping via UPS Ground in the lower 48.

For more information, please visit my web site at: http://mypage.ihost.com/unitedsound

Thanks,
Steve White
N2RWE
United Sound

1817. FT-50RD Squelch Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: luckj@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <70g6u9$2oa$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128636

I've got a new FT-50RD with a problem. Wondered if anyone else had the same problem. I hate to return it to Yaesu unless I have to.

I can't adjust the squelch to block channel noise but still receive transmissions. The squelch doesn' work until you crank it down to 1, then the channel noise cuts out. Problem is, it also cuts out any transmissions. There's no adjustability; just no squelch or all squelch.

Any ideas?

I tried a reset (power+knob+mon); that doesn't appear to work.

-JL

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1818. Question : SB104A finals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: remarsh@juno.com
Message-ID: <362FBE878BA36513.5746EEE5A8EE6869.1D61A26A89E6ACB9@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 128637

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can anyone tell me what will replace the 2N6456 transistors
in the finals ...Is there a cheap replacement ?
thank you
remarsh@juno.com
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1819. Re: FT-50RD Battery questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: luckj@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <70gcvd$b0b$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128638

I really don't see any problem with using nicad's in the dry cell case.
Yaesu doesn't recommend it because if shorted, the nicad's won't have any
protection and can cause the case to overheat. Yeah, might happen. Maybe
the transmissions from your radio will cause an airplane to malfunction and
land on top of you. It definitely works if you need a working battery pack
and you only have nicad AA's.

BUT.....nicad's aren't 1.5V each; they're only 1.2 or so volts. So, 4 AA's
give you 6V. 4 nicad's give you maybe 5 volts or so. It's not going to give
you the same output a "real" nicad pack would give you.

In article <70fpr2ece1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
valerie65@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> This is a double-barrled question. First part: Yaesu's instruction manual
> says: don't use rechargable NiCad AA batteries in the FBA-15 Dry Cell Case.
> But isn't recharging a NiCad exactly what you do when you recharge, say, an
> FNB-41?
>
> Second part: Yaesu's "original equipment" NC-50 Rapid Charger is priced out of
> sight. Can anyone recommend another rapid charger which would work safely and
> not break your bank book?
>
> Thanks,
> KE6OCM
>
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1820. Icom H12 ht... HELP!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: JJ Smith <jjsmith@ipa.net>
Message-ID: <70g82plab1@news.ipa.net>
Source record: 128639

Does anyone have any experience with this radio?

It is a 12 channel VHF transceiver with rotary switch,
12 position on top, to change channels, and two smaller
rotary knobs on top for squelch and volume.

Can anyone offer any help for this radio?

1821. Bycott E-bay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Phillip G. Johnson" <phillij1@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <362BAD53.6F73@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 128640

I recently did a bid at the ebay site. I was the actually high bidder on the item. I contacted the person by e-mail that I was interested. The party (Rich) did not respond to e-mail till this morning. After I had left to go to work. I returned this afternoon to find the e-mail and he said the first person to contact him would get the item. I called him and he said the item had already been sold. Hum, I thought that I had the bid. To my dismay, I didn't get the amp. Maybe I should boycott (Rich) the party. Maybe everyone should. I am not one to start to ugly rumors and such, but I was brought up by God- fearing parents, and I should always keep my word, and deal and treat with people as I would have them treat myself. I guess this world today is not the same as used to be. Being honest and dealing with people with an atitude that my parents taught me. No wonder our kids are the way they are today. No respect for others. Not all kids are that way. God bless the parents of children that still have values today.

I know this not the place for this type of submission, but I just had to relate my experience with e-bay and the party concerned (Rich)

Phillip Johnson KF4TGY

1822. For Sale: ADI-600HP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: tnguy202@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981019173011.01276.00002949@ng06.aol.com>
Source record: 128641

For Sale:

ADI 600HP Radio (Dual Band)
Includes all manuals, box, antenna, belt clip, 5 Watt battery.
The radio has been used two times and is in excellent condition, battery is only 1 week old, and the radio has no scratches, dents, etc. Kinda had some unexpected expenses that have come up, and do need to sale. I paid $299.00 for the radio plus 20.00 for the leather carrying case. Price $250.00 including shipping. If you are interested or have further questions, please send an email to TNGUY202@AOL.COM

73's
Brad

1823. WANTED***Old Synthesizers***etc**********

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: rolandman1@aol.com
Message-ID: <70gdilbom1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128642
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,alt.music-lover.audiophile.hardware

Hi folks :) I'm an electronic musician *seriously* looking for the following musical equipment, in any condition, even broken:

-OLD SYNTHESIZERS from the 60's-80's Moog, ARP, Oberheim, etc

-OLD KEYBOARDS w/ knobs or sliders Roland, Korg, Sequential, etc

-OLD DRUM MACHINES w/ terribly electronic sounds :)

-OLD SEQUENCERs w/ knobs for each step

-OLD VOCODERs for that "robot-voice" sound

-MODULAR PATCHABLE SYNTHESIZER GEAR, complete systems or individual modules - "Switched on Bach Moog", ARP 2600, Paia, anything similar.

-RACK SYNTHS, INTERESTING EFFECTS and anything related to the above.

-Moog, ARP, Korg, Roland, Sequential Circuits, Oberheim, Yamaha, EML, Electrocomp, EMS, Synthi, Putney (VCS3), RSF, Buchla, Serge, Polyfusion, Ionic, Paia, SMS, Wavemaker, E-mu, Steiner-Parker, Chroma, Aries, etc.

-Roland TB-303 Bassline

-Roland TR-909 Drum Machine

-Roland TR-808 Drum Machine
-Roland Compu-Rhythm

-Simmons SDS-7 + SDS-5 + SDS-6 Drum Brains and Sequencer

-Pearl SY-1 Syncussion

-E-mu SP-1200 Sampler Drum Machine

-Sequential Prophet VS rack
-Oberheim Xpander
-ARP 2600
-Korg MS-20/50
-Roland System 100m

Also looking for old literature on synths: magazines, brochures, books, etc.

If you have any of the above OR SIMILAR for sale or know someone who might, please email me at rolandman1@aol.com

and include phone number as well if you'd like.

Thanks in advance and apologies if this post annoys anyone.

-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1824. Help with Icom IC725

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: geomac@hop-uky.campus.mci.net
Message-ID: <geomac-1910981701390001@s09-pm39.snwestsac.campus.mci.net>
Source record: 128643

Hello,

I have an Icom IC725 which has developed a problem I have not seen before. There is no RF output on the 40 meter band, although 18-20 amps of current is still being drawn in the key down position on 40, and when modulated in the upper or lower SSB position, the power supply shows normal voice peak current draw.

The rig functions perfectly with full output on all the other bands and in every mode on those bands. I thought it might be a problem with the bandpass filter, but I would have thought this would shut down all current being drawn from the PA.

If anyone has any thoughts I would appreciate them.

Thanks and 73
George
W3GEO

1825. FS: Icom 2410 Dual Band Mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: cschmelz@mcw.edu
Message-ID: <cschmelz-1910981713400001@net-6-117.dhcp.mcw.edu>
Source record: 128644

For Sale

Icom 2410H Dual Band Mobile

Dual Display, V+V, U+U receive, 50 watts
15 memories, DTMF mic, Crossband repeat
does full 800 mhz receive on UHF side

Dual pigtails (2 antenna connectors, internal duplexer bypassed)
Fully modded for out-of-band transmit

CTCSS decode board
Voice Synthesizer Board

Crossband repeat/frequency can be controlled remotely with a DTMF capable
HT and the voice synthesizer will read back the operating frequencies to
you...

MMB-60 (Yaesu) quick release mounting bracket included ($30 new for bracket)

$250.00

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Chris Schmelzer, MS-2
Medical College of Wisconsin

Milwaukee, WI 53208

1826. EBAY auction Ten Tec 252MO power supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: d_perrin@conknet.com
Message-ID: <70ghdl$h9k$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128645

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=36772599

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1827. Re: Mods??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Kuziv <kuziv@magicnet.net>
Message-ID: <362BCD8C.4EC3@magicnet.net>
Source record: 128646

Peter wrote:
>
> I notice some ads state "no mods done to this radio." Does the value
> of a rig go up or down after mods have been performed?
>
> I have an Icom IC-2710H. On the 440 band -- within the normal freq
> range -- when I transmit with a "-" offset, I am getting whe word
> "off" on the display, and the radio is not sending out a signal. Am I
> going to have to do a mod in order to be able to Xmit on these
> legitimate frequencies?
>
> -----Peter
TRY A + OFFSET AND SEE WHAT HAPPENS!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
--
****
Mark Kuziv / KC4ZVK
Net Manager C.F.L.G.
Central Florida Listeners Group
http://www.swl.net/cflg/
****

1828. Re: DRAKE RV75 SYNTHESIZED VFO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: feinstei@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <362bcb0e.60318621@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 128647

On 19 Oct 1998 19:32:07 GMT, wz1u@aol.com (WZ1U) wrote:

>WHAT A JOKE !!!!!

I agree that $600.00 is a lot of money for an RV-75. However,
collectors have been known to pay this amount (I never would however).
I think a more reasonable price would be in the $400 range, but let
this guy try.....

1829. Radio Shack Simplex Repeater - Opinions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: pcr@ten.ci
Message-ID: <362bcdfa.0@news.ic.net>
Source record: 128648

Has anybody tried out the RS Simplex repeater? Any experiences?

--
...phil
Copyright, Phillip C. Reed, 1998.
Naughty words: eWorks! OT7 AOL bomb Green Card hack phreak breast sex
PGP fingerprint = C5 41 B5 9E B4 56 0C C3 26 FC B9 ED BC D7 CA 8B

1830. Re: SEA automatic antenna coupler questions..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: wizard@eskimo.com
Message-ID: <362bcb4b.1035509201@eskinews.eskimo.com>
Source record: 128649
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.ssb

It's called Stevens Engineering Associated and they originally made
the antenna coupler which the design was then "Ahem" borrowed by SGC .

On 19 Oct 1998 02:12:36 GMT, "Jim Warner" <jpwarner@gte.net> wrote:

>Sideband Engineering Associates, has in the past manufactured marine
>commgear,
>and currently produces an ACSB trunked radio system which is used where the
>bottom of our 220MHz once was. I have not dealt with them since 1995, but I
>think
>they're still around.
>Jim
>W1SBA/9
>
>
>wa6gsd@ix.netcom.com wrote in article <36297CF7.1799@ix.netcom.com>...
>> I have an antenna coupler (board only) that looks pretty much
>> like an SGC-230. Per the date codes on the chips, appears to be
>> made about 1985.. Was SGC once called SEA.. ?? Anyone have any
>> info on this?? I have 2 SGC-230's, and this unit sure appears
>> to be about the same.
>>
>> The board is marked PCB 1612-01 Rev B. There is also a number
>> 8026-16 in marker pen on the top of the PCB..
>>
>> Thanks in advance for any info..
>>
>> Steve-WA6GSD
>>

1831. Re: SEA automatic antenna coupler questions..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: wizard@eskimo.com
Message-ID: <362bc9f3.1035165290@eskinews.eskimo.com>
Source record: 128650
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.ssb

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>> 8026-16 in marker pen on the top of the PCB..
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1832. Yaesu FT-840 needs a doctor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: GreySoul <nunya@noway.com>
Message-ID: <362BD16D.336B5ACE@noway.com>
Source record: 128651

Hi, I have a Yeasu FT840 I got a couple years ago, and I recently moved...and well...it got smashed
I had it looked at quite a while ago, I know that a couple pots on the front panel are _DEAD_ I mean, the shaft's a bent and everything, I was also told that there's a problem wiht a daughter card or somehtign....not too sure on the details, but I know it's pretty bad....

what I'm looking for is advice on how to go about getting the thing fixed, I'm juts a no-code tech right now, but I used to listen and for a while it was inspiration to go up, but now that I dont have a radio to use....
anyways
can anyone help me out? should I send it to Yaesu, or get someone else to fix it or what?
thanks alot, ttyl
oh, and if you can _PLEASE_ reply to greysoul.nospam@hotmail.com (take out the .nospam part) but I'll check back here as much as I can too,
thanks again
bye
-Doug
KC5QFV

1833. Re: What ham radio is today.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: sparksw4eas@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <70gn40bjf1@camel15.mindspring.com>
Source record: 128652
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

Yes, ir's sad so many miss the great things about ham radio. Hammin since 54 and still love it. Sparks

Avery L. Jenkins, D.C. wrote in message <353B91F0.51D7@mail.compsol.net>...
>Moonman wrote:
>>
>> I could hardly agree more. I quit trying to enjoy ham radio in 1987.
>> Between 1973, when I became a ham, and 1987, when I packed away my
>> equipment. I think I had maybe 5 interesting conversations on ham radio.
>> The absolute, unvarying banality of ham conversation on both the low bands
>> and two meters never ceased to amaze me. These were presumably intelligent
>> people! They couldn't successfully pursue such an advanced technological
>> hobby if they werent! Yet they were as incapable of speaking intelligently
>> with each other on topics other than their health or their rigs, or of
>> exercising even the minimum imagination necessary to make human contact
>> with foreigners, as if they were children--or CBers. It took me years to
>> understand that this limitation was really an integral part of the ham
>> experience (I'm a slow learner.) Once I did understand this, I switched to
>> computers and then the internet, where usenet makes possible occasional
>> thoughtful and interesting exchanges (in between the cancerously-spreading
>> sex ads).
>>
>> WD5DNQ
>> lmarti49er@linknet.net (Remove the "er" for the true, spam-insulated address.)
>
>Wow, that's a shame. Like you, I packed my gear away in the late 80s,
>although for different reasons (marriage+kids+school+job=no time). Just
>recently, when we moved, I thumbed through my old logbooks; comments
>like "great ragchew," notes about the person's family, interests, etc.
>abounded. I remembered friends like Ira WA1W (no kidding) and Jim
>(N1DDU) who were good friends made through ham radio.
>
>In fact, about half of my log entries contain some personal notation
>about the other ham, indicating that I had acheived some reasonable
>level of communication with them.
>
>Thankfully, having moved, I threw up a sloper, pulled the gear out of

>the attic, and am active again on HF.
>
>It is interesting that I so much missed in ham radio what you claim to
>have never experienced.
>
>Avery

1834. tm-742a frequency offset

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fran&#65533;ois Legrand <francoislegrand@videotron.ca>
Message-ID: <OMRW1.1442$0r5.1188260@weber.videotron.net>
Source record: 128653

Hi

I have a TM-742A multibander with all original parts including the TSU-7
CTCSS unit . The s/n begins with 408 and I never change the microprocessors.
I have a problem, they is a +5KHz offset in the receiving and in the
sending frequency. For example, to send and receive at 146.250MHz I need to
set my radio to 146.255MHz.

Thanks to everyone

Fran&#65533;ois Legrand
ve2ftl
francoislegrand@videotron.ca

1835. Re: Icom 761

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Edward L. Dowdy" <eldowdy@net66.com>
Message-ID: <5YRW1.558$aO1.1311@news3.ispnews.com>
Source record: 128654

Check at WWW.QRZ.com.
73,
Ed KA9EES

Bill Wolford wrote in message <362a58cd.17660474@news.magicnet.net>...
>Does anybody know how to open up the xmit on a Icom 761?

1836. Wanted: Drake R-7/R7A Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Terry <pridgent@pinn.net>
Message-ID: <XESW1.356$fl.5045056@audrey2.cais.com>
Source record: 128655
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Looking to buy or trade for a Drake R-7/R7A receiver.
Please respond via email.
Terry
pridgent@pinn.net

1837. Headset for Icom XCvr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Sikes <rwsikes@mediaone.net>
Message-ID: <362C0209.14E5D92C@mediaone.net>
Source record: 128656

I have an Icom 740 radio and I'm interested in a headset (earphones + mike) that will work with this unit which requires a preamp in the mike. Has anyone found one that works with such ICom radios?

Bob Sikes
KB1DHC

1838. Re: FT-50r freeband mod faq

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Jack T.Dragon" <tdragonn@blarg.net>
Message-ID: <362C0C31.1FC5@blarg.net>
Source record: 128657
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.mods,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.amateur,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Kurgan wrote:
>
> Does anyone have a copy of a .tpl & .rdf file from a radio with the
> freebander mod? I have found out that if you use a tpl & rdf file on your
> radio without preforming the hardware freebander mod and just use the tpl &
> rdf file on your radio you will get the same results. If you have them send
> them or email me at Kurgan@mail.datatoe.com
>
> Thanx allot jimmy
>
> P.S. I'm am also looking for the Euro tpl & rdf file

An interesting note is that I explain how to do the complete freeband mod
without even having to use someone else's rdf and tpl files. I concider it much
cleaner cause lord knows what settings others set their radios to and you'll have
/their/ defaults.
You can find the faq at http://www.blarg.net/~tdragon/faqs/ If anyone has any
questions or problems, feel free to ask me for help.
BTW, this /will not/ work on the newest ft-50s. They've had the freeband mode
completely removed and if you try to set the radio to freeband mode, it'll act
strangely and erratically til you restore it to a valid country code.

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/---------------------------+---------------------------\
-=Jack the TechnoDragon=-	Please remove the second,
a.k.a.	anti-spamming N from the
-=Jack T.Dragon=-	end of tdragon in my
tdragonn@blarg.net	address to respond.
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1839. Gonset Communicator II

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: rexstout@uswest.net
Message-ID: <rexstout-1910982054160001@dialupf210.ptld.uswest.net>
Source record: 128658

Picked one up at a hamfest for $10, and of course I ran home to plug it in of course... All the tubes seem good(I love those tuning eyes...), but there is something really annoying about this radio(other than a change in the tuning after I cleaned out the spider eggs and other stuff) is that the aircraft band is showing up in the middle of 2m... Kinda nice that I can hear 2m repeaters and packet faintly, but listening to the ATIS stations(lots of them) and PDX tower is driving me nutty! What do I do to get rid of it? Something wrong in the receiver or maybe a bandpass filter would fix it?
BTW, how much power does the thing put out? Haven't had a chance to plug it into an SWR meter yet. And where do I hang out for AM activity on 2m? Getting crystals should be fun... Does anyone still sell FT-243 crystals anymore?

| http://members.tripod.com/~jrollins/index.html - Computers |
| http://www.geocities.com/Area51/Lair/1681/ - Star Trek |
| OrHam@qth.net list admin KD7BCY |

1840. Need interface

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: ZECA <peixoto@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <362C0A0C.88097A81@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 128659

Hi

Need a source for the rig interface that i can build for the my Yaesu Ft
890
and pc.

73
Zeca

1841. FS Marconi TF2300A Modulation Meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Boren <rfsystem@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <362C0F4C.24C82DA3@swbell.net>
Source record: 128660

Hi, I have a really nice Marconi TF2300A AM/FM modulation/deviation meter for sale. Covers 5-1000 MHZ. Unit is fully operational and has been recently calibrated.
Please e-mail with any questions.

Price $225 includes shipping to lower 48.

73's Greg/N5SKE

1842. Re: Bycott E-bay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Headrick <bobh@proaxis.com>
Message-ID: <362C0F8C.B4974AEF@proaxis.com>
Source record: 128661

> I recently did a bid at the ebay site. I was the actually high bidder
> on the item. I contacted the person by e-mail that I was interested.
> The party (Rich) did not respond to e-mail till this morning. After I
> had left to go to work. I returned this afternoon to find the e-mail
> and he said the first person to contact him would get the item. I
> called him and he said the item had already been sold. Hum, I thought
> that I had the bid. To my dismay, I didn't get the amp.

Ebay has a mechanism to deal with these types. Post negative feedback,
describing your problem in 80 chars or less. In the future make sure you
check the feedback before bidding. There are bad apples out there....

- 73 Bob

1843. FS:Drake 4 line crystals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Radabaugh <brianrada@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <362C2818.AD0AB755@earthlink.net>
Source record: 128662
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I have for sale crystals for the Drake TR-4's, R-4 and T-4 line of of
transceivers, transmitters and receivers as follows.
1-12.6 mhz for 160 meters
1-29.1 mhz for 17 meters
2-35.6 mhz for 12 meters
2-39.1 mhz for LO 10 meters(28.0-28.5)
1-40.1 mhz for HI 10 meters(29.0-29.5)
$35 for all shipped

Brian in the Seattle, Wa. area

1844. WTB: TM-441 or TM-431

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: mcolvin@nospam.pacbell.net
Message-ID: <362bcae5.8835409@news.pacbell.net>
Source record: 128663

I am looking for a Kenwood TM-441 or TM-431. If you know anyone who has one of these radios, and would like to sell it, let me know by e-mail. Remove the "nospam" from my return address.

Thanks,

Mike Colvin
KD6PTE

1845. STX SPEAKER-MICS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: ilonka00@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <3635c2b9.137497290@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 128684

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STX remote speaker/mic's $35 each + freight.
All items guaranteed in good cosmteic condition
and fully operational.
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1846. Yaesu FT100??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Hall" <j.d.hall@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <70eg4c$sp3@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 128685

Anyone heard what the new Yaesu FT100 will be selling for when it hits the shelves in November??

Thanks.

John

1847. FS: pro 2006 scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: orbitone@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <362cd231.34021866@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 128686

Selling a very good cond pro 2006 base scanner radio shack....
has full 800 mhz no gaps with ant... very good cond...
selling for $350.00 shipped ups inshured via US ...
email me thanks... ....Money order or cashier check only please..

1848. FS: WR90 X-Band Waveguide Components

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bruce Rahn <brahn@erinet.com>
Message-ID: <362AD202.9DD7C2DF@erinet.com>
Source record: 128687
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,misc.industry.electronics.marketplace,sci.electronics.equipment,rec.ham-radio.swap

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HP X752C 8.2 to 12.4 GHz Good Condition $25.00
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MA 663-AS 8.2 to 12.4 GHz Good Condition $25.00
Waveline 674-30 8.2 to 12.4 GHz Good Condition $25.00

TRANSITIONS (ADAPTERS)

HP X281A 8.2 to 12.4 GHz Good Condition $25.00

TERMINATIONS

MA 684 8.2 to 12.4 GHz Good Condition $25.00

ATTENUATORS

PRD X101-S3 8.2 to 12.4 GHz Good Condition $45.00

Pictures of the items along with specs are available on my web page at

http://www.qsl.net/wb9anq/
or
http://members.tripod.com/~wb9anq/

Manuals are not included. Shipping is NOT included in the price.

73

Bruce, WB9ANQ

1849. Test Post vu123vu

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: shankru@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <70eqk5$4gp$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128688

Test Message Please Ignore
Ingore

Tata

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1850. Re: Battery Drain FT-50R revisited

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: marc_k@walrus.com
Message-ID: <70eq59pme3@alice.walrus.com>
Source record: 128689

John Perri (jperri@aros.net) wrote:
: Now that I have my FT-50R in several pieces, I find I have an older
: version that does not have R's
: 2102 & 2103. Is there a fix for the excessive battery drain problem for
: this version?

: Looks like there may be a down side for having the original version that
: is expandable from DC to Light Mhz.

: JMP

There IS a easy fix..take the battery off the radio if you are not going to use it for a day or so.
(OK, it's the cheaters way out, but it works).
BTW, I have one of the dc to light ones too...serial # starting with 6M.
My unit indeed does have the high power off battery drain problem...BTW...in some cases, holding the power button down for a second or 2 after it shuts off will reduce the drain...others have reported that quickly turning the radio back on and off again after initially turning it off may work too.
You might want to try both of the above-if it works, it's certainly simple enough.

I've not played with the above enough to be sure, but the first trick above SEEMS to work with my '50.

1851. Re: Owner manual for IC-T7A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: marc_k@walrus.com
Message-ID: <70eqn5pme4@alice.walrus.com>
Source record: 128690

David Letterman (ke3nj@voicenet.COM) wrote:
: Just purchased an IC-T7A handheld at estate auction.&#65533; I am in need of
: owners manual.&#65533; Can anyone point me in direction to find one on line?

: Would gladly pay for shipping and copying if anyone would take the time!

: Thanks

: David A. Letterman&#65533; KE3NJ

: ke3nj@voicenet.com

: "No I'm not the Dave Letterman on TV!!"
: &#65533;
: &#65533;
: &#65533;

This may seem obvious, but have you contacted Icom?
I'm rather sure that they would be glad to sell you one(in fact, they
might even send one for free if you ask them right).

1852. Re: What ham radio is today.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Avery L. Jenkins, D.C." <ajenkins@mail.compsol.net>
Message-ID: <353B91F0.51D7@mail.compsol.net>
Source record: 128691
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

Moonman wrote:
>
> I could hardly agree more. I quit trying to enjoy ham radio in 1987.
> Between 1973, when I became a ham, and 1987, when I packed away my
> equipment. I think I had maybe 5 interesting conversations on ham radio.
> The absolute, unvarying banality of ham conversation on both the low bands
> and two meters never ceased to amaze me. These were presumably intelligent
> people! They couldn't successfully pursue such an advanced technological
> hobby if they werent! Yet they were as incapable of speaking intelligently
> with each other on topics other than their health or their rigs, or of
> exercising even the minimum imagination necessary to make human contact
> with foreigners, as if they were children--or CBers. It took me years to
> understand that this limitation was really an integral part of the ham
> experience (I'm a slow learner.) Once I did understand this, I switched to
> computers and then the internet, where usenet makes possible occasional
> thoughtful and interesting exchanges (in between the cancerously-spreading
> sex ads).
>
> WD5DNQ
> lmarti49er@linknet.net (Remove the "er" for the true, spam-insulated address.)

Wow, that's a shame. Like you, I packed my gear away in the late 80s, although for different reasons (marriage+kids+school+job=no time). Just recently, when we moved, I thumbed through my old logbooks; comments like "great ragchew," notes about the person's family, interests, etc. abounded. I remembered friends like Ira WA1W (no kidding) and Jim (N1DDU) who were good friends made through ham radio.

In fact, about half of my log entries contain some personal notation about the other ham, indicating that I had acheived some reasonable level of communication with them.

Thankfully, having moved, I threw up a sloper, pulled the gear out of the attic, and am active again on HF.

It is interesting that I so much missed in ham radio what you claim to have never experienced.

Avery

1853. Liste des fonctions cachees sur FT-847

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Christophe LUCAS <clucas@dactyl-buro.fr>
Message-ID: <IMOmMkz#9GA.3538@milou.inext.fr>
Source record: 128692

bonjour,

je suis la recherche de la liste des fontions cachees du FT-847
si quelqu'un d'entre vous possede ou connait des informtions sur
ces types de reglages, je suis preneur !!!! :-))))

Merci d'avance.

-
Christophe LUCAS
Po.Box : 164
18004 BOURGES Cedex
FRANCE
E-Mail : clucas@dactyl-buro.fr

1854. FT-8500 programing cable help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: sullivan@northwinds.net
Message-ID: <3624D694.2644@northwinds.net>
Source record: 128693

Does anyone know if it is possible to make my own cable to program my FT-8500 or would it be cheaper to buy one. I'd like to experiment with some program writing.

Thanks,

Alan Nï¿½NLB

1855. Re: Tubes for sale!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Willis <"M.J.Willis "@rl.ac.uk>
Message-ID: <362AEAD9.22A7AAFE@rl.ac.uk>
Source record: 128694
Cross-posted to: rec.audio.tubes,rec.audio.marketplace,alt.guitar,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave

> Perhaps I'm missing something here, but in which applications would
> there be a need for matched pairs of audio preamp tubes?

Low noise audio amplifiers perhaps? Post detector in an SSB rig, or a high
quality
broadcast receiver. I expect they make good IF amplifers as well where the
IF is
low enough to be amplified by them. Low noise IF amplifiers are an essential
part
of a receiver - even a valve one.

--
Mike

(Remove the space from the Email address to reply)

1856. hm-102

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: nburg@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <362b1a5c.2351605@news.microserve.net>
Source record: 128695

Hi all,
I'm looking for a manual on the hm-102 watt meter by heathkit. Please
e-mail any responces. tnx 73's AA3PX

1857. Hw-102 watt meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: ljthomas@mail.microserve.net
Message-ID: <362b1b22.2550022@news.microserve.net>
Source record: 128696

Hi all,
I'm looking for a manual on the hm-102 watt meter by heathkit. Please
e-mail any responces. tnx 73's AA3PX

ljthomas@mail.microserve.net

1858. Yaesu ft-990

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: MANOS <pelamare@her.forthnet.gr>
Message-ID: <70f280$1st$1@sharon.forthnet.gr>
Source record: 128697

Looking for any comments or any suggestion for this TRX.
Thanks
Manos SV9ANJ

1859. fs yeasu ft 301ad hf rig $290

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: jdickson@ee.net
Message-ID: <70fces$5hg$2@news2.ee.net>
Source record: 128698

I have a yeasu ft301ad hf rig with power supply and landliner this radio has digital readout full 100 watt output it is in top notch condition this is a 100% solid state radio a nice radio i just bought a new one is the reason for selling it all for $290

thank kc8bev

1860. Anyone out there using a Tokyo HiPower 2K Linear?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: John@datasafe.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <362b3948.1131009@news.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 128699

I'm having some problems with the HL2K linear in that when I tune up and increase the power from the 'driving' rig I get a sudden dip in Plate current, a flash inside the linear - about the valve area. I stop tunning and then all seems okay. I can't seem to tune for much above 250watts!

Regards

John

1861. MFJ 949D VERSA TUNER II

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: cslc82@email.mot.com
Message-ID: <362e4032.169620962@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 128700

MFJ 949D VERSA TUNER II

MFJ 949D Versa Tuner II tuner:
300 watts
160-10
Built in dry dummy load
Cross needle meter (fwd/refl/SWR)
2 Pos antenna switch + D/L
New condition, with manual
$80 shipped

1862. [Fwd: FS: Standard UHF 16 Ch. HT's $125 incl. accy's]

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steven Ross <stevenross@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <362B3AB9.1FDA2EB0@earthlink.net>
Source record: 128701

Standard UHF HX-241 radios. 16 channel programmable (I will program to

whatever you need). 1.5 watt or 4 watt programmable. Scan feature for
any or all channels, and Key lock. LCD top readout for channels.
Cosmetically range from VG to fair but all the radio electronics are
VG. Radios come with antenna,speaker mike, belt clip, high power
battery (conditions good to fair but
I have cycled them). I also have 10-6 gang rapid chargers, and
4-individual rapid "smart" chargers.

$700 for 6 radios, accy's and rapid 6/gang charger + COD from Boston (or

can arrange pickup within 50 miles)

Radios individually are $125 incl. programming. Single Smart Chargers -

$60 ea. Rapid 6 gang chargers are $200 ea.

(I will also re-program them for up to 6 months at n/c. You pay
shipping both ways.)

Pictures available at:
http://members.aol.com/bettyross1/homepage.html

Thanks for reading this.

Steve Ross

1863. FS: Yaesu FT-8500 - $325

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steven Ross <stevenross@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <362B3B63.AF12852A@earthlink.net>
Source record: 128702

Excellent condition. Has the Mr. Potato head mike. Incl. all mounting hardware and parts that come with the radio new. Box and instructions. Less than 1 year old.

$325 + shipping from Boston.

1864. [Fwd: FS: Kustom MR-7 X-Band Radar]

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steven Ross <stevenross@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <362B3A53.DC27F72A@earthlink.net>
Source record: 128703

Works fine. Large horn antenna. Unit is from the late 70's. Full stationary and moving detection. Readout has 1 of the 7 LED segments out but reading of speed is obvious. $100 + COD from Boston.

Steve Ross

1865. [Fwd: FS 3-Motorola VHF Expos (same channel) - $200]

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steven Ross <stevenross@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <362B3AA6.107222CF@earthlink.net>
Source record: 128704

3-2 channel expos with channel 2 on same freq. Channel one needs new crystals. Come with 3 rapid chargers and 3 speaker mikes. 2 Batteries good, 1 fair. $200 + COD from Boston or can arrange close pickup.

Steve ross

1866. DRAKE RV75 SYNTHESIZED VFO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: cslc82@email.mot.com
Message-ID: <362f405b.169661690@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 128705

Drake RV75 synthesized VFO with operator's
manual and schematic. Unit works fine and is
in 9+ cosmetic condition. $600.00 shipped

1867. Re: IC-735 full break-in relay query??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3646406b.174109614@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 128706

On Sun, 18 Oct 1998 20:26:22 GMT, gagnon@gagnon.fakeu-net.com (Larry Gagnon) wrote:
>I own an Icom 735. I would love to use the full break-in CW facilities
>of this rig more often but I find the fast electromechanical relay
>clicking it does on the full break-in rather annoying. I don't
>understand why a rig of this age of manufacture has to use a relay
>...why not use full transisitor silent high-speed switching. Is there
>any way around this???

Probably because they didn't want the extra IMD due to the
solid state switch. That's why they didn't diode switch the
band filters either.

Note, it is possible to get good IMD performance with solid state
switching, but it requires a high standing current. Using relays
allowed good performance without excess battery drain in portable
operation.

If the clicking bothers you, wear headphones.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

1868. TriEx H470 70' tower for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: cslc82@email.mot.com
Message-ID: <363140a8.169738070@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 128707

TriEx H470 70' tower for sale.

This is a 4 section guyed tower,
including guy wires, turnbuckles,
equalizer plates, owner's manual, etc.
The tower recently lost a guy anchor and
was pulled over by the other guywires.
It is now telescoped to about 20', and
is ready for pickup in the Kansas City
area. It weighs around 500#.
The tower needs a new base plate, and
the bottom section legs need to be sleeved
about 3' up from the base. Other than this
the tower is in good shape and was recently
painted. If you can weld, this tower can
easily be salvaged (I don't have welding
equipment or skills). $250, pickup only.

1869. HELP WITH ALINCO DJ-582 MODS!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Kuziv <kuziv@magicnet.net>
Message-ID: <362B4B3F.E2F@magicnet.net>
Source record: 128708

I have an Alinco DJ-582 Dual band handheld that I would luv to modify.If
anyone has "any" confirmed mods for this radio and could sned them to me
via email at kuziv@magicnet.net it would be "GREATLY" appreciated!
73's and Thanks in advance
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Mark Kuziv / KC4ZVK
Net Manager C.F.L.G.
Central Florida Listeners Group
http://www.swl.net/cflg/
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1870. Kenwood 180-S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Macy <kd4kdp@bluegrass.net>
Message-ID: <362B4B8B.18835A1C@bluegrass.net>
Source record: 128709

Need service manual for Kenwood 180-S.
Please respond to Joe, e-mail k4ulw@juno.com.
Joe don't have internet access...
Thanks

1871. FT-50RD Battery questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: valerie65@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <70fpr2ece1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128710

This is a double-barrled question. First part: Yaesu's instruction manual says: don't use rechargable NiCad AA batteries in the FBA-15 Dry Cell Case. But isn't recharging a NiCad exactly what you do when you recharge, say, an FNB-41?

Second part: Yaesu's "original equipment" NC-50 Rapid Charger is priced out of sight. Can anyone recommend another rapid charger which would work safely and not break your bank book?

Thanks,
KE6OCM

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1872. Re: Info: Alinco DJ-C5T mod?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke7vg@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981019114327.07763.00003229@ng42.aol.com>
Source record: 128711

Don:
Thanks for the info. It worked fine.

Gene

1873. Re: FS Telex Contester Headset

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alan Caplan <alan.caplan@cwix.com>
Message-ID: <KbJW1.281$0y6.1097@news.cwix.com>
Source record: 128712

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Alan Caplan wrote in message ...
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>Alan Caplan wrote in message ...
>>Like new with cloth covers Telex Contester
>>headset part # 62400-155 wired for TS-950SD
>>with headphone jack and 8 pin mic plug. with
>>box very few hours. Low impedence $50+$5
>>shipping USA. Inludes Foot switch by Heil
>>
>>Alan K4AVQ & P40AV
>>14020 140th Court
>>Apple Valley, MN 55124-9422
>>612-431-5070
>>
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1874. Re: WTB: Control head for Spectra

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: bharlow10@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <70fmv9$8i2@news-central.tiac.net>
Source record: 128713
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hi Dan, I dont have the head, but do you know that you can order the plastic front and keypad buttons for about 30.00 if you have nso pricing

Bruce
"Dan" <n7wpd@inconnect.com> wrote:

>Hi Guys,

>I am in need of a Spectra controlhead with full keypad. Anyone?
>Please email condition and price.

>Thanks,
>Dan

1875. Re: IC-T8A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: mjgilbert.NOSPAM@wcom.net
Message-ID: <362b574c.10838034@news.compuserve.com>
Source record: 128714

Are you referring to images or the actual cell freqs?

I've got a copy of a hardware mod that is *supposed*
to enable cell but I haven't tried it, not that interested.

Matt
K8KDR

On Fri, 16 Oct 1998 22:06:58 -0700, "Jay A" <jltmn@ibm.net> wrote:

>Been using the radio myself. I like it, but wish its receive audio was a bit
>better. Sounds as if something is vibrating when the audio is cranked up a
>bit..but I have heard the same thing on more than my own sample of the
>radio.
>
>6 meters is next to useless unless you are very close to a repeater, so I
>replaced the antenna with a shorter 2 meter, 440 one and don't bother with 6
>meters.
>
>Cellular CAN be heard.
>
>Battery lasts a long time and is a pleasure.
>
>All in all, I am happy with the radio.
>
>Jay
>
>

1876. FS Timewave DSP-59Y $200 + 10 Ship

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alan Caplan <alan.caplan@cwix.com>
Message-ID: <0zJW1.289$0y6.895@news.cwix.com>
Source record: 128715

Brand new Timewave DSP-59Y digital signal processor. Fits
in the Yeasu SP-5 and SP-6 speaker cabinet. Matches and
looks like orinigal equipment mfg. (OEM). See QST write up
a year ago. Rated the best design for a stand alone DSP.
Save $ Selling for $200 + $10 shipping. UPS in USA. 48 states.
Other places will have different shipping costs.
AES shows it selling for $389.

Alan Caplan K4AVQ & P40AV V2/W0RIC
14020 140th Court
Apple Valley, MN 55124-9422
612-431-5070
alan.caplan@cwix.com

See at http://www.greatriverelectronics.com
or http://www.timewave.com

1877. WTB: UNIDEN HR 2510

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: RadioMan <na>
Message-ID: <362b57f6.0@news.busprod.com>
Source record: 128716

Want to buy Uniden HR 2510 or HR 2600 10 meter radios. New or Used. Please state condition and price. Thank You.

1878. Re: FT-50RD Battery questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: clintbrad4d@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <70fube$l4d$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128717

In article <70fpr2ece1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
valerie65@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> First part: Yaesu's instruction manual
> says: don't use rechargable NiCad AA batteries in the FBA-15 Dry Cell Case.
> But isn't recharging a NiCad exactly what you do when you recharge, say, an
> FNB-41?

But the battery case only holds 4 AA cells...a whopping 4.8VDC.

> Second part: Yaesu's "original equipment" NC-50 Rapid Charger is priced out of
> sight. Can anyone recommend another rapid charger which would work safely and
> not break your bank book?

Maha's MH-C777a will correctly charge AND condition almost any 4.8V-to-12VDC battery pack you own - for HALF the price of the other, dedicated units out there. Fifty bucks retail. Get a Maha FNB-47 NiMH 1800mAH battery for your FT-50, too, and Ham Radio Outlet will pick up the shipping charges ($100.00 is the cut-off point for charging [no pun intended] you shipping).

See the maha unit at

http://www.maha-comm.com

- Clint Bradford

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http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1879. ic-2100h pwr mod?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: dlr18sh@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981019124548.21720.00003199@ng61.aol.com>
Source record: 128718

Hi, just got a Icom 2100h 2mtr radio. I want to lower the high power down from 55 watts to say 40 or 35 watts.

thanks, Tim

1880. F.S. Atlas 210X w/Console $275.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: kcoin@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981019124655.14745.00002426@ng124.aol.com>
Source record: 128719

Atlas 210X looks like new Cond. 9+ (Collector Quality)This is Radio and
console Ps/Spk
It has a problem low power only 50-60 watts out . Have org. Manual
Ask. $275. + Shp.
This Equipment is Guarantee as Described or your Money Back Minus Shipping
Ken (WN9N) 815-478-5109 kcoin@aol.com

1881. KAM ALL MODE VER 8.0 $200.00 N1HHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gabriel G melo <n1hhf@110.net>
Message-ID: <70fq6b$i4$1@stalker.oem.net>
Source record: 128720

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1882. **For Sale** Kenwood 45 watt 2m mobile TR-7850 w/ bracket $75!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: John R Alley <chia@korrnet.org>
Message-ID: <Pine.GSO.3.95.981019122252.11577A-100000@clarion.korrnet.org>
Source record: 128721
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have an older model Kenwood 2 meter mobile rig TR-7850 that is a great radio. It was used for packet by the previous owner, and I have no speaker mic for it. It is a 6 out of 10. Some minor scratches, etc... but works great. I don't have any mics that I can re-wire and try on it. So, this would be a great rig for someone setting up dedicated packet/APRS equip. I am asking $75 for all of it... the radio, the quick release mounting bracket (very hard to find..) manual, and service manual. If you are interested please me me know via. one of the E-Mail addresses below. Thanks.....

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73 de KF4UAE
KF4UAE@qsl.net
chia@korrnet.org
John R. Alley

1883. FT-50r freeband mod /template

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kurgan <kurgan@mail.datatone.com>
Message-ID: <SHKW1.513$aO1.1059@news3.ispnews.com>
Source record: 128722
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.mods,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.amateur,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Does anyone have a copy of a .tpl & .rdf file from a radio with the freebander mod? I have found out that if you use a tpl & rdf file on your radio without preforming the hardware freebander mod and just use the tpl & rdf file on your radio you will get the same results. If you have them send them or email me at Kurgan@mail.datatoe.com

Thanx allot jimmy

P.S. I'm am also looking for the Euro tpl & rdf file

1884. FS Kenwood SM-230

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Balko <w8gur@ili.net>
Message-ID: <362B74EC.59D9C96E@ili.net>
Source record: 128723

Mint, with original boxes, manual. Works
perfect. $600 You ship.
Thanks, Dave w8gur@ili.net or
(734)676-6856

1885. Re: Battery Drain FT-50R revisited

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@groucho.cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <70fu3e$jm6@groucho.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 128724

marc_k@walrus.com (marc_k) writes:
>There IS a easy fix..take the battery off the radio if you are not going
>to use it for a day or so.

There's a problem with this, though. The radio does draw a little bit of current all the time, to maintain its memories. If you have a battery pack attached (or external power supplied), that power comes from the battery or power supply. With both of those removed, the current comes from the internal lithium battery, which will eventually be discharged.

It will probably take quite a while to discharge the little lithium battery in this way. But if you normally leave a battery pack on the radio, the lithium battery supplies power only when you are changing packs, and it will last for 10 years or more.

Dave

1886. Tubes for sale!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: KEN CHAIT <atsi@herald.infi.net>
Message-ID: <362B7E5E.11E3CB0@herald.infi.net>
Source record: 128725
Cross-posted to: rec.audio.tubes,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

JAN NOS 6146W GE FS $18.00 ea. 5+ 17.50/ea. 20+ $16.00/ea. + shpg.

VT25's/#10's in beautiful sealed RCA "US Army Signal Corps. boxes
$35.00 ea. + shpg.

1887. Re: FT-50RD Battery questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@groucho.cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <70fuj6$jmm@groucho.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 128726

valerie65@my-dejanews.com writes:
>This is a double-barrled question. First part: Yaesu's instruction manual
>says: don't use rechargable NiCad AA batteries in the FBA-15 Dry Cell Case.
>But isn't recharging a NiCad exactly what you do when you recharge, say, an
>FNB-41?

Yes, the FNB-41 has NiCd cells in it. The difference is that it also has
either a fuse or circuit breaker to protect the pack if you accidentally
short the terminals together. Even 600 mAh NiCd cells will produce 10 A
or more when shorted, so things would get very hot very fast without a
fuse.

The FBA-15 has no protective devices. They aren't really needed with
alkaline cells, whose internal resistance limits the short-circuit current.
NiCd cells will fit in it, and will work, but you have no protection
against shorts.

You also can't recharge the FBA-15 on the radio or in a drop-in charger;
it lacks charging contacts. So you have to remove the cells for charging.
Finally, the voltage is lower. The FBA-15 with NiCd cells is 4.8 V,
while the Yaesu packs are all 6 V or more. The radio works to below
4 V, but power will be reduced.

>Second part: Yaesu's "original equipment" NC-50 Rapid Charger is priced out of
>sight. Can anyone recommend another rapid charger which would work safely and
>not break your bank book?

MAHA makes a fast charger that can be equipped with custom cups for various
radios, including the FT-50. There is also the MH-C777, a "universal"
charger with adjustable pins that will charge almost any NiCd or NiMH
pack from 4.8 to 12 V - but it doesn't have a cup for a particular
radio so it's not as convenient to use. Both are less expensive than
the Yaesu. Both also charge NiMH packs, which MAHA makes for the FT-50.
Yaesu says *not* to charge NiMH packs in the NC-50.

Dave

1888. FS Amp, Antenna's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Colt Engineering <dbrecht@colt-edm.worldgate.com>
Message-ID: <362b83c7.0@news.oanet.com>
Source record: 128727

For Sale Ameritron 811a 600 HF 10-80 Meter Cover Ham amp.
Good conditon $ 500 Cdn Dollar or $315.00 USD

Also Cushcraft AV 8A 10 thur 80 meter coverage Vertical with ground plane
kit $ 100 Cdn. or $ 65.00 US

Discone 50 Mhz to 1 Gig coverage works on Hams bands transmitt
$ 20 Cdn or $ 15.00 US

EMAIL BACK TO BRECHTD@OANET.COM
NOT TO THIS POSTING
SHIPPING NOT INCLUDED IN PRICE
LOCATION EDMONTON ALBERTA CANADA

DOUG BRECHT
VE6BTO

1889. Re: Recommend 2m small HT?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: tuomi@sci.fi
Message-ID: <70g055$c17$2@tron.sci.fi>
Source record: 128728

In article <NmtW1.24133$D5.17104886@news.inreach.com>, "Greg Ottria" <Gottria@Inreach.com> wrote:
>number. If you don't see any numbers don't panic Thats the A106 version
>that will receive AM better.

How is AM better in A106 ? By soft mod ???

Pasi, oh2nps

1890. VT25 FS #10's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: KEN CHAIT <atsi@herald.infi.net>
Message-ID: <362B8479.34EDD943@herald.infi.net>
Source record: 128729
Cross-posted to: rec.audio.tubes,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

A few pcs. VT25 #10's RCA sealed military boxes RCA $35.00 ea. + shpg.

1891. FS - Drake SW-2 Shortwave

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Goldblatt <ka1dpw@gis.net>
Message-ID: <70g1re$pg3$4@supernews.com>
Source record: 128730

Drake SW-2 Shrtwave with IR Remote Control, Handle, P/S, and manual, Just out of box, used once to test.
$350, Dave

1892. FS - MFJ 249 SWR Analyzer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Goldblatt <ka1dpw@gis.net>
Message-ID: <70g26o$pg3$8@supernews.com>
Source record: 128731

Covers 160 meters to 170 MHz, LCD frequency readout, w/case and manual. Used a few times, like new! $150

1893. Cellular phone tracking

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: T <at@one.net.au>
Message-ID: <3629f5ed.0@pink.one.net.au>
Source record: 128761

www.gene.com.au

1894. Pro 70 Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: M Millar <mmillar@usa.net>
Message-ID: <70dtd0$d3n$1@newnews.global.net.uk>
Source record: 128762

Anyone know if a modification exists for a RS Pro 70

Cheers

mmillar@usa.net

1895. Yaesu-301

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Finney <jpfin@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <362A883B.FBDB354E@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 128763

Hello,

Does anyone have any information/opinions on the Yaesu-301 transceiver?
I believe it is circa 1973. I am considering getting one from a local
ham and will set it up as a listening post for a prospective new ham.

Thanks,

Jim
WA5VPW

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Jim Finney
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jpfin@worldnet.att.net

1896. Re: FS Johnson Ranger

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: k9two@sprintmail.com
Message-ID: <70e619$47i$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128764
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

In article <N.101898.113615.39@vna-va17-35.ix.netcom.com>,
wetartie@ix.netcom.com (KB3PT) wrote:
> On 10/18/98 11:10AM, in message <362A04A6.6FE0@sympatico.ca>, Larry Asp
> <larry.asp@sympatico.ca> wrote:
>
> > Listed my Johnson Viking Ranger on Ebay. Searching E Bay with "Johnson
> > Viking Ranger" will find it for you.
>
> How about listing this as "FA", or "FA on eBay", so we don't have to
> waste our time reading an ad which leads us to believe we can actually
> *buy* it (For Sale), rather than *bid* on it (For Auction)?
>
> Thanks,
>
> -bill
> KB3PT

I agree totally Bill. This kind of ad really burns my butt.
Don
>
>

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1897. WTB: TS-830S, working/non-working

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3bj@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <70e4j0$2cn$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128765
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchor,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Wanted: Kenwood TS-830S in non-working shape, no lightning victims, please. Need intact unit to resurrect old friend's rig. Please let me know what you have and condition.

Thanks,

Alan, N3BJ
Bent Mountain, VA

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1898. WTB: CW filter pair for TS-830S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3bj@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <70e53l$37p$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128766
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Wanted: INRAD CW filter pair for the TS-830S. Please let me know if you have a set that is surplus to your needs.

Alan, N3BJ

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1899. Re: Wanted HF remote station control

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: w8ak@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981018212600.11784.00002689@ng22.aol.com>
Source record: 128767

Check out May/98 QST. John Hansen has a remote base adapter for the Icom 706. I built it for our repeater as an interim interface until our new controller arrives and it works great. Our interface will also be for sale after our new controller is delivered. 73, Glenn

1900. Help: SyntorX 9000 UHF Programming

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: w8ak@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981018213110.11784.00002695@ng22.aol.com>
Source record: 128768

Hi. I have a 406-420 X9000. Anyone have any info or experience getting them into the ham band? Thanks,
Glenn

1901. IC 701 top plate needed.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: markn7eij@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981018215630.19774.00002832@ng04.aol.com>
Source record: 128769

I need a top plate for a 701. ALso a manuel would be nice and a IC 551,251,451 covers would work. 73 Mark
Mark N7EIJ DN17NT IDAHO

1902. World Time Software - FREE download !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jason Bennett <jbennett@qmlabs.com>
Message-ID: <01bdfb03$5af63340$07c847cf@default>
Source record: 128770

Greetings all,

We are extremely proud to announce the "5" star rating we just received on
our newest product Time-n-Measures !

Time-n-Measures brings a world of information to your desktop. Quickly
and easily determine what time and day it is anywhere in the world at
the click of your mouse. Times are displayed in both a customizable list
or on an interactive globe. Time-n-Measures conveniently and accurately
converts between English and metric measurements-distance, area, volume,
weight and temperature. This robust utility is an essential tool for
anyone involved in sharing information and fostering communication on a
global scale-business executives, sales professionals, shipping
companies, researchers, scientists, students and teachers.
Time-n-Measures is fun, easy and educational. Supports Windows 95/ 98,
and NT.

Our trial version is the real thing. Its not disabled in any way so you can
get a
TRUE feel for our product.

visit us at:
http://www.qmlabs.com/time-n-measures/
to download your FREE trial version and see what all the fuss is about.

Our sincerest thanks go out to all of our end users and their terrific
feedback that made this product
the best of its class !

Thanks again,

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Jason R. Bennett
Director, Information Technologies
QM Laboratories
http://www.qmlabs.com/time-n-measures

1903. Re: SEA automatic antenna coupler questions..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Warner <jpwarner@gte.net>
Message-ID: <70e76k$5no$1@news-2.news.gte.net>
Source record: 128771
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.ssb

Sideband Engineering Associates, has in the past manufactured marine commgear,
and currently produces an ACSB trunked radio system which is used where the bottom of our 220MHz once was. I have not dealt with them since 1995, but I think
they're still around.
Jim
W1SBA/9

wa6gsd@ix.netcom.com wrote in article <36297CF7.1799@ix.netcom.com>...
> I have an antenna coupler (board only) that looks pretty much
> like an SGC-230. Per the date codes on the chips, appears to be
> made about 1985.. Was SGC once called SEA.. ?? Anyone have any
> info on this?? I have 2 SGC-230's, and this unit sure appears
> to be about the same.
>
> The board is marked PCB 1612-01 Rev B. There is also a number
> 8026-16 in marker pen on the top of the PCB..
>
> Thanks in advance for any info..
>
> Steve-WA6GSD
>

1904. Mods Icom IC-T21A (Help)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gregg Erlenbusch <Gregg.E@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01bdfb08$f3cab460$b0e2490c@default>
Source record: 128772
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Can Anyone Help Me With The Out Of Band Mods For The IC-T21A
73's & Thanks Ahead Of Time
W5IDX Houston
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1905. Re: Recommend 2m small HT?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: kvanderlin@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981018222719.00479.00002656@ng62.aol.com>
Source record: 128773

> I think the VX-1R is the only radio that meets every one of your
>> > requirements, because I think it's the only one that's got AM band
>reception.
>
>Thanks.
>
>But isn't the technology of the VX-1R over a year old? I saw somewhere
>that it came out in the sumemr of 1997. How about the sony IC-Q7A?
>

Icoms' gotta love this one!!!!!

1906. Help! Advice Needed On Daiwa Autotuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: DavidC <davidc@bit-net.com>
Message-ID: <01bdfb0d$a3ab48a0$a48492d0@davidc.bit-net.com>
Source record: 128774
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Daiwa Automatic Antenna Tuner, Model #CNA2002, 2.5KW, 1.0 - 30 Mhz.
I am real interested in buying one of these used. Anyone familiar with
them?
Recommendations? Warnings? Does Daiwa support their discontinued
products?
I am not a contester so I won't be beating on this. What sort of impedence
mismatches
can this thing handle? (The autotuner in my TS-690SAT handles all but 160m
with my
antennas, so this thing will see the same loads.) Thanks & 73, DavidC
AA1FA

1907. WTB: Kenwood YK-455C or CN CW filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3bj@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <70e7k2$6sh$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128775
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchor,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

WTB: Kenwood YK-455C or YK-455CN CW filter for the TS-830S. Please let me know if you have one that is surplus to your needs.

Alan, N3BJ
Bent Mountain, VA

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1908. Icom 761

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: bwolford@magicnet.net
Message-ID: <362a58cd.17660474@news.magicnet.net>
Source record: 128776

Does anybody know how to open up the xmit on a Icom 761?

1909. Mot. DTMF Mic's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: ilonka00@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <362bc125.137093490@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 128777

We have several Mot. DTMF mobile mics, HMN1010, HMN1014, in like-new condition. $40 each plus freight.

1910. GP300 BATTERY ELIMINATOR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: ilonka00@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <362dc173.137171251@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 128778

New, unused HKN8036B Battery Eliminator
for GP300. Mock battery attaches to
GP300, has coil cord with cigaratte
light plug for 12VD power. Integral
3A fuse. $40 + freight

1911. laser printer - sell or trade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: ilonka00@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <362fc1b1.137233581@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 128779

IBM (Lexmark) 4019 Laser Printer, great shape, works fine.
With Post Script ROM card and two toner cartridges.
$200 + freight or trade for full-limit tuner or ???

1912. STX BATTERIES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: ilonka00@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <3631c242.137378489@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 128780

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STX high capacity batteries $35 each + freight.
All items guaranteed in good cosmteic condition
and fully operational.
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1913. STX CHARGERS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: ilonka00@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <3633c292.137458294@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 128781

STX signle unit rapid desk chargers $45 each + freight.
Guaranteed in good cosmteic condition and fully operational.

1914. Need Manual for Dumont 304-A Oscilloscope

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: turbo22367@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981020194741.19794.00000072@ng-fc1.aol.com>
Source record: 128485

Does anyone have an operating manual for this scope? Please reply or email Steve at turbo22367@aol.com Thanx

1915. Need Manual for GE ST-2A Oscilloscope

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: turbo22367@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981020194909.19794.00000074@ng-fc1.aol.com>
Source record: 128486

Does anyone have a manual for this oscilloscope. Please reply or Email Steve at turbo22367@aol.com Thanx

1916. Kenwood TS-130S Problem.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard <43z289@mpx.com.au>
Message-ID: <01bdfc85$a4e59080$22858ec6@sharp>
Source record: 128487
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,aus.radio.amateur.misc

I have a Kenwood TS-130S, The output power is only 30Watts, does anybody know the tune up / allignment proceedure?

Any assistance would be greatly appreciated.

Thank you.
Richard.

E-Mail 43z280@mpx.com.au

1917. Re: Courier Port-A-Lab Multi function Meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "dennis W. Ostrowski" <dwostrowski@lucent.com>
Message-ID: <362D208E.FA0A03B9@lucent.com>
Source record: 128488
Cross-posted to: rec.redio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.cb

dana wrote:
>
> i just gave away 2 of those the other day
>
Dana,

I sure wish I would have known that.

I have a few that just need meter movements.

Dennis

#12

1918. Ebay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom <Kc2aok@bellatlantic.net>
Message-ID: <362D2433.4FC9C795@bellatlantic.net>
Source record: 128489

I have to agree ebay is usually more of a hassle for buying radio
equipment. I have seen items on there for sale which are used and they are
being bought for more than a new one! That is absurd just because someone
may not know where to find it cheaper. I like these newsgroups as far as
buying goes I havent been bit yet. Bottom line is if you have something
for sale and you want top dollar.
If you just want to move it on put it here so another Ham can enjoy it.

My 2 cents
Tom
kc2aok

remarsh@juno.com wrote:

> On 20 Oct 1998 15:44:37 GMT, "guy quartarone" <guyq@worldnet.att.net>
> wrote:
>
> >I too have had a bad experience with ebay. Its not worth the hassle
> >
> >
> the prices are WAY OUTA LINE!!!!!
> go to a good hamfest much much cheaper..
> remarsh@juno.com

1919. FA: Amateur Radio Manuals, 60s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Etter <retter@bright.net>
Message-ID: <362D2920.6ED9@bright.net>
Source record: 128490

Amateur Radio Booklets -- All for one bid!!

1st is Learning the Radiotelegraph Code, by ARRL, 1963. 48 pages.
Course on learning code.

2nd is The Radio Amateur's License Manaul, by ARRL, 1964.108 pages.
Discusses various class of licenses, US regulations and
international regulations.

3rd is How to Become A Radio Amateur, by ARRL, 1964. 126
Pages. Includes schemtics and construction plans for simple
Rx and Tx
for beginners.

4th is Operating An Amateur Radio Station, by ARRL, 1964. 19
pages. Operating practices, field activities, FCC regs, Public
service communications.

Thanks for looking!!

Start bid -- $4.99

See at:
http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=36367724

1920. Free satellite dishes in N.H.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lindsay Collins <lcollins@conknet.com>
Message-ID: <362D5815.4D93307@conknet.com>
Source record: 128491

I have two satellite dishes plus parts for the asking. I will be removing (via crane) unused dishes from the roof of a bank building in Milford, NH, where the studios for WNHQ used to be located. Once on the ground, these dishes will be free for the disassembly and taking promptly. The crane date is not yet known, but it will hopefully be on or shortly after the 30th of this month.

One dish is a six foot fiberglass, the other a 12 foot fiberglass. Both are fixed position. There is also the mount for a 10 foot fiberglass, the panels of which have recently been damaged, but I have yet to go up to see what condition they are in.

In addition, I have a 10 footer in storage in Concord, NH, that I have no plans to use (tho I need to deal with the Milford ones first).

If you are interested, please call me promptly at 603/228-9036 (d), 603/495-3983 evenings.

Lindsay, K1JY

1921. Re: FT-50RD problem...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: SHANEKLUG <SHANEKLUG@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <362D313E.31CE@prodigy.net>
Source record: 128492

valerie65@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>
> Along with their non-backlit keypad, Yaesu made another faux paux. The "power
> on" button comes on with a feather touch, but takes considerable pressure to
> turn off. Thus chances for the radio accidentally coming on are that much
> greater, say if you have it in a bag or even on your belt. Short of removing
> the battery pack, I don't see any way of preventing accidental power-on. If
> anyone has a suggestion, would love to hear it.
> 73,
>
> KE6OCM
>
> -----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own
i dont have a real FIX... but after MANY times of getting into my truck
after work to find my ft50 with a dead battery and no spare... (because
it turned on after i stuck it in the glove box) i set the auto off timer
to half hour... so that will 'fix' that prob...

Shane KC8IRW

1922. Re: VIRUS WARNING

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Karl Andrews <kandrews@ichips.intel.com>
Message-ID: <362D2D58.3B3440D6@ichips.intel.com>
Source record: 128493

This is a hoax, the message itself is the "virus", clogging the 'net with
useless warnings.
See http://www.nai.com/services/support/hoax.asp

- Karl
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The avalanche has already started.
It is too late for the pebbles to vote. - Kosh Naranek, Babylon 5

1923. Drake L4B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Woolem <jwoolem@flash.net>
Message-ID: <362D32F5.5FF830EE@flash.net>
Source record: 128494

Nice Drake L4B 750 plus shipping

1924. Re: FS; Kenwood YK-88A filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris <ck5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <362D32C6.6A89@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 128495
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchor

n3bj@hotmail.com wrote:
>
> For Sale: Kenwood YK-88C AM filter, 6 KHz, for many Kenwood radios.
> Excellent shape, looks new.
>
> $50 shipped
>
> Alan, N3BJ
> Bent Mountain, VA
>
> -----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own
Please make correction to your item. In the subject line it's an YK-88A
and in the body it's a YK-88C. Please let me know what did you take it
out of? 73 ck

1925. FS***Pride DX-300 HF amp***

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: KF6IKC@webtv.net
Message-ID: <29932-362D38D6-23@newsd-134.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 128496
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Have a ex.cond. Pride Electronics DX-300 10-80m. amp. This little amp uses a single 4CX250B and with about 15 watts PEP input will put out 500-600 watts PEP.Comes with a copy of the manual. Price is $550.00 + shipping.

73's
Stan (530)241-0843

1926. Re: Linux and HAm Radio ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Timmers <john_timmers@mindlink.bc.ca>
Message-ID: <362D3C99.4DDA00CB@mindlink.bc.ca>
Source record: 128497

Carl Walthall wrote:
>
> I'am looking for a good web site
> for Linux and ham radio.
>
> Thanks in advance
> Carl

http://www.linuxapps.com/ and follow the menu down to Hamradio -- click
on it
--
Regards:
By the way, this message may or may not contain binary data
and/or binary data by-products
Selfish Website http://mindlink.bc.ca/john_timmers

1927. For Sale Kenwood 940S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don <don@q1.net>
Message-ID: <908936569.481501@nntpcache1.nortel.net>
Source record: 128498

Selling my friends collection of 30 yrs for his widow,He has a nice 940S and she is taking offers for his gear Tnx don w8zrz

1928. Re: Kenwood TMV-7A alignment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <362D62D5.5247@onramp.net>
Source record: 128499

Jeremy Hopkins wrote:
>
> I'M looking for info on alinging my tmv 7. i would guess it is a front
> panel operation since there are only two pots inside the radio. i would
> like to change the pl level and power output levels.
>
> --
> Jeremy W. Hopkins
> Toledo OHIO USA
> KC8GWH
> http://www.toltbbs.com/~jhop

Don't even think of going there without the Service Manual and the
proper equipment..
--
Clif Holland KA5IPF
Owner of AVVid, an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
Click on the following or call 1-800-214-5779
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

1929. Re: Kenwood TS-130S Problem.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <362D636A.624B@onramp.net>
Source record: 128500
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,aus.radio.amateur.misc

Richard wrote:
>
> I have a Kenwood TS-130S, The output power is only 30Watts, does anybody
> know the tune up / allignment proceedure?
>
> Any assistance would be greatly appreciated.
>
> Thank you.
> Richard.
>
> E-Mail 43z280@mpx.com.au

It's not tune-up or alignment. Don't make the problem worse by trying
that. You didn't say the band or power out per band or maybe I could
help more..
--
Clif Holland KA5IPF
Owner of AVVid, an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
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1930. F/S ICOM GEAR !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: HRE <hamradio@wizzards.net>
Message-ID: <362D6314.1018@wizzards.net>
Source record: 128501
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

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Very Easy to Use, Can be modded to Xmit Wide Band / Out of Band
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2 Meters 50 Watts & 35 Watts 440 Mhz. / Manual, DC Cable
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FL-32A * 500hz. CW Filter / IC-735/R70/71A/745/751 Many Models = $89.00
FL-52A * 500hz. CW Filter / 2nd. IF $119.00
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MB-12 * Mobile Mounting Bracket / IC-71A $35.00
MB-18 * Mobile Mounting Bracket / IC-740/745/751 $40.00
OPC-118 * 24 pin to Din/Din Interface Cable $15.00 Ea.
IC-SM-6 Desk mic. $65.00 - Very Clean !
IC-SM-8 Deluxe Double Cable Desk Mic. $95.00 - Like New
DC-1 * DC Adapter - Pack for the IC-2at / 3at / 4at / SALE $29.00 / NEW
HM-9 * Deluxe Speaker/Mic. * New $40.00 / Demo $30.00

ICOM IC-706 * NEW Accessories * SALE *
OPC-581 * Separation Cable / NEW = $56.00
OPC-25 * H/D DC Cables for Most Model HF Radios $27.00
OPC-596 * Accessory plug with wires $29.00
OPC-589 * 8 pin Mic. plug to Jack Adapter Cable / NEW = $33.00
OPC-599 * 7 + 8 Pin to 13 Pin adapter / $62.00
MB-62 * Mobile Mounting Bracket / NEW = $22.00
Only one each at this price.

NEW * MFJ 300 Watt Antenna Tuners on Sale NOW !!!
MFJ-948 = $119.00 * SALE !
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MFJ-949E = $139.00 * SALE !
MFJ-259 = $200.00 * SALE ! HF/VHF Analyzer

Joe Reaves / N6fra (541) 479-1212
Ham Radio Equipment
http://www.wizzards.net/hamradio

1931. Re: Ham radio Swap

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: HRE <hamradio@wizzards.net>
Message-ID: <362D66DA.37A0@wizzards.net>
Source record: 128502
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

HRE Has this Quality Ham Radio web Page listed on our links...
http://www.wizzards.net/hamradio
Come and See our HRE page... Lots of Good Info, Used and New Gear...
Thanks, Joe / N6fra

Danny wrote:
>
> Ham Radio Swap !!!
> Buy, Sell, Trade & Wants
> All Personal Ham Related Ads Posted FREE !!
> Over 750 Hits Yesturday...
>
> http://www.fishnet.net/~ko6oy/swapage4.htm
>
> Hi, if you haven't been here in a while,
> we have new updates and an easier loading page.
> Stop by for a visit.
> and if you have..... thanks !!
> 73 Danny ko6oy

1932. Fluke Model 97 ScopeMeter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al <K6DJP@postoffice.pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <362D7BC2.D0D8755E@postoffice.pacbell.net>
Source record: 128503
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Scopemeter is a dual trace 50 Mhz unit in excellent condition.Includes operators manual,service manual,all probes,carying case and charger.$700 or trade for radio equipment.
Al

1933. [Fwd: Placerville Swap.....Canceled.....]

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jason Wilson <jwilson@inforum.net>
Message-ID: <362D7FE0.F41FDD36@inforum.net>
Source record: 128504
Cross-posted to: sac.swap,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

-------- Original Message --------
Subject: Placerville Swap.....Canceled.....
Resent-Date: Tue, 20 Oct 98 23:13:13 PDT
Resent-From: <h&h@inforum.net>
Resent-To: jwilson@inforum.net
Date: Tue, 20 Oct 1998 23:13:02 -0700
From: Jason Wilson <jwilson@inforum.net>
Reply-To: jwilson@inforum.net
Organization: KE6BUU
To: H and H Electronics <h&h@inforum.net>

Dear All:

This letter is advise all that due to lack of participation of the Monthly Radio Swap In Placerville we have decited to cancel the swap indefinataly. If you have any questions of comments plesae email me directly as this message will appear on mail lists and remailers.

73 and thank you for your time

Jason Wilson
KE6BUU

Reach me by ICQ. My ICQ# is 3360785 or,
* Page me online through my Personal Communication Center:
http://wwp.mirabilis.com/3360785 (go there and try it!) or,
* Send me E-mail Express directly to my computer screen 3360785@pager.mirabilis.com
For downloading ICQ at http://www.icq.com/
73
Jason Wilson
KE6BUU

1934. FS: TenTec Model 280 PS - $85 shipped

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3bj@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <70hpj3$5r3$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128584
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

FS: TenTec Model 280 power supply, about a 8.5 out of 10. Works fine, no manual, from estate sale. With ammeter, companion to Omni C.

$85 shipped

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1935. FS: Kenwood TS-130V

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3bj@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <70hpuq$68k$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128585
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale: Rare Kenwood TS-130V, about a 8.5+ out of 10, works perfectly, most stable PTO I've seen in this series. Copies of owners and service manual, DC cord. Stock unit, no mods. This is a classic QRP rig, hate to let it go, but opportunity on another radio beckons. This is a keeper.

$400 shipped

Alan, N3BJ

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1936. Kenwood AT-50 Automatic Ant tuner for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: qin2@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981020065112.06394.00004145@ng-fi1.aol.com>
Source record: 128586

Kenwood AT-50 Automatic antenna tuner for Kenwood TS-50. Perfect condition with all original paperwork , packing , cables and box . Used 3 times. $250 firm. Includes shipping . Rob KB2VX

1937. Who recognizes this morse key?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: pa3duc@amsat.org
Message-ID: <362c85a8.18673367@news.xs4all.nl>
Source record: 128587

Please have a look at www.qsl.net/pa3duc. If you recognize this key, I would be very grateful if you could share the information with me.

73! Rene

1938. Re: SEA automatic antenna coupler questions..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Kenneth M. Gianino" <ken@hnvr.com>
Message-ID: <362C80F6.2A8B@hnvr.com>
Source record: 128588
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.ssb

Technofreak wrote:
>
> It's called Stevens Engineering Associated and they originally made
> the antenna coupler which the design was then "Ahem" borrowed by SGC .
>

I don't know which company originated the design, but I really doubt
that it was "borrowed". -More likely sold or OEM'd. Sunair has within
the last two years introduced what also looks to be the same tuner as
the SG-230, but in a much more rugged and weatherproof case.
-Ken

1939. Re: SEA automatic antenna coupler questions..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Kenneth M. Gianino" <ken@hnvr.com>
Message-ID: <362C80A0.1E85@hnvr.com>
Source record: 128589
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.ssb

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-Ken

1940. Re: Radio Shack Simplex Repeater - Opinions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: clintbrad4d@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <70i4b1hkc1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128590

In article <362bcdfa.0@news.ic.net>,
pcr@ten.ci (phil reed {domain actually ic.net - reversed for anti-spam})
wrote:
> Has anybody tried out the RS Simplex repeater? Any experiences?

It works as advertised...but I'm working on a lead that has them for much less money than RS sells them for, though.

- Clint Bradford

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1941. Re: Bycott E-bay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: clintbrad4d@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <70i4jphof1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128591

In article <362BAD53.6F73@bellsouth.net>,
phillij1@bellsouth.net wrote:

> I know this not the place for this type of submission, but I just had to
> relate my experience with e-bay and the party concerned (Rich)

But you posted your nonsense anyway.

Let's re-cap: you had a questionable experience with an E-Bay USER...yet you title your message (illiterately), "Bycott E-bay" as if THEY were somehow to blame.

You owe E-Bay an apology for demeaning their service in public.

- Clint

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1942. Alinco DR-150

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: KLEITMS <KLEITMSMP@DUVHA.DVP>
Message-ID: <01bdfc21$2403efc0$0a346e93@duvi.eskom.co.za>
Source record: 128592

Please...can anybody tell me how to "open up" the DR-150 mobile VHF rig....
I was told it is very easy but at that stage I was not interested. (...just
a wire to be cut or something like that...)

Thanks.
Christo ZS6CGP
South Africa.

1943. NEXTEL i600 for sale (Like NEW in box) $150

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: ligosa@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981020085717.05105.00003450@ng93.aol.com>
Source record: 128593

NEXTEL i600 for sale (Like NEW in box) $150
Includes Dual slot desktop rapid charger
Nickel metal Hydrde battery
Papers, booklets etc. And Leather case

Chris
718-642-1087
ligosa@aol.com

1944. For Sale Cleaning Shack

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: cemely@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981020091649.06382.00004021@ng-fi1.aol.com>
Source record: 128594

ForSale

Sunair GSB900DX HF Transceiver, 100 Watt, 1.6-30, with manual $400 OBO. AZDEN PCS4000 $100, AZDEN PCS5000 $150, (2) Tempo S-5 2 meter handhelds with new batteries $150/pair. ICOM IC2AT with accessories $120, PK232MBX $225, PK-88 $90, 312B4 winged $125, KWM-380 converted to full coverage, filters, keypad, SM281, original box, make offer. TS-50S with accessories, excellent, $700. All plus shipping from Virginia. W1NW/4, chemely@cbc.org, 703-690-0005.

1945. Re: Bycott E-bay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Grant Youngman <nq5t@gte.net>
Message-ID: <70i2h9nuc1@news-1.news.gte.net>
Source record: 128595

nd the e-mail
> and he said the first person to contact him would get the item. I
> called him and he said the item had already been sold. Hum, I thought
> that I had the bid. To my dismay, I didn't get the amp. Maybe I
> should boycott (Rich) the party. Maybe everyone should.

You can notify eBay of persons who abuse or don't follow the procedures
in the user agreement. Go to http://pages.ebay.com/aw/invest5.html to
check out the reporting procedure.

This is, of course, in addition to posting negative feedback.

Grant/nq5t
nq5t@gte.net

1946. MERCURY PADDLE Dust Cover

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: fractenna@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981020093504.22088.00003298@ng30.aol.com>
Source record: 128596

I am still hitting myself on the head for not getting the dust cover for my Mercury paddle. I know the late N2DAN built the paddles, but someone else did the dust covers. Anyone know how I can buy one?

TU!

Chip N1IR

1947. IC 701 pwr cable will swap for IC 735 power cable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: miracleaud@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981020100409.02936.00002076@ng91.aol.com>
Source record: 128597

I have a IC 701 pwr cable will swap for IC 735 power cable. Email miracleaud@aol.com.

73's
John
WB6JKQ

1948. Re: IC-T8A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: frederick.mckenzie-1@kmail.ksc.nasa.gov
Message-ID: <frederick.mckenzie-1-2010981003480001@k4dii.ksc.nasa.gov>
Source record: 128598

In article <36282428.0@news1.ibm.net>, "Jay A" <jltmn@ibm.net> wrote:
> Cellular CAN be heard.

Jay-

My IC-T8A skips over about 20 MHz in the 800 MHz range. I did hear some one-sided conversations in the region just above 800 MHz. However, these might be images as someone else suggested.

73, Fred, K4DII

1949. TEST TEST TEST

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bluebeard <geoff444@aol.com>
Message-ID: <908894646.346408@newdm.deskmedia.com>
Source record: 128599

This a test.

1950. ICOM-756 For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frank Krozel <frank@electronicinstrument.com>
Message-ID: <362CA593.8C2D90A9@electronicinstrument.com>
Source record: 128600

I have a very clean Icom 756 with built in tuner. I have added the 455Khz 500HZ CW filter since I bought it. Comes with original box, manual. $1,500 FIRM. Frank 630-924-1600 work

1951. F-S KENWOOD TS-440 AT $825.00 N1HHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gabriel G melo <n1hhf@110.net>
Message-ID: <70i8pv$8pi$1@stalker.oem.net>
Source record: 128601

1-401-434-2606

1952. FS:Heathkit VF-1 VFO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Randy Fish <fish@microlink.net>
Message-ID: <01bdfc3d$190b0880$59daa0d1@randyfis>
Source record: 128602

For Sale, Heathkit VF-1 VFO, about a 7 on a 1 to 10.
$40 shipped. Thanks.
Randy N0SAH
fish@microlink.net

1953. WTB Icom 202S 2mtr SSB QRP rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: guardm@aol.comjunkblk
Message-ID: <19981020113106.01134.00003004@ng36.aol.com>
Source record: 128603

I am looking for a Icom 202s 2mtr SB QRp rig. If you have one or know of where
I can get one please drop me a note.
Mev
www.qsl.net/kg9nf
remove "junkblk" from e-mail address if you drop me a note.

1954. re boycott ebay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: guy quartarone <guyq@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <70ib55$rra@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 128604

I too have had a bad experience with ebay. Its not worth the hassle

1955. Need Help To Locate Manual for Monarch Tube Tester

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: sppolak@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981020123125.02611.00003045@ng108.aol.com>
Source record: 128605

Model TT-200 Appreciate any help

1956. Re: FS: VX1R, ver 105, + accessories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Farmwald <mike@farmwald.com>
Message-ID: <362CC3DD.CA09FFFD@farmwald.com>
Source record: 128606
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I'll take it. How would like to to payment?

Mike Farmwald

650-851-9316

N1QVE wrote:

> Hi
> I have for sale a Yaesu VX1R micro-dualbander in absolutely new
> condition. Includes charger & lithium battery, antenna, docs, & box.
> Also have the soft case, the SMA-BNC adapter, and the VE3AYR VX1R
> handbook. $210+shipping from CT. A great HT, but I need the $$ for
> tuition.
> 73
> Harry
> N1QVE
> --
> Harry White
> Yale School of Forestry and Environmental Studies
> 205 Prospect Street
> New Haven, CT 06511
> harry.white@yale.edu harry@connix.com

1957. Re: HTX -202 how to set pl tone ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Casey <kd7afd@doitnow.com>
Message-ID: <70ihjt$id3$1@supernews.com>
Source record: 128607

For anyone who might have lost their HTX-202 manual, go here:
http://support.tandy.com/support_electronics/15563.htm

Good luck!
Keith Casey
KC7KC

1958. Linux and HAm Radio ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: cwalthal@eng.delcoelect.com
Message-ID: <70ihot$9pr@koptsw8s.delcoelect.com>
Source record: 128608

I'am looking for a good web site
for Linux and ham radio.

Thanks in advance
Carl

Please send responce to

cwalthal@iquest.net

1959. FS: ICOM AT-500 Automatic Antenna Tuner $295.00 + shipping

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5pwj@aol.com123
Message-ID: <19981020140816.21940.00001380@ngol01.aol.com>
Source record: 128609

Very good shape works well can interface with any ICOM xceivers.
Please e-mail with questions or offers. 73 rich

1960. Re: What ham radio is today.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don W6JL <Don_Huff@hp.com>
Message-ID: <362CDF7A.503F@hp.com>
Source record: 128610
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

>
> It is interesting that I so much missed in ham radio what you claim to
> have never experienced.
>
> Avery

Avery OM,

I could not agree more. Every day, twice a day, I am on the air for 30-45 minutes, morning and evening, on my way to/from work. 40M CW mostly. Almost every day I have a great QSO with someone, and we cover all kinds of ground from family, QTH's, antennas, rigs, weather, bio's, you name it.
This morning on 40CW I got a call from an old friend from 18 years back. We both flew the same kind of airplane (Mooney M18 Mite) years ago, so we had a lot to talk about. Just one example.
There are LOTS of FB ops out there, at least on CW. I can't provide any info re: phone, since I am not a phone man.

73 and Enjoy,
Don, W6JL

1961. Wanted:- Midland 7001

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dogma <jack.axl@btinternet.com>
Message-ID: <01bdfc54$e8a4aa80$ad3d63c3@default>
Source record: 128611
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,man.ham-radio,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Private collector situated in the UK, wishes to buy a Midland 7001.
Preferably in good working order, but would consider faulty sets if priced accordingly.

1962. Re: How do you like FT-50RD?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Missing in Action <kbrana@eunet.yu>
Message-ID: <70in5aecl1@SOLAIR2.EUnet.yu>
Source record: 128612

Thank you on your reply and P.S. There is a lot of reasons that I buy
FT-50RD .
If you have time, tell me something. I found some where the FT-50R what is
the diference
50R vs. 50RD
Call YT7RRF

Thomas wrote in message ...
>In article <6vrc06qcl1@SOLAIR2.EUnet.yu> "Brana From YU"
<kbrana@eunet.yu> writes:
>
>But altogether, I'd recommend it. If you get it, get a third
>party NiMH battery; they are a lot better than the NiCd batteries
>that come with it.
>
>Thomas.
>
>PS: If you request information, please either take your responses off
>the newsgroups or offer to summarize the responses and follow up.
>If everybody says "please send me information about X" and all responses
>are sent in the mail, people will soon stop bothering reading these
>newsgroups.
>

1963. Re: Bycott E-bay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: BAL <wcpd@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <O#yW8JG$9GA.156@rpc1284.daytonoh.ncr.com>
Source record: 128613

No one owes EBAY anything. The whole thing is a hassle. I also BID on an item. I was the highest bidder and received confirmation from Ebay via email. I emailed the seller. I took a two day business trip and when I returned I had negative feedback posted on me by the seller saying I was unresponsive. The whole thing is not worth it. It's more hassle than it's worth. I contacted EBAY about this and was tole it is the seller's discretion as to how much time is enough for the buyer to respond even though I sent the first email to the seller. The place should be Boycott!!!!

clintbrad4d@earthlink.net wrote in message
<70i4jphof1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>In article <362BAD53.6F73@bellsouth.net>,
> phillij1@bellsouth.net wrote:
>
>> I know this not the place for this type of submission, but I just had to
>> relate my experience with e-bay and the party concerned (Rich)
>
>But you posted your nonsense anyway.
>
>Let's re-cap: you had a questionable experience with an E-Bay USER...yet
you
>title your message (illiterately), "Bycott E-bay" as if THEY were somehow
to
>blame.
>
>You owe E-Bay an apology for demeaning their service in public.
>
> - Clint
>
>-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1964. Re: IC-T8A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: WebMonkey <address@below.com>
Message-ID: <362CEEE6.14CA@below.com>
Source record: 128614

Matt Gilbert wrote:
>
> Are you referring to images or the actual cell freqs?
>
> I've got a copy of a hardware mod that is *supposed*
> to enable cell but I haven't tried it, not that interested.
>
what's the mod?

--
A.C. Curtis
KBï¿½WLF

mailto:demoman@rollanet.org
http://www.rollanet.org/~demoman

1965. Disabled Kenwood TS-570DG

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: wcgodwin@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981020162332.16756.00003552@ng39.aol.com>
Source record: 128615

I have a Kenwood TS-570DG which has had the transmit-side
disabled.
Unfortunately,this appears to mean that the built-in ATU does
not work !!
Anyone have any information how to get it to work ??
{ notice 2 cable-plug sockets,"CN3" & "CN4" have no wiring
attached...is this what is disabling it ?? }

1966. Re: Gonset 2-meter on ebay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "M. Ludgero Sousa" <sousa@span.ch>
Message-ID: <70it69$k1l$1@sibyl.sunrise.ch>
Source record: 128616
Cross-posted to: alabama.birmingham.radio.amateur,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap,us.misc.family-radio

JoeKB8QLR a �crit dans le message <70fald$4nk$1@cletus.bright.net>...
>For Sale: Gonset Communicator II 2-meter AM rig on the eBay auction
website.
>
>http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=35842389
>

1967. Yaesu FT8100 problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gresham Hendmier <froboil@imsont.net>
Message-ID: <70iudrjst1@news3.mr.net>
Source record: 128617

Several hams in the area are experiencing problems with the 8000 and 8100 series dual banders. Usually on high or medium power. From the operators point, all appears normal with only a slight decrease on the power meter. To the listener, there is a low pitched garbling sound and no audio. Sometimes , the signal drops several "S" units. I know there is a factory mod installing jumper wires to take heavy current loads off of the extremely thin circuit paths. Anyone experiencing a like problem or have any suggestions?

1968. Re: Disabled Kenwood TS-570DG

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: charlesdavis@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <MPG.1096cb72a7d1cc8698994d@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 128618
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

In article <19981020162332.16756.00003552@ng39.aol.com>, wcgodwin@aol.com
says...
> I have a Kenwood TS-570DG which has had the transmit-side
> disabled.
> Unfortunately,this appears to mean that the built-in ATU does
> not work !!
> Anyone have any information how to get it to work ??
> { notice 2 cable-plug sockets,"CN3" & "CN4" have no wiring
> attached...is this what is disabling it ?? }
>
Make sure to look in the menu (#38), and see that the tx is turned on.
--
Charles
<<>>

1969. IC-756 Zero Beat

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: chelms@occ-uky.campuscw.net
Message-ID: <362cfe7c.4800322@news.campuscw.net>
Source record: 128619

Here's a dumb question from a new ham. Got this new IC-756. Doesn't have a BFO (that I can find) to use to accurately determine the frequency of another CW station. There is an adjustable CW Tone knob which allows the operator to vary the sidetone from 300 to about 900 Hz for a pleasing tone when you are dead on the other guy's freq, but how do you know when you're there, especially since this CW tone function apparently skews the perceived zero beat by the frequency of the tone and you can't turn it off? The aircraft HF rigs I have used, and most of the SW receivers I used years ago all had BFOs for precise tuning. I called Icom and they said to use the S meter. Right. The S meter is jumping all over the place following some guy's code and I'm really going to be able to get an accurate frequency placement by looking for a peak value while messing with the vfo tuning knob. Manual doesn't even mention zero beating. Best technique I can come up with is to turn off the break-in keying, tune the station, close the key and adjust the vfo to try to match the sidetone with the station tone. Any ideas here?

Chuck
chelms@occ-uky.campuscw.net

1970. FT-50RD problem...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: valerie65@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <70j4k8lkg1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128620

Along with their non-backlit keypad, Yaesu made another faux paux. The "power on" button comes on with a feather touch, but takes considerable pressure to turn off. Thus chances for the radio accidentally coming on are that much greater, say if you have it in a bag or even on your belt. Short of removing the battery pack, I don't see any way of preventing accidental power-on. If anyone has a suggestion, would love to hear it.
73,

KE6OCM

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1971. F/S Kenwood Gear

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: HRE <hamradio@wizzards.net>
Message-ID: <362D01A5.4E7C@wizzards.net>
Source record: 128621
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

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USED $29.00 / "New in Box = $45.00"
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Joe Reaves / N6fra
(541) 479-1212

http://www.wizzards.net/hamradio

1972. Re: Remote Operation of HF Station?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "CHRISTOPHER W. (Chris) BOONE" <CBoone@Earthlink.Net>
Message-ID: <362CFE9B.9039C89D@Earthlink.Net>
Source record: 128622

AEA was behind the times. They sold TWO units....Hamlink and RadioLink
Hamlink used telephone only; Radiolink used radio only...NEITHER could
do both..........BUT the ACC Shackmaster 100 COULD and DOES!!!
I own two of them....had one hooked up to my TS680 near Houston...
worked like a champ!!! Could operate CW by putting the rig in CW
mode and using a single tone decoder (2175Hz) to decode my tone
sending from the house down the phone line and keyed the rig...
(you COULD also use a 1kHz tone into the mic input on SSB BUT if
the line became noisy, so would your signal...NOT a good way to
go unless you had a 1kHz bandpass filter to clean it up...)

SM100s (or Shackmasters as they are called) are still on the USED
market for prices almost equal to what they sold for new....they dont
stay on the market long....best rig to use with them is Kenwood..
They had problems with early ICOMs and Yaesus....

OR get a LinkComm rptr controller and use it to control any HF rig.
Use of radio remote control requires AUX operation above 222.15 MHz
ONLY!!! You cannot use 2mtrs down for such operation...its in the
rules..

Chris
WB5ITT

David Toste wrote:
>
> At one time AEA had a device that you could do radio via the phone. I was
> once chatting with a fellow on 80m while he was at work at some TV
> station, using a Icom706. He would hit # to TX then # again to stop, it
> was all done via a phone. Could be used via cell phone and payphone. I
> only wish I had this setup while I did the midnight shift.
>
> Don't recall what the unit model was. WAS becuase AEA is no longer around.
>

1973. Re: Guide to the rec.radio Newsgroups

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "CHRISTOPHER W. (Chris) BOONE" <CBoone@Earthlink.Net>
Message-ID: <362D00A6.E66CFBA6@Earthlink.Net>
Source record: 128623
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Jeffrey,

Are you a moderator of the Rec.Radio.xxx NGs?? I saw nothing
in the below to tell me that.....if not, what authority do you
have in any of the groups??? Are you a user who has made up the
FAQ below? or are you a moderator with control over the charter?
Your posting about rec.radio.amateur.equipment NOT being for
posting for sale msgs leaves me somewhat baffled....and again
I ask...by what authority do you make such a statement?

Please provide a copy of the CHARTER of the NG to back up your claims.
Your own words are not law unless there is evidence to back it up

Chris
WB5ITT

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
> Archive-name: radio/personal-intro
>
> This message describes the rec.radio.amateur.*, rec.radio.cb,
> rec.radio.info, and rec.radio.swap newsgroups, as well as their Internet
> mailing list counterparts and complements. It is intended to serve as a
> guide for the new reader on what to find where. Questions and comments may
> be directed to Jeffrey Herman, KH2PZ, (jeffreyh@hawaii.edu), or Paul
> Schleck, K3FU, pschleck@novia.net.
>
> This message was last changed on 14 March, 1998.
>
> History
> =======
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> Way back when, before there was a Usenet, the Internet hosted a mailing list
> for hams, called (appropriately enough) INFO-HAMS. Ham radio discussions
> were held on the mailing list, and sent to the mailboxes of those who had
> signed up for it. When the Usenet software was created, and net news as we
> now know it was developed, a newsgroup was created for hams: net.ham-radio.
> The mailing list and the newsgroup were gatewayed together, eventually.
>
> Over the years, as the net grew, the volume of discussion became
> progressively higher. First one by one, and then as part of two
> reorganizations, what was once one group became many. In the process,
> developments elsewhere on the net were reflected in the groups as they were
> created, most notably the change to place all of the ham radio groups in one

> hierarchy.
>
> The collection of newsgroups continues to grow as more people join the net,
> and as more topics of discussion gain volume, I expect to see more groups be
> created as well. This follows what is happening on the rest of the net.
>
> Nearly all of the radio newsgroups have corresponding mailing lists, the
> notable exception being rec.radio.swap. There are also a few mailing lists
> that don't have newsgroups.
>
> The Current Groups
> ==================
>
> It's important to post messages to the group that's appropriate for them,
> and not to the groups that aren't. The whole idea of having different
> newsgroups is so that folks who aren't interested in, say, homebrewing,
> don't have to wade through messages about homebrewing on the way to read
> about Field Day. Posting appropriately is just good etiquette.
>
> The rec.radio.amateur.misc group is the catchall. It is what rec.ham-radio
> was renamed to during the first major reorganization. Any message that's not
> more appropriate in one of the other groups belongs here, from contesting to
> DX to ragchewing on VHF to information on becoming a ham.
>
> The group rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc is for discussions related to
> (surprise!) digital amateur radio. This doesn't have to be the common
> two-meter AX.25 variety of packet radio, either; some of the most
> knowledgeable folks in radio digital communications can be found here, and
> anything in the general area is welcome. The name was changed to emphasize
> this, and to encourage discussion not only of other text-based digital
> modes, such as AMTOR, RTTY, and Clover, but things like digital voice and
> video as well. The former group, rec.radio.amateur.packet, was removed on
> September 21st, 1993. It is obsolete, and you should use .digital.misc
> instead (or the appropriate new mailing list, mentioned below). The group
> has .misc as part of the name to allow further specialization if the users
> wish it, such as .digital.tcp-ip.
>
> The swap group is rec.radio.swap. This recognizes a fact that became
> evident shortly after the original group was formed: Hams don't just swap ham
> radio gear, and other folks besides hams swap ham equipment. If you have radio
> equipment, or test gear, or computer stuff that hams would be interested in,
> here's the place. Equipment wanted postings belong here too. Discussions about
> the equipment generally don't; if you wish to discuss a particular posting
> with the buyer, email is a much better way to do it, and the other groups,
> especially .equipment and .homebrew, are the place for public discussions.
> There is now a regular posting with information on how to go about buying and
> selling items in rec.radio.swap; please refer to it before you post there.
> To answer a frequently asked question: No, there is no mailing list that
> goes along with this group. If you can't read Usenet news directly, you're
> out of luck.

>
> The group rec.radio.amateur.policy was created as a place for all the
> discussions that seem to drag on interminably about the many rules,
> regulations, legalities, and policies that surround amateur radio, both
> existing and proposed. Recent changes to the Amateur Radio Rules (FCC Part
> 97) have finally laid to rest the Great Usenet Pizza Autopatch Debate - it's
> now legal to order a pizza on the autopatch, if you're not in the pizza
> business - as well as complaints about now-preempted local scanner laws
> hostile to amateurs, but plenty of discussion about what a bunch of rotten
> no-goodniks the local frequency coordinating body is, as well as the
> neverending no-code debate, may still be found here.
>
> The group rec.radio.cb is the place for all discussion about the Citizens'
> Band radio service. Such discussions have been very inflammatory in
> rec.ham-radio in the past; please do not cross-post to both rec.radio.cb and
> rec.radio.amateur.* unless the topic is genuinely of interest to both hams
> and CBers - and very few topics are.
>
> The rec.radio.info group is just what its name implies: it's the place where
> informational messages from across rec.radio.* may be found, regardless of
> where else they're posted. As of this writing, information posted to the
> group includes Cary Oler's daily solar progagation bulletins, ARRL
> bulletins, the Frequently Asked Questions files for the various groups, and
> radio modification instructions. This group is moderated, so you cannot post
> to it directly; if you try, even if your message is crossposted to one of
> the other groups, your message will be mailed to the moderator, who is
> currently David Dodell, WB7TPY. The email address for submissions to the
> group is rec-radio-info@stat.com. Inquires and other administrivia should be
> directed to rec-radio-info-request@stat.com. For more information about
> rec.radio.info, consult the introduction and posting guidelines that are
> regularly posted to that newsgroup.
>
> The groups r.r.amateur.antenna, .boatanchors, .dx, .equipment, .homebrew,
> and .space are for more specialized areas of ham radio: discussions about
> antennas, the older tube based amateur, military, and commercial gear,
> commercially-made equipment, homebrewing, and amateur radio space operations.
> The .equipment group is not the place for buying or selling equipment; that's
> what rec.radio.swap is for. Similarly, the .space group is specifically
> about amateur radio in space, such as the OSCAR program and SAREX, the Shuttle
> Amateur Radio EXperiment; other groups cover other aspects of satellites and
> space. Homebrewing isn't about making your own alcoholic beverages at home
> (that's rec.crafts.brewing), but rather construction of radio and electronic
> equipment by the amateur experimenter. The .dx group is devoted to long
> distance amateur communications. Each of these subgroups has its own
> charter and FAQ; please refer to the archives to find these documents.
>
> Except for rec.radio.swap and rec.radio.cb, all of these newsgroups are
> available by Internet electronic mail in digest format; send a mail message
> containing "help" on a line by itself to listserv@ucsd.edu for instructions
> on how to use the mail server.

>
> All of the groups can be posted to by electronic mail, though, by using a
> gateway at the University of Texas at Austin. To post a message this way,
> change the name of the group you wish to post to by replacing all of the '.'s
> with '-'s - for example, rec.radio.swap becomes rec-radio-swap - and send to
> that name@cs.utexas.edu (rec-radio-swap@cs.utexas.edu, for example). You may
> crosspost by including multiple addresses as Cc: entries (but see below). This
> gateway's continued availability is at the pleasure of the admins at
> UT-Austin, and is subject to going away at any time - and especially if
> forgeries and other net.abuses become a problem. You have been warned.
>
> Mailing Lists
> =============
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> In addition to the mailing lists that mirror the Usenet newsgroups, there
> also are a few that stand alone. These cover specific areas of ham radio,
> and discussion is focused on just those areas.
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> The cq-contest mailing list is for discussions of contesting in ham radio.
> To join, send email with the word "subscribe" on a line by itself to
> cq-contest-request@tgv.com.
>
> The DX mailing list covers the finer points of DXing. This one is also
> joined by mailing "subscribe" on a line by itself, this time to
> dx-request@unbc.edu.
>
> There's also a VHF mailing list, for VHF operators of the weak signal
> persuasion. You can join this one be sending "subscribe vhf" on a line by
> itself to vhf-request@w6yx.stanford.edu.
>
> The QRP-L list is devoted to building and operating gear at low-power
> outputs. To subscribe, send an email to listproc@lehigh.edu and only
> write: subscribe qrp-l Your Name.
>
> The TopBand e-list is devoted to all areas of operation on 160m. To
> subscribe, send an email to majordomo@contesting.com and only write:
> subscribe topband and follow the instructions you'll be sent.
> This site, contesting.com, also hosts a couple dozen other ham-related
> e-lists. Use the above address, and only write: lists to get the entire
> index.
>
> The Boatanchors e-list is devoted to the older tube-based ham, military,
> and commercial communications gear. To subscribe, send an email to:
> listserv@listserv.tempe.gov and only write: subscribe boatanchors
>
> For homebuilding transmitters and receivers using tube technology,
> there is the Glowbugs e-list; send an email to:
> majordomo@piobaire.mines.uidaho.edu and only write:
> subscribe glowbugs <your@address.here>
>

> The VHF DX discussion list can be accessed by sending an email
> to: majordomo@blacksheep.org and only writing: subscribe VHF-DX-discuss.
>
> Qth.net hosts over 100 ham-related e-lists, including lists devoted
> to each state, manufacturer, mode, band - too many to state here. Send
> an email to majordomo@qth.net and only write: lists to get the
> complete index.
>
> For one of the most complete indexes of email lists, see
> http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageae.html
>
> Please do NOT send subscription requests to the mailing lists themselves;
> that doesn't work very often, and is very annoying to those on the list.
> Also, please keep your electronic mail address current with any mailing
> lists you subscribe to, as dealing with returned email is a nuisance for the
> person maintaining the mailing list.
>
> A Few Words on Crossposting
> ===========================
>
> Please do not crosspost messages to two or more groups unless there is genuine
> interest in both groups in the topic being discussed, and when you do, please
> include a header line of the form "Followup-To: group.name" in your article's
> headers (before the first blank line). This will cause followups to your
> article to go to the group listed in the Followup-To: line. If you wish
> to have replies to go to you by email, rather than be posted, use the word
> "poster" instead of the name of a group. Such a line appears in the headers
> of this article.
>
> One of the few examples of productive cross-posting is with the rec.radio.info
> newsgroup. To provide a filtered presentation of information articles, while
> still maintaining visibility in their home newsgroups, the moderator strongly
> encourages cross-posting. All information articles should be submitted to the
> rec.radio.info moderator so that he may simultaneously cross-post your
> information to the appropriate newsgroups. Most newsreaders will only present
> the article once, and network bandwidth is conserved since only one article is
> propagated. If you make regular informational postings, and have made
> arrangements with the moderator to post directly to the group, please
> cross-post as appropriate.
>
> --
> Jeffrey Herman, KH2PZ
> jeffreyh@hawaii.edu
> --

1974. A Site To See !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: HRE <hamradio@wizzards.net>
Message-ID: <362D033F.7530@wizzards.net>
Source record: 128624
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

This is a Very good Ham Radio web Site to add to your bookmarks !!!

http://www.wizzards.net/hamradio

Look for Factory Pages, Used Equipment, New Equipment Sales...

Joe Reaves / N6fra 541) 479-1212

1975. 706 TUNE CONTROL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gerry Smith <w6ter@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <362CED24.CA3@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 128625

ANNOUNCING THE 706 TUNE CONTROL

The 706 TUNE CONTROL is a board
which plugs in the Molex connector
on the rear of your ICOM 706.

It makes the TUNER/CALL button on
the 706 operational. Pressing the
button cause the 706 to emit 10 watts
of steady carrier for tuning an
antenna (Yes, great for screwdriver
antenna users), a tuner, tuning an
amp, checking SWR, etc.

No radio mods required.

Works with all models of the
ICOM 706.

Check out:

http://www.qth.com/BetterRF

Cost is $32.95 + $3.00 shipping
& handling (US & Canada), $8.00
elsewhere.

Gerry, W6TER
The BetterRF Co.

1976. FA: Tektronix 317 Scope

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Etter <retter@bright.net>
Message-ID: <362D0D41.7362@bright.net>
Source record: 128626
Cross-posted to: rec.audio.marketplace,rec.audio.tubes,rec.radio.amateur.misc.,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Tektronix 317 Oscilloscope with 1959 Instruction Manual, I'd guess the
Scope to be maybe a year or two newer.
Manual in very good condition. Has complete schematics on fold out
pages.
In the back is a mint 1959 Tektronix Catalog of scopes and plug-ins.

Scope in very good condition, and has the green filter.
Scope is somewhat dirty from setting for years. The time-base
cal knob is broken. All other knobs ok.
I have powered it up, and everything appears to work. The
calibrator outputs are close, the vertical input is close,
time base looks good, and the ext. sync circuits work.
The manual has proceedures for calibrating.

Includes several coax test cables, 2 - 10X probes (1 Tektronix, 1 HP),
numerous connectors and test probes

Shipping to be paid by high bidder, based on location. I'm in zip
43532.

Thanks for looking!! start $14.99
See at:
http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=36217269

1977. FA: Tektronix 545A Manual -- Plus Plugins

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Etter <retter@bright.net>
Message-ID: <362D0C1A.5D67@bright.net>
Source record: 128627

Tektronix Instruction Manual for auction on Ebay!
To register go here: http://pages.ebay.com/aw/registration-show.html

Type 545A Oscilloscope, 1960, about 8" x 12"

In very good condition, with just slight edge wear. Military Tech
Order # written on front. (see scan)

Starting bid $1.99 Current bid (10/20) $9.07

$1.50 regular mail or $3.00 Priority Shipping
Multiple Purchases will be combined for savings

Thanks for looking!!
see at:
http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=35735892

PLUG-INS!!! All Manuals in very good shape!!
Type:
CA
K
L
3A75
and P6046 Probe

See other auctions for plug-in manuals at:
http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewListedItems&userid=retter@bright.net

1978. Wanted: Drake R-7/R-7A Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Terry <pridgent@pinn.net>
Message-ID: <om8X1.422$fl.5449646@audrey2.cais.com>
Source record: 128628
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

Looking for a Drake R-7 or R-7A receiver. Please respond to my email address.
Terry
pridgent@pinn.net

1979. question? Heath SB104 output transistors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: remarsh@juno.com
Message-ID: <5CA3DBC383502F86.3C587F701AC77EF8.26BC2FABC375C68E@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 128629

What wil replace the output transistors in the sb104A ? ecg 334?
remarsh@juno.com

1980. Re: re boycott ebay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: remarsh@juno.com
Message-ID: <1414DC6C91998398.3E61637DCC6E795E.8654E06A700A3059@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 128630

On 20 Oct 1998 15:44:37 GMT, "guy quartarone" <guyq@worldnet.att.net>
wrote:

>I too have had a bad experience with ebay. Its not worth the hassle
>
>
the prices are WAY OUTA LINE!!!!!
go to a good hamfest much much cheaper..
remarsh@juno.com

1981. Re: FT-50RD problem...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Hall" <j.d.hall@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <70j6k2$r16@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 128631

This was no accident. The button does not require additional pressure to turn it off, it only requires that you hold it down for a period of time. You may "think" that this is additional pressure, but it is not. This is simply so you do not accidentally turn it off when you are expecting "important" communications. I'll agree, though, that the instantaneous press required to power it on is insufficient in design. They should have required the same length press to turn it on and off.

As for ideas, I think your idea of removing the battery is the best and most feasible one. Aside from the other flaw you mentioned, I'd say it is a pretty good little radio. Now if the ham guys would just add priority scan like commercial radios, but I am dreaming....

John
73 --- KC7YJE
valerie65@my-dejanews.com wrote in message
<70j4k8lkg1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>Along with their non-backlit keypad, Yaesu made another faux paux. The
"power
>on" button comes on with a feather touch, but takes considerable pressure
to
>turn off. Thus chances for the radio accidentally coming on are that much
>greater, say if you have it in a bag or even on your belt. Short of
removing
>the battery pack, I don't see any way of preventing accidental power-on.
If
>anyone has a suggestion, would love to hear it.
>73,
>
>KE6OCM
>
>------------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1982. Kenwood TMV-7A alignment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeremy Hopkins <jhopkins@toltbbs.com>
Message-ID: <362D2162.BC8AF822@toltbbs.com>
Source record: 128632

I'M looking for info on alinging my tmv 7. i would guess it is a front panel operation since there are only two pots inside the radio. i would like to change the pl level and power output levels.

--
Jeremy W. Hopkins
Toledo OHIO USA
KC8GWH
http://www.toltbbs.com/~jhop

1983. Need Schematic for J.I.L. Mdl. SX-100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: turbo22367@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981020194541.19794.00000070@ng-fc1.aol.com>
Source record: 128633

Does anyone have a schematic for this Scanning Monitor Receiver. Please reply or email Steve at turbo22367@aol.com

1984. WTB: Yaesu crystal CW & SSb filters fot FT900

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: wr1q@ziplink.net
Message-ID: <70gllc$ik7$1@bombay.ziplink.net>
Source record: 128664

I am in need of a 250 Hz or 500 Hz CW crystal filter and a SSB crystal filter
for my Yaesu FT900 HF rig. Model numbers are:

XF-110S SSB filter
XF-110CN CW filter,250 Hz
XF-110C CW filter,500 Hz

Please email me price and shipping instructions.

1985. Re: What ham radio is today.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <70go1p$nhl@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 128665
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

>Moonman wrote:
>
> I could hardly agree more. I quit trying to enjoy ham radio in 1987.
> Between 1973, when I became a ham, and 1987, when I packed away my
> equipment.

Want to sell your CW gear?

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1986. Re: FT-50RD Battery questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Hall" <j.d.hall@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <70gobj$aon@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 128666

I am using a MH101 drop in charger for the FT50RD. Recharges NiMH or NiCd batts. in no time, then goes into a trickle charge mode. Works great, and you cannot beat the convenience of a drop-in charger.

John
73 --- KC7YJE
luckj@my-dejanews.com wrote in message <70gcvd$b0b$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>I really don't see any problem with using nicad's in the dry cell case.
>Yaesu doesn't recommend it because if shorted, the nicad's won't have any
>protection and can cause the case to overheat. Yeah, might happen. Maybe
>the transmissions from your radio will cause an airplane to malfunction and
>land on top of you. It definitely works if you need a working battery pack
>and you only have nicad AA's.
>
>BUT.....nicad's aren't 1.5V each; they're only 1.2 or so volts. So, 4 AA's
>give you 6V. 4 nicad's give you maybe 5 volts or so. It's not going to
give
>you the same output a "real" nicad pack would give you.
>
>
>In article <70fpr2ece1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
> valerie65@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>> This is a double-barrled question. First part: Yaesu's instruction
manual
>> says: don't use rechargable NiCad AA batteries in the FBA-15 Dry Cell
Case.
>> But isn't recharging a NiCad exactly what you do when you recharge, say,
an
>> FNB-41?
>>
>> Second part: Yaesu's "original equipment" NC-50 Rapid Charger is priced
out of
>> sight. Can anyone recommend another rapid charger which would work
safely and
>> not break your bank book?
>>
>> Thanks,
>> KE6OCM
>>
>> -----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
>> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own
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>http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1987. Want Collins

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: xxx@nb.net
Message-ID: <362C4EDF.ADCE4CA@nb.net>
Source record: 128667

Tnx for reading this...
I am looking to buy a Collins KWM-2/A.

Walt.

1988. FS: Vibroplex Original Standard Bug

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: lui@netcom.com
Message-ID: <luiF13rot.Kq1@netcom.com>
Source record: 128668
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Vibroplex Original Standard bug, black base, S/N 102049, new in box,
$100 including shipping.

Stephen
KY6K

1989. WTB TEN TEC 234 speech processor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: rhka0fbj@netins.net
Message-ID: <70gqp2$8u7$1@ins8.netins.net>
Source record: 128669
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

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Net-Tamer V 1.10 - Test Drive
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1990. FS: NCG-3000 VSWR/Power Meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: lui@netcom.com
Message-ID: <luiF13rrr.L8F@netcom.com>
Source record: 128670
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

NCG-3000 VSWR & Power Meter, 118-530 MHz, used only a couple of times, virtually new condition, $75 including shipping.

Stephen
KY6K

1991. Re: SEA automatic antenna coupler questions..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Warner <jpwarner@gte.net>
Message-ID: <70grg2cpp2@news-2.news.gte.net>
Source record: 128671
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.ssb

I stand corrected. I had SBE on the brain for some reason.

Technofreak <wizard@eskimo.com> wrote in article
<362bc9f3.1035165290@eskinews.eskimo.com>...
> It's Stevens Engineering Associates and they originally made the
> antenna coupler which the design was then "Ahem" borrowed by SGC !!!
>
>
> >Sideband Engineering Associates, has in the past manufactured marine
> >commgear,
> >and currently produces an ACSB trunked radio system which is used where
the
> >bottom of our 220MHz once was. I have not dealt with them since 1995,
but I
> >think
> >they're still around.
> >Jim
> >W1SBA/9
> >
> >
> >wa6gsd@ix.netcom.com wrote in article <36297CF7.1799@ix.netcom.com>...
> >> I have an antenna coupler (board only) that looks pretty much
> >> like an SGC-230. Per the date codes on the chips, appears to be
> >> made about 1985.. Was SGC once called SEA.. ?? Anyone have any
> >> info on this?? I have 2 SGC-230's, and this unit sure appears
> >> to be about the same.
> >>
> >> The board is marked PCB 1612-01 Rev B. There is also a number
> >> 8026-16 in marker pen on the top of the PCB..
> >>
> >> Thanks in advance for any info..
> >>
> >> Steve-WA6GSD
> >>
>
>

1992. WTB: carrying case for ICOM IC-V21AT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: haroldv@microlink.net
Message-ID: <70gtobpep1@supernews.com>
Source record: 128672
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.swap

want to buy a carrying case for the obsolete icom IC-V21AT handheld

1993. Re: FT-50RD Squelch Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Smith <bs@BSartist.com>
Message-ID: <70gv9u$o7g@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 128673

The squelch set at zero should be "wide open" with all the accompanying hiss. The higher the number the tighter the squelch and the stronger the carrier needs to be to open the squelch. (I think mine is usually at about 5).

A couple of things to keep in mind: 1) There are two squelch settings for FM: Wide and Narrow. When receiving in N-FM, make sure you are adjusting the "SQL" and not the "WSQL", but I think it should be smart enough to default to what filter you have enabled.

Another (better) possibility is that you have inadvertently enabled CTCSS (PL tone) squelch. In which case the squelch wont open unless the carrier is accompanied by the proper PL. If there is a little "T" lit up along the top of the display, then it is enabled. You hit the second key down along the right side to cycle through T, T SQ, DCS till nothing is lit.

Bill
n2asa

luckj@my-dejanews.com wrote in message <70g6u9$2oa$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>I've got a new FT-50RD with a problem. Wondered if anyone else had the same
>problem. I hate to return it to Yaesu unless I have to.
>
>I can't adjust the squelch to block channel noise but still receive
>transmissions. The squelch doesn' work until you crank it down to 1, then
the
>channel noise cuts out. Problem is, it also cuts out any transmissions.
>There's no adjustability; just no squelch or all squelch.
>
>Any ideas?
>
>I tried a reset (power+knob+mon); that doesn't appear to work.
>
>-JL
>
>------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
>http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

1994. Collins paint and emblem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: w9gyc@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <70grd4$vm4$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128674

Iam looking for grey touch up paint for KWM2and collins emblem in good condition.

Contact at w9gyc@yahoo.com

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1995. Re: **Yaesu FT290MK II A good Rig? any /All opinions wanted**

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: skramer290@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981019234335.08142.00003360@ng41.aol.com>
Source record: 128675

what exactly are you going to do if you want a ht type ssb rig it is nice but i prefer the icome 706 mark 2 or the yeasu ft 847
please respond only to skramer@bigfoot.com

1996. Motorola Stuff FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: lcifelli@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981019234612.01842.00003335@ng94.aol.com>
Source record: 128676

I have the following items available for sale

(1) Radius P100 w/ charger (2 batteries are old) $100
2 Freq Hi/Lo pwr
F1 456.6875 (rpt)
F2 451.6175 (splx)

(1) HT-440 w/ charger (batt holds charge) $65
Spkr/ Mic w/ clip NMN6094A
F1 463.720 (rptr)
F2 463.725 (s)
F3 464.550 (s)
F4 467.725 (s)
I have 5 batt cases for the HT440, the batts. are dead but the cases can be rebuilt, Iï¿½ll toss those in if anyone is interested

(1) GP350 UHF compact 2ch $240
(1) SP50 UHF w/ boom mike & chgr $200
F1 464.550 (s)
F2 464.500 (s)

(2) Motorola Rapid Charger NLN7646A $20
(HT90/HT440)

1997. want

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ray <kc6svf@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <01bdfbe1$f4991b50$253789cf@kc6svf>
Source record: 128677

Hello my name is Ray in Yucaipa,Calif. i am looking for the yaesu FT-736R 220 mhz module modle number FEX-220mhz let me know what you want for it if you have one for sale or trade. I can be reached at kc6svf@yahoo.com or ray@pcinternet.com thanks and 73

Ray, KC6SVF

1998. paKet6.1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ray <kc6svf@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <01bdfbe2$ce811a70$253789cf@kc6svf>
Source record: 128678

Hello anyone have the registration number for paKet6.1? if so can you post it or can anyone crack it for me thanks! you can get a copy of the program from a ham radio website that has software.

1999. FS Icom IC821H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: stu <stu@harborcom.net>
Message-ID: <362C15E9.AA617DEC@harborcom.net>
Source record: 128679
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Greetings,
This radio is in brand new condition. Very clean. No scratches.
Non smoking environment. I bought the radio on 06/02/97 from HRO. I
have only used the radio on 2 meter ssb. Never even hooked an antenna
up to the 70 cm connector. Due to schedule change and lack of time I am
selling it. I have the box, manual, schematics, unused hand mic and the
tone board is installed. Very nice write up on it in the March of 1997
QST. I am asking $1200.00 "OR BEST OFFER." If interested please e mail
me at stu@harborcom.net or call me at 440-352-7787. Thanks in advance.
73, Stuart KB8VIY

2000. Re: What ham radio is today.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Keith <nm5k@wt.net>
Message-ID: <362C3175.5D5F@wt.net>
Source record: 128680
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

> > I could hardly agree more. I quit trying to enjoy ham radio in 1987.
> > Between 1973, when I became a ham, and 1987, when I packed away my
> > equipment. I think I had maybe 5 interesting conversations on ham radio.
> > The absolute, unvarying banality of ham conversation on both the low bands
> > and two meters never ceased to amaze me. These were presumably intelligent
> > people! They couldn't successfully pursue such an advanced technological
> > hobby if they werent! Yet they were as incapable of speaking intelligently
> > with each other on topics other than their health or their rigs, or of
> > exercising even the minimum imagination necessary to make human contact
> > with foreigners, as if they were children--or CBers. It took me years to
> > understand that this limitation was really an integral part of the ham
> > experience (I'm a slow learner.) Once I did understand this, I switched to
> > computers and then the internet, where usenet makes possible occasional
> > thoughtful and interesting exchanges (in between the cancerously-spreading
> > sex ads).
> >
> > WD5DNQ

Conversation is what you make it. If you didn't like the topic, you can change it can't you? People talk about radio's because thats usually the first thing that comes up. I've never had any trouble changing the subject. The part about talking to foreigners I don't understand. I don't talk to them any different than I do stateside. I've never viewed dx stations as cb'ers or children. Just another station as far as I'm concerned. I've spent hours ragchewing with dx. Ever try 160 m? Plenty of interesting conversation on that band. If you hear hams using banal conversation , maybe you should jump in and debanalise it. MK

2001. INFORMATION.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard <43z289@mpx.com.au>
Message-ID: <01bdfc07$b90dc560$20858ec6@sharp>
Source record: 128681

Anybody with information on the tune up / alignment proceedure for KENWOOD TS-130S. I am only transmitting 30Watts on sideband.

Thank you.

Richard.

43z280@mpx.com.au

P.S. I am chasing a service manual for the above radio.

2002. FS: VX1R, ver 105, + accessories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: N1QVE <harry@connix.com>
Message-ID: <362C6041.CE3999DD@connix.com>
Source record: 128682
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hi
I have for sale a Yaesu VX1R micro-dualbander in absolutely new condition. Includes charger & lithium battery, antenna, docs, & box. Also have the soft case, the SMA-BNC adapter, and the VE3AYR VX1R handbook. $210+shipping from CT. A great HT, but I need the $$ for tuition.
73
Harry
N1QVE
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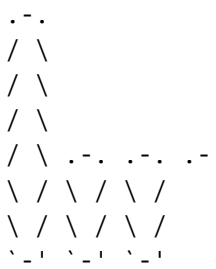
Harry White
Yale School of Forestry and Environmental Studies
205 Prospect Street
New Haven, CT 06511
harry.white@yale.edu harry@connix.com

2003. Pointer to Scope.FAQ

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: john@wd1v.mv.com
Message-ID: <john-2010980631120001@bnh-2-20.mv.com>
Source record: 128683

Oscilloscope.FAQ:



http://www.mv.com/ipusers/wd1v/dsofaq.html

2004. Re: EL PASO...Get it now or this goes there!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan K Nelson <kf6knb@usa.net>
Message-ID: <70meuqjko1@news-2.news.gte.net>
Source record: 128435
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Bored of Your Bull wrote in message
<01bdfca5$830099e0$51a9bacd@MyComputer.nowhere.net>...
>
>Aren't you the Bozo who said he wasn't running a business? It sure looks
>like a business to me Ace, credit cards and all.
>

Maybe your words would carry some weight if you weren't hiding behind a fake
name and e-mail address...

At least everyone on the newsgroup knows who Murry is, he's not hiding from
anyone...

73 de KF6KNB

2005. Re: Disabled Kenwood TS-570DG { problem details }

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jones <Jones@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <362EC5A7.9D4@nomail.com>
Source record: 128436

> The auto tuners work by transmitting a signal on the desired frequency and
> then the auto tuner adjusts itself for the lowest VSWR possible. You can't
> use the auto tuner without using the transmitter.
> 73 de Tom, K4NR

I don't know about the 570, but my ts870 and ts50 both transmit 10 watts
when using the antenna tuner and can be easily heard by whoever I'm
talking to.

2006. Re: Bycott E-bay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: dutch@dish-NET.com
Message-ID: <70jbksuog1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128505

In article <362BAD53.6F73@bellsouth.net>,
phillij1@bellsouth.net wrote:
> I recently did a bid at the ebay site. I was the actually high bidder
> on the item. I contacted the person by e-mail that I was interested.
> The party (Rich) did not respond to e-mail till this morning. After I
> had left to go to work. I returned this afternoon to find the e-mail
> and he said the first person to contact him would get the item. I
> called him and he said the item had already been sold. Hum, I thought
> that I had the bid. To my dismay, I didn't get the amp. Maybe I
> should boycott (Rich) the party. Maybe everyone should. I am not one
> to start to ugly rumors and such, but I was brought up by God- fearing
> parents, and I should always keep my word, and deal and treat with
> people as I would have them treat myself. I guess this world today is
> not the same as used to be. Being honest and dealing with people with
> an atitude that my parents taught me. No wonder our kids are the way
> they are today. No respect for others. Not all kids are that way. God
> bless the parents of children that still have values today.
>
> I know this not the place for this type of submission, but I just had to
> relate my experience with e-bay and the party concerned (Rich)
>
> Phillip Johnson KF4TGY
>

Hello Phillip, I have bought and sold more then 1000 items through eBAY and only had a handfull of bad experiences. I can assure you that at least 95% of the people on eBAY are good people. I just unpacked my "new" HF amateur radio, for which I mailed $ 600 to a total stranger. The radio is beautiful and works great. You will find that the people with a "star" behind their name and a high rating are your best choice for buying. Regards - Rene VE6WCA (dutch)

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2007. ONWA 2 M HH.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard <43z289@mpx.com.au>
Message-ID: <01bdfc88$6fe6f240$22858ec6@sharp>
Source record: 128506
Cross-posted to: aus.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,alt.ham.radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Does anyone have any information on the ONWA K-6201?
I am chasing things like, operators manuals ect.

Thank you.
Richard.

E-Mail 43z280@mpx.com.au

2008. Re: Bycott E-bay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: radio@matnet.com
Message-ID: <70jbub$6fh$1@supernews.com>
Source record: 128507

"Phillip G. Johnson" <phillij1@bellsouth.net> wrote:

>I recently did a bid at the ebay site. I was the actually high bidder
>on the item. I contacted the person by e-mail that I was interested.
>The party (Rich) did not respond to e-mail till this morning. After I
>had left to go to work. I returned this afternoon to find the e-mail
>and he said the first person to contact him would get the item. I
>called him and he said the item had already been sold. Hum, I thought
>that I had the bid. To my dismay, I didn't get the amp. Maybe I
>should boycott (Rich) the party.
>Phillip Johnson KF4TGY

Phillip I too was interested in the amp. However, even tho you
were the high bidder- it was an auction with reserve and you did not
meet the reserve price. So, as it states in EBAY rules, the seller is
NOT obligated to sell the item. You failed to mention this in your
post. Rich was perfectly within his rights. He followed the rules.
If you wanted the item you should have upped your bid until you met
his minimum. That's the way it works.
Steve

2009. Ritron RTX450 UHF for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: hookit@snet.net
Message-ID: <362d32c8.503838@news.snet.net>
Source record: 128508
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap

have 2 Patriot RTX450 450-470 MHz portables
for sale 11 channel,scan,PL/DPL programmable with software
or with 1/8" program plug in speaker jack.
5 watt or reduced power to 2 watts
$170 each+ship sorry no wall chargers for them they can be had for
around 10 from dealers or I can give buyer some Maxon wall warts that
have the same output in Ma as the ritron and same 3/32" plug size.
Also have a 25 watt RPM450- 450-470 mobile for $225 +
ship. 16 channel scan. programable. All these Radios are in excellent
condition and all function perfectly.
Regards to all,
Bill

2010. Re: PROFESSIONAL RADIOMONITORING SOFTWARE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiomatt@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981020212238.01561.00003551@ng35.aol.com>
Source record: 128509

I would be careful,the file is from Russia and over a gigbyte in size
ZIP format

2011. RADIOMONITORING SOFTWARE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiomatt@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981020212338.01561.00003552@ng35.aol.com>
Source record: 128510

Be careful!
That's a pretty big file from Russia over 1 gigabyte in the DEMO version ZIP
too

2012. Re: F.S. Mobile HF AMP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: remarsh@juno.com
Message-ID: <118C3BA6FA32E881.F99914603A581F2E.97C96553AD35DA7F@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 128511
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

On Fri, 25 Sep 1998 00:00:14 -0500, "Sean" <bigfoot1@megsinet.net>
wrote:

>Ham gear doesn't require type acceptance. That's how they get
>all of the Galaxy / Mirage / Connex "10 meter" radios into the
>country. The FCC and customs are well aware of these radios and
>their "convertibility" for cb use, but can do nothing about it
>due to the way the laws are worded. Many ham radios are
>submitted for approval, kind of like the good housekeeping seal
>of approval. Sean >
>>
>DavidC wrote in message
><01bde766$0028db80$a68492d0@davidc.bit-net.com>...
>>> > There are many companies that are selling non-"type
>accepted"
>>> >equipment.
>>
>>Really? To the Ham market? Legally? Who?
>>
>>> > As far as the "already over crowded" bands comment goes.
>Give
>>> >me a break! On 80 or 40 you could sell this argument, but 10
>& 15?
>>> >Come on, the only time the bands are full is during some
>stupid ass
>>> >contest when every one fires up thier digital endless loop
>players
>>> >callling "CQ CONTEST" untill they or thier equipment melt
>down.
>>
>>I look forward to the response to this from other Hams!
>Especially the
>>many contesters!
>>
>>> > I get really sick of all you "appliance" operators who run
>and
>>> >hide behind the FCC whenever you feel something's not right!
>Get a
>>> >life, if someone is playing a station that sounds like a
>piece of shit
>>> >tell him so! Maybe if he hears it from enough people he'll
>get it
>>> >fixed or through it away!

>>
>>What makes you think I am an appliance operator? Last time I
>knew you knew
>>nothing about me or my station --
>>let's please stick to the issues and not name-calling.
>>
>>BTW: When was the last time that you suggested that a station
>was running
>>a poor sounding station and did not get cussed out?
>>
>>> > I think we'd all be better of as a hobby if we all had to
>>> >build our own amps. Carl N9MXY
>>
>>No argument here ... but I think we were discussing commercially
>built
>>amplifiers for illegal CB use that were being offered for
>Amateur use.
>>Have you been following the thread ... or did you just decide to
>vent your
>>spleen without a clue as to the context of the discussion?
>>
>>73, DavidC AA1FA
>>
>>> >>The FCC must approve all gear commercially sold to the
>Amateur Radio
>>market
>>> >>to assure that it is within regulations (power, spurious
>radiation,
>>etc.).
>>> >>Licensed Amateurs are considered competent to build or
>modify gear but
>>are
>>> >>held legally accountable for that gear meeting regulations.
>AA1FA
>
>
THERE IS NO F.C.C. SO WHAT IS THE POINT!!!
do what you want...they closed our monitoring station in Vero beach.
And there are 10 illegal stations on the 88mhz band in Miami . Do you
think they care if an amp is type accepted in the Ham Bands ??dream
on!!! They just don't care.......
WA4JJQ

2013. Re: Radio Shack Simplex Repeater - Opinions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: teenham@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981020215352.00928.00004005@ng109.aol.com>
Source record: 128512

>It works as advertised...but I'm working on a lead that has them for much
>less
>money than RS sells them for, though.

Wouldn't this simplex repeater also work on handheld CBs that have a
speaker/mic connector? I would think so.

2014. Drake TR-7 Ext Boards...fellow who emailed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: k9sqg@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981020214742.22367.00003613@ng11.aol.com>
Source record: 128513

Would the gentleman that emailed me about having some extender boards kindly email me again?

73

Evan

2015. Re: 706 TUNE CONTROL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: dlr18sh@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981020220453.12192.00003440@ng96.aol.com>
Source record: 128514

this guy is doing a real service for Icom.
I asked Icom many times about doing the same thing but they said to buy the
$500 tuner etc.
I applaud the hard work and very reasonable price of this aftermarket ad on.

sincerely Tim Butler

2016. Re: Need Schematic for J.I.L. Mdl. SX-100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: sigintman@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981020223811.23452.00001447@ng-ft1.aol.com>
Source record: 128515

You'll have to order the Sams book, available through a electronic parts distributor. Best of luck!

2017. Re: Opinions Wanted on Antenna Tuners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3xbu@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981020225644.26453.00003790@ng127.aol.com>
Source record: 128516

Consider that at some point you may wish to use 80, 40 or even 160 meters with full power output. Keep in mind that your needs will change over time as you expand in the hobby. If you can afford a legal limit tuner that works 160-10 maybe even 6...buy it.

2018. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: DavidC <davidc@bit-net.com>
Message-ID: <01bdfca8$4c6f26a0$d28492d0@davidc.bit-net.com>
Source record: 128517
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

> Philip Rosenberg-Watt wrote:
> You know, even if that horendous nuclear war *did* happen, wouldn't there
be
> way too much ionization in the atmosphere to make radio communications
> useful anyway?

If there is a nuke war forget about Ham radio, just pray that you die
quickly.

> qwasty@hotmail.com wrote in message:
> >Finally, somebody had the guts to say it straight out! March of Dimes =
yes,
> >hurricane brunhilda = no. simple as that. Ham radio is a HOBBY that
would
> >only be conceivably (did I spell that right?) indispensable if some
> >horrendous nuclear war zapped commercial electronics, which, hopefully,
> will never happen.

Somebody who hasn't a clue. Guess who provided much of the most critical
communications during Hurricane George? HAMS!!! Ask the National
Hurricane Center, the Red Cross, and local emergency management folks in
the affected areas. Please get your facts right before you trash our
hobby!! 73, DavidC AA1FA

2019. FS: Ic-736

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: JC Rocca <rocca@adelphia.net>
Message-ID: <gEdX1.128$sX.2064@server1.news.adelphia.net>
Source record: 128518

Mint, Built in power supply and antenna tunet HF+6Meters,$1,300.00

2020. Re: Disabled Kenwood TS-570DG { problem details }

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: wcgodwin@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981021020942.17674.00001714@ngol05.aol.com>
Source record: 128519

In article <MPG.1096cb72a7d1cc8698994d@netnews.worldnet.att.net>,
charlesdavis@worldnet.att.net (Charles Davis) writes:

>In article <19981020162332.16756.00003552@ng39.aol.com>, wcgodwin@aol.com
>says...
>> I have a Kenwood TS-570DG which has had the transmit-side
>> disabled.
>> Unfortunately,this appears to mean that the built-in ATU does
>> not work !!
>> Anyone have any information how to get it to work ??
>> { notice 2 cable-plug sockets,"CN3" & "CN4" have no wiring
>> attached...is this what is disabling it ?? }
>>
>Make sure to look in the menu (#38), and see that the tx is turned on.
>--
> Charles
> <<>>
>

Yes,this option seting is on.
Maybe I should have explained it better.....
In the UK you can purchase transceivers which have had the transmit-section
disabled to use as a receiver.
In the manual,to use the ATU it instructs you to firstly press the "AT Tune"
button....."AT" appears on the LCD. This works on mine.
It then says to hold the "AT Tune" button in for more than 1 second to start
the tuning mode. {"AT" blinks and "TX" & "CW" appear on the LCD }.....this
does not work on mine,as the transmitter has been disabled !
* Shorting out the "TX" pin in the mic. socket causes the radio to enter
transmit mode !! If I wanted to use it as a transmitter,I could buy a mic.,but
all I am interested in is getting the ATU to work !!
This leads me to believe that the buttons on the front panel for the
transmitter
function have been disabled { pressing the "Send" button has no effect either }
Have traced the circuitry as well as can be expected with the supplied diagrams
and the only obvious missing wiring is from the 2 connector plugs previously
mentioned. { "CN3" & "CN4",located on the bottom PCB }.
What I was hoping for was someone with the fully-functioning transceiver to
tell me whether or not there should be a cable attached to these 2 points
{ or from these points to others }.

WCG. { South Wales,UK }

2021. Wilson WH-2516

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Todd <tyler@nightowl.net>
Message-ID: <362D88F2.C91BECDC@nightowl.net>
Source record: 128520

Was wondering if anyone had programing information for this radio,
somebody gave it to me and i'd like to put it to use on the ham bands if
i could. Thanks in advance for any help.

Todd
kb0udf

2022. need military surplus guy rope

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rudy Marcelletti <rudym@net-link.net>
Message-ID: <70kd01$p95$1@leol.net-link.net>
Source record: 128521

Found 2 surplus military antenna mast guy ropes at a ham fest and need one more for my portable mast.
The rope is green 1/4" nylon about 40 feet long and has a green anodizes locking mechanism on it, a black snap clip on one end about a foot from a small brown "johnny ball" ceramic insulator. There are green anodized metal crimps on the rope at the hook, insulator and a brass crimp at the other end. Was told this went to a 15 meter mast used by the military.
Does any one:
Know the technical military designation for this?
Have an extra?
Know where I can get one?
Thanks, Rudy, K8SWD

2023. Re: question? Heath SB104 output transistors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: marijimc8381@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <70kfpq$d43$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128522

In article <5CA3DBC383502F86.3C587F701AC77EF8.26BC2FABC375C68E@library-proxy.airnews.net>,
remarsh@juno.com wrote:
> What wil replace the output transistors in the sb104A ? ecg 334?
> remarsh@juno.com
> ECG/NTE 325 is probably best match.

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2024. FS: HAM AND TEST GEAR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: reycomm@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981021071421.01560.00003683@ng35.aol.com>
Source record: 128523

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ON ANYTHING THAT DONT SUCK BACK).

ALL EQUIPMENT IS SOLD TO LICENSED OPERATORS
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FOR ANY DAMAGE AND REFUSE OR ACCEPT THE ORDER.

DON'T WORRY ABOUT THE DRIVER BEING IMPATIENT...
AFTER ALL HE'S GETTING AN HOURLY WAGE...SO MAKE HIM WAIT
AND EXERCISE YOUR RIGHTS AS A CONSUMER!

ALL EQUIPMENT IS DELIVERED COD VIA UPS!

DRIVERS ARE INSTRUCTED TO ACCEPT
UNITED STATES POSTAL MONEY ORDERS ONLY!
SO PLEASE TAKE NOTE OF THIS -- OR YOUR
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BUILT IN BAND SCOPE, DSP,
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kc6gaw@hotmail.com

reycomm@aol.com

MillenniumMoney@msn.com

2025. Re: Linux and HAm Radio ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <362DC46C.3D20@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 128524

Carl Walthall wrote:
> I'am looking for a good web site
> for Linux and ham radio.
> Thanks in advance- Carl
> Please send responce to
> cwalthal@iquest.net

Hi Carl -- 4 links to Linux for Ham radio at URL:
http://www.ac6v.com/pageap.html#LIN

73
Rod in San Diego
--
AC6V INDEX TO DX AND HAM RADIO
FEATURING 88 PAGES AND 3000 LINKS
Over 200,000 visits on the counter
http://www.ac6v.com/pageas.html -- Alphabetical Index
http://www.ac6v.com/ -- Home Page

2026. datasheet TC9123

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joko S <jsunarjo@selin.com>
Message-ID: <362DC51F.3B4B@selin.com>
Source record: 128525

Hi, i had an old icom IC27 VHF Transceiver , now the PLL IC TC9123P is broken. I try to fix them , but I dont have the manual / schematic diagram.
Anybody know where i found the datasheet for TC9123P (I didn't find it on site http://www.toshiba.com or http://doc.semicon.toshiba.co.jp
I need Help.

thanks
JZ09ETB Jakarta - Indonesia
jsunarjo@selin.com

2027. Re: SEA automatic antenna coupler questions..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Jerry C. Rogers" <ki4ps@vabch.com>
Message-ID: <yrjX1.230$Ne2.887814@firenze.visi.net>
Source record: 128526
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.ssb

I have one of the same units that you have. The E-prom chip is dated 1985
and the board is a Rev. G. I contacted SGC about the unit, and was told by
them that Stevens manufactured these units before SGC came on board. It is
a spitting image of the SGC-230 except for the built in test diodes. A
local marine repair place here that works on that kind of equipment told me
the most of the parts are over the counter type.

73, Jerry
KI4PS
wa6gsd@ix.netcom.com wrote in message <36297CF7.1799@ix.netcom.com>...
>I have an antenna coupler (board only) that looks pretty much
>like an SGC-230. Per the date codes on the chips, appears to be
>made about 1985.. Was SGC once called SEA.. ?? Anyone have any
>info on this?? I have 2 SGC-230's, and this unit sure appears
>to be about the same.
>
>The board is marked PCB 1612-01 Rev B. There is also a number
>8026-16 in marker pen on the top of the PCB..
>
>Thanks in advance for any info..
>
>Steve-WA6GSD

2028. Re: PROFESSIONAL RADIOMONITORING SOFTWARE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: UNITECH <unitech@dol.ru>
Message-ID: <70khvj$rh2$1@jumbo.demos.su>
Source record: 128527

<19981020212238.01561.00003551@ng35.aol.com> ...
>I would be careful,the file is from Russia and over a gigbyte in size
>ZIP format

Do not belive anyone who promise professional radiomonitoring software for
1 kb :<)

Best regurds,

Paul Zotov

2029. Re: RADIOMONITORING SOFTWARE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: UNITECH <unitech@dol.ru>
Message-ID: <70ki2g$ri9$1@jumbo.demos.su>
Source record: 128528

<19981020212338.01561.00003552@ng35.aol.com> ...
>Be careful!
>That's a pretty big file from Russia over 1 gigabyte in the DEMO version
ZIP
>too

Do not belive anyone who promise professional radiomonitoring software for
1 kb :<)

Best regurds,

Paul Zotov

2030. *fat-free fest listings

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: n9vjg19-nospam@idt.net
Message-ID: <n9vjg19-nospam-2110980816050001@ppp-36.ts-13.nyc.idt.net>
Source record: 128529

http://n-lemma.com/FBOM/fest/what.html

online database searchable by date and/or location!

2031. Web's only RADIO EQUIP. DATABASE - Buy or Sell - Free Service

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: kttl@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981021082546.24326.00003794@ng107.aol.com>
Source record: 128530

Search the database for equipment you need or
List equipment you have to sell in the database.

We connect the buyer and the seller!

Two-Way Shopper
www.twowayshopper.com

2032. Re: Disabled Kenwood TS-570DG { problem details }

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Branch <k4nr@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <01bdfcec$7d35c840$2eae1b26@default>
Source record: 128531

WCG,

The auto tuners work by transmitting a signal on the desired frequency and then the auto tuner adjusts itself for the lowest VSWR possible. You can't use the auto tuner without using the transmitter.

73 de Tom, K4NR

WCGodwin <wcgodwin@aol.com> wrote in article
<19981021020942.17674.00001714@ngol05.aol.com>...
>
> * Shorting out the "TX" pin in the mic. socket causes the radio to enter
> transmit mode !! If I wanted to use it as a transmitter,I could buy a
mic.,but
> all I am interested in is getting the ATU to work !!

2033. Anyone assist with problem on valve linear - HF? Please.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: John@datasafe.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <362dc122.7637555@news.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 128532

Thanks for taking the time to read this.

I have a Tokyo HiPower HL2K HF Linear Amp. The valves are a pair of 3-500Zs.

Problem:

1. In the manual it tells me to set the linear up by connecting a remote PTT line from rig to linear and with NO rf from the rig to press the PTT. The linear goes into TX mode and the plate current meter shows 325ma of grid current and the HT drops slightly from the 3Kv so I assume some power is being consumed. The manual states that the plate idle current should be set to 100ma by adjustment of the control on the back of the linear. Turning this control has no effect the plate current remains at 325ma!

2. I believe that this problem may stem from the first. When I attempt to tune the linear by injecting some RF and steadily increasing the level of RF whilst tuning plate & load (plate to dip and load for max power) I reach about 250 watts and the there is a sudden dip in the plate current and what seems like a flash/arc from the area of the valves!

I'm stuck! Can you give some pointers.

Regards

John
GW0ACH

2034. Re: question? Heath SB104 output transistors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: mjgilbert.NOSPAM@wcom.net
Message-ID: <362de21c.3273416@news.compuserve.com>
Source record: 128533

Try Surplus Sales of Nebraska. They have been advertising they
have a *few* original matched sets left. If you get a replacement
semiconductor, though - please post so we'll know what else
to buy.

On Tue, 20 Oct 1998 23:19:36 GMT, remarsh@juno.com wrote:

>What wil replace the output transistors in the sb104A ? ecg 334?
>remarsh@juno.com

2035. Re: IC-756 Zero Beat

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark_Erbaugh@compuserve.com
Message-ID: <362ee601.5954464@news2.infinet.com>
Source record: 128534

Chuck,

I also have (and like) a IC-756

Most modern radios (including my 1984 Kenwood TS-940) no longer have a BFO.

The method you use of matching the side-tone is the best way that I have found.

Another thing you can try is to switch between CW and CW Reverse (hold the CW button in for a couple of seconds). When the signal is zero beat, the tone won't change between CW and CW-R.

Are you using a narrow CW filter? I have found that that also helps.

I think zero-beating is much easier though, and I wish radios still supported it. I can't tell when two frequencies are the same (tin ear), but I can tell when a frequency is zero-beat.

Mark

2036. Re: Bycott E-bay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Christopher Zeman, KB9RHA" <zman@iwc.net>
Message-ID: <gWlX1.358$lh7.669@news6.ispnews.com>
Source record: 128535

eBay is not to blame here. This guy Rich is the bad guy. You need to leave negative feedback on him and plenty of people will see what you have to say and most likely avoid dealing with him.

Christopher Zeman, KB9RHA

Phillip G. Johnson wrote in message <362BAD53.6F73@bellsouth.net>...
>I recently did a bid at the ebay site. I was the actually high bidder
>on the item. I contacted the person by e-mail that I was interested.
>The party (Rich) did not respond to e-mail till this morning. After I
>had left to go to work. I returned this afternoon to find the e-mail
>and he said the first person to contact him would get the item. I
>called him and he said the item had already been sold. Hum, I thought
>that I had the bid. To my dismay, I didn't get the amp. Maybe I
>should boycott (Rich) the party. Maybe everyone should. I am not one
>to start to ugly rumors and such, but I was brought up by God- fearing
>parents, and I should always keep my word, and deal and treat with
>people as I would have them treat myself. I guess this world today is
>not the same as used to be. Being honest and dealing with people with
>an atitude that my parents taught me. No wonder our kids are the way
>they are today. No respect for others. Not all kids are that way. God
>bless the parents of children that still have values today.
>
>I know this not the place for this type of submission, but I just had to
>relate my experience with e-bay and the party concerned (Rich)
>
>Phillip Johnson KF4TGY

2037. Help needed to repair YAESU FT-23R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: sonderson@mailcity.com
Message-ID: <70l3rb$6t9$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128536

Hello!

I got a YAESU FT-23R. When I release the battery and open the screws, there is a 10-pin-connector. There should be a small component, but it's lost. What kind of component should be there? Can I replace it by some standard components by myself? (I'm experienced inelectronics.)

Thank you for your help.
Samuel Sonderson

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2038. FS: Alinco DJ-162 VHF/FM Handy Transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anup Barde <adb8521@rit.edu>
Message-ID: <362E0376.43682BBC@rit.edu>
Source record: 128537
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,ny.forsale,rec.radio.swap

FOR SALE:

Alinco DJ-162 VHF/FM Handy Transceiver,

144-148 MHz
5W Output Power

This Handheld has a lot of nice features. I have the manual, and many
accessories including spare antenna, battery charger, speaker/mic, case,
and car power adaptor.
It is in good condition, I can email images of radio and accessories on
request.
Please direct reasonable offers, or any questions, via email.
I would like to sell this asap!

-Anupam Barde
adb8521@rit.edu

2039. EF86's FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: KEN CHAIT <atsi@herald.infi.net>
Message-ID: <362E0113.A08A89B2@herald.infi.net>
Source record: 128538
Cross-posted to: rec.audio.tubes,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.shortwave

All NOS, OB's:
15 pcs. Amperex EF86's $25.00 ea. 1 pc. GE GT. Brit. EF86 $15.00 4 pcs. GEC EF86/CV4085 $45.00 ea. All + shipping $6.00(USA).

Ken Chait
Advantage Tube Services, Inc.
Plantation, Fl.

2040. AOR AR7030 "Spin Wheel" Failures

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: davez <davez@ticon.net>
Message-ID: <70l048$gd3$1@galileo.ticon.net>
Source record: 128539
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

Just a note here,
Have owned 3 differnt AOR AR7030's now. And I have seen 2 of my units "Volume Spin" Wheels (rotary encoders) fail. One just failed on my 3rd "Plus" model. Been e-mailing around (AOR UK, AOR USA) and they say that they are going to get back to me on this ?? (nothing yet).

This sounds like this is getting to be a "Major" problem, as my friend who also has a 7030, has had one of his go bad in the last few days (we purchased both of ours from Javation at the same time).

In the mailing list that I subscribe to, two other pepole in the group also have had the same problem. When they really fail, you cannot operate the control at all, it might to be a bit intremittent at first and then just quit (cannot control). I had a peek at the the actual "wheel" inside and it's a "Mexican" mfg.

I guess it really makes no real sence to replace with the same, as these will most likely fail as well, I hope that AOR does indeed use a better quality part here (like Bourns), and install in owners units (in or OUT of warranty) at no cost. I have a sneaky feeling that they do know about this problem, lets hope that they do something about it.

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Well the "Spin Knob" problem is sounding like it's getting worse and worse. My friend who also has a 7030 Plus (we both purchased ours from Javation at the same time), his left spin knob has died all together. I'm going to pass along his e-mail to all as he his not on the list yet.
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Note from a friend a few days ago,

Last night the second rotary encoder from the left went dead! Great - on a $1300 radio! Fortunately, it is still in the warranty period. I tried AOR-USA, and asked them to install the Notch, Noise Blanker, but they said "special equipment was required for this and they did not have it"!!! They recommended sending it to the UK. I put in a email to Jonathon at Javiation this morning - see what he says.

so it goes...

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Also going to repost a message from ..another person with this same problem.....

I wasn't aware that AOR monitored the list, that is good news. I hope they take
a serious look at the audio gain control problem on the 7030. Mine has

totally
quit functioning now and all audio adjustment is via remote control.

Makes for a real headache when I need to turn it down to answer my phone
in my
home office.
--
73
****
Here are some more of my views on this.

AOR MUST know what is going on here ???

I think it may be a waste of time getting new ones replaced ?. Why: because they are going to install the same crappy "Mexican" encoders which are going to fail over again. AOR (UK, JAPAN, USA etc) MUST come up with a plan here !!. My view here is to start installing (replace to all previous owners, in Or OUT of warranty ..WITHOUT ANY COST's as they fail) with a Better Quality encoder (Bourns would be great). If something is not done here to correct this "VERY MAJOR" problem.....this product is history !!!

DaveZ

2041. Ham Radio Swap

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Danny <ko6oy@fishnet.net>
Message-ID: <362E043E.65B72486@fishnet.net>
Source record: 128540

Ham Radio Swap !!!
Buy, Sell, Trade & Wants
All Personal Ham Related Ads Posted FREE !!
Over 900 Hits Yesturday...

http://www.fishnet.net/~ko6oy/swapage4.htm

Hi, if you haven't been here in a while,
we have new updates and an easier loading page.
Stop by for a visit.
and if you have..... thanks !!
73 Danny ko6oy

2042. Simple Power Supply Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Casey N Brown <cbrown@bulloch.com>
Message-ID: <362E04BD.78F613BD@bulloch.com>
Source record: 128541

This will sound like a dumb question for many folks, but I've never had the need for a power supply in my 3 years as a ham and need some help hooking the thing up -

I've got an Astron 12A. I know the red and black terminals coorespond with the power wires on the back of the radio, but what's the third boltw/ nut coming out of the unit under the black/white terminals? Is this a grounding wire terminal? If so, is it absolutly necessary that I ground it? Do I now have to drill a hole in the floor & run a ground wire outside in order to operate this power supply? I just need to know enough not to blow my radio up.
Any help to this will be greatly appreciated.

Casey Brown
KF4BSC

2043. Drake L4B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Woolem <jwoolem@flash.net>
Message-ID: <362E0580.FC6C4BCB@flash.net>
Source record: 128542

Nice Drake L4B 750 plus shipping

2044. FS KENWOOD TS -440 AT $825.00 N1HHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gabriel G melo <n1hhf@110.net>
Message-ID: <70l1ij$6ue$1@stalker.oem.net>
Source record: 128543

1-401-434-2606

2045. FS Collins 75S3

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Asp <larry.asp@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <362E0AA8.44B0@sympatico.ca>
Source record: 128544
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Clean 75S3 with manual, and cw filter. $450.00 plus shipping.

2046. Re: Simple Power Supply Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Louis Bybee <louisb@datacomm.com>
Message-ID: <362E0D4D.93319A18@datacomm.com>
Source record: 128545

Unless I'm mistaken, that ground post is to ground the radio. If you
check the power supply I think you will find it has a three prong plug
with one being a ground.

Louis

Casey N Brown wrote:
>
> This will sound like a dumb question for many folks, but I've never had
> the need for a power supply in my 3 years as a ham and need some help
> hooking the thing up -
>
> I've got an Astron 12A. I know the red and black terminals coorespond
> with the power wires on the back of the radio, but what's the third
> boltw/ nut coming out of the unit under the black/white terminals? Is
> this a grounding wire terminal? If so, is it absolutly necessary that I
> ground it? Do I now have to drill a hole in the floor & run a ground
> wire outside in order to operate this power supply? I just need to know
> enough not to blow my radio up.
> Any help to this will be greatly appreciated.
>
> Casey Brown
> KF4BSC

2047. Re: Help needed to repair YAESU FT-23R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Siegfried Rambaum <siram@adore.lightlink.com>
Message-ID: <Pine.SUN.3.95.981021134326.11915A-100000@adore.lightlink.com>
Source record: 128546

That is the connector for the FTS-12 Tone Squelch unit. By your description, your rig does not have it installed ... so I guess, you will have problems with opening some of the 2 m repeaters, with require some subaudible tone ...

So, if your only problem with the rig was that you could not get into some repeaters, check wether those repeaters require one of the CTCSS tones or not. If they did, then you need that optional FTS-12 tone board. So, if this was your problems, then your rig is in perfect working order within the limits imposed by the FTS-12 that seemingly is not installed with yours.

When you have that tone board, you will be able to install it yourself.

On Wed, 21 Oct 1998 sonderson@mailcity.com wrote:

> Hello!
>
> I got a YAESU FT-23R. When I release the battery and open the screws, there
> is a 10-pin-connector. There should be a small component, but it's lost. What
> kind of component should be there? Can I replace it by some standard
> components by myself? (I'm experienced inelectronics.)
>
> Thank you for your help.
> Samuel Sonderson
>
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>
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2048. For Sale: TS-450S-AT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: KB0DSW <therrod@ndak.net>
Message-ID: <362E2261.D3E03DA@ndak.net>
Source record: 128547

Hello all,

I have a mint TS-450S-AT for sale. Comes "Modified" for out of band
"MARS" &
all other freq's. I have All original manuals/boxes. Never been mobile.
Starting
bids are fixed at $900.00. FIRM. If interested, please contact:

KB0DSW
(701)-852-2587 or reply via E-MAIL.

Thank you in advance for reading this.....73's!

2049. Re: ic-2100h pwr mod?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: harris@hazeltine.com
Message-ID: <70lcse$j1p$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128548

In article <19981019124548.21720.00003199@ng61.aol.com>,
dlr18sh@aol.com (DLR18SH) wrote:
> Hi, just got a Icom 2100h 2mtr radio. I want to lower the high power down from
> 55 watts to say 40 or 35 watts.
>
> thanks, Tim
>

I wrote to icomtech@compuserve.com on this. They say you can adjust pot R49.
I wanted to go down to 25 Watts. They weren't sure it would go that low. I'm
not even sure where R49 is located.

If you get any other info on this I would appreciate hearing it.

73,
Art, N2AH

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2050. Re: SEA automatic antenna coupler questions..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: ericjw@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <70lg77$o3s$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128549
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.ssb

In article <362C80F6.2A8B@hnvr.com>,
ken@hnvr.com wrote:
> Technofreak wrote:
> >
> > It's called Stevens Engineering Associated and they originally made
> > the antenna coupler which the design was then "Ahem" borrowed by SGC .
> >
>
> I don't know which company originated the design, but I really doubt
> that it was "borrowed". -More likely sold or OEM'd. Sunair has within
> the last two years introduced what also looks to be the same tuner as
> the SG-230, but in a much more rugged and weatherproof case.
> -Ken
>
"Ahem" borrowed is closer to the truth. There was a lawsuit over this a
while back. Word has it that even the source code for the SG-230 still has
stuff in it that says "SEA"... There are some really pissed off people
at SEA over what happened.

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2051. Re: Anyone assist with problem on valve linear - HF? Please.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0dg@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981021153930.00478.00003839@ng62.aol.com>
Source record: 128550

John,
a quick guess on the amp problem.
Most tube amps are operated grounded grid.
this means that in order to bias the tube or valve some means is needed to set the grid to cathode bias voltage. since the grid is grounded the cathode must be held above ground voltage. this is usually done bye passing the cathode current to ground thru a zener diode. this diode roughly sets the grid to cathode bias voltage and in your case there is fine adjustment via a control.

now my guess. it seems that your amp is idling at much too high of idling current and that the fine adjust ment has no affect. if the zener diode was shorted out (common failure situation) then you would have no control over the grid to cathode voltage.
1. you need to check the voltage across this diode to see if it is faulty.

CAUTION- CAUTION CAUTION
The B+ voltage of 3000 to 3500 volts is more than lethal it is deadly. do not open the case or attempt repairs if you are not trained in very high voltage work.

good luck

Nï¿½DG
Don

2052. EL PASO...Get it now or this goes there!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Murray Neece" <kc5mdm@iglobal.net>
Message-ID: <362E3DC6.5EFCC9A4@iglobal.net>
Source record: 128551
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Have some rigs for Sale....#1 Kenwood TS 440SAT, Very VERY nice , shiney, with mic manual $625. or with like PS 53 $700.oo.....#2. Kenwood TS 50 S in good condition, with mic, manual and mobile bracket..$650.oo #3. Icom 737A, very nice auto tuner and not a scratch or mark anywhere...$725.oo #4. Yaesu FT 900at in good condition, few scuffs on bottom but not on face or top, $875.oo #5. Yaesu FT 840 in very good shape , no marks, low time, factory stock, with mic and manual $550.oo... #6. Kenwood TS 711A with tone and looks like new!! perfect in every way...might be a scratch on bottom but none on TOP!! or face!! With match SP 430 speaker $695.oo::::::::::Shipping not included, trades considered, Visa MasterCard thru my conveneice store...Thanks Murray K5MDM

2053. FS or Trade - PII 333mmx +

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Burkett <bburkett@nb.net>
Message-ID: <57rX1.131$5w6.217@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 128552

I have the following new computer components for sale or trade:
Acer AX6LC Mainboard (http://www.aopen.com.tw/products/mb/ax6lc.htm)
Intel Pentium II 333mmx Processor
64Mb DIMM Memory
6.4 Gb Hard Drive
Acer Mid-Tower Case
All brand new, never installed. I am a computer consultant and this stuff
was left over from last job.
My cost on all is about $625
Want to sell (all) or trade (part) for Kenwood TM-V7A Dual and in like-new
condition.
Bob bburkett@nb.net

2054. FT-90 Micro Commander

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: davidho@one.net.REMOVE
Message-ID: <362e3dab.83675549@news.netnews.att.com>
Source record: 128553

Does anyone know if this FT-90 will be the replacement of the
FT-8100R?

Best 73!

de David Ho, AF4BH
Covington, KY
davidho@one.net

2055. FA-TMC Transmitter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: WA1DCP <vital@gate.net>
Message-ID: <01bdfd2d$d6c91560$1badb5cd@jer>
Source record: 128554
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=37148590
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2056. Largest rotor for W51 Tri-Ex tower?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: nw2m@qsl.net
Message-ID: <70lldq$v21$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128555
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

What is the largest rotor which can be used in the Tri-Ex W51 tower? My rotor (HD-73) is too small for the larger 2 meter boomers I am using on the tower. After 5 years of twisting a 34' boom on 2M, it has taken its toll on the rotor. The HD-73 has been an inexpensive workhorse, but I need a larger solution.

The HD-73 just fits! I suspect that a Ham IV may just make it....

Thanks in advance and 73,

Al, NW2M

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2057. 1.2 gig ATV Transmitter Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Russell Ridgeway <russ_ridgeway@byu.edu>
Message-ID: <362E4D95.7EF2@byu.edu>
Source record: 128556
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Does anyone know of a source for a 1.2 gig ATV transmitter? I am looking for a 1 watt unit. Any help will be appriciated.

Thanks,
Russ AE7D
E-mail russ_ridgeway@byu.edu

2058. Routing HF antenna coax and power on Ford Explorer?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff Crilly N6ZFX <jeff@communities.com>
Message-ID: <362e56f0$0$12448@nntp1.ba.best.com>
Source record: 128557
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I want to put my TS 440 HF radio in a 96 ford explorer.
For an antenna I've got some ham sticks for various
bands that I've successfully used in another vehicle.

My problem is that I have no idea how to route
the radio power cables from the battery, and the
antenna cable into the interior.

(I'm sure someone out there has solved this
problem already... I did check dejanews but
nothing popped up.)

Is there a plug in the front to get from the engine
compartment to the interior?

I'm thinking of mounting the antenna on the rear
bumper ball hitch mount. Is there a place in the
back where I bring the coax in?

I'd rather not drill holes, but I suppose I could
if they aren't visible.

Also, should I ground the radio chassis to the car
car body? I did this in my other vehicle, but with
this talk of noise from the fuel pump on the explorer
maybe I should skip it.

Thanks

jeff

2059. FS: 1&#65533; Linear Amplifiers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marv_E_Ads@Juno.com
Message-ID: <70ls5j$98c$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128558

Hi, A friend of mine recently became a silent key and in his estate are one and a half amplifiers that may be of some interest to someone on this group.

********** The &#65533; Linear **********

There is a large linear that was under construction. It.is just sort of started. Socket mounted, air system complete, nothing much wired.

The valuable parts are: A 4CX5000A (the best of 4 which he owned at one point) A 4CX10000D (which looks well used) An Eimac SK-300 socket, fairly good used condition (only a couple of the contact fingers are broken), SK-306 & SK-1306 chimneys (one for each tube) A Johnson 200-205 ribbon coil -- 15 uh looks fairly new There are two new Groth turn count dials on the front panel but, the knobs for these dials which I think I saw laying around a couple months ago, are no longer in sight and may or may not turn up.

There is an assortment of transformers mounted in the bottom of the cabinet:

A new looking filament transformer marked 7.5 V 100 Amps.
A older 8" or so cube with some diode strings on top that I suspect are for the screen. There is also a string of six 200V 50W zeners with heatsinks mounted to the side of the cabinet, obviously for the screen.
A choke for the screen supply.
And two or three more small transformers that may be for control or grid bias.

The air system has a plexiglass plenum and an apparently new dual squirrel cage fan. The fan is just hooked up with test leads.... There is a commercial manometer with its tube attached to the plenum but the manometer itself is not mounted to anything.

The cabinet is a gray 24" panel size rack type. There is a panel for the front of the amp and a latch released door for the back. There are no panels in the front below the shelf where the tube socket is mounted.. The cabinet is 44"H x 27"W x 24"D overall. It has a few scratches and blemishes as it has been rolling (on casters) around in the garage for years. It probably weighs about 150 lbs. with the above described parts.

There is no part of a plate supply evident...

********** The operating Linear **********

Dick, the silent key, acquired a commercial (AM?) transmitter a long time ago and built and rebuilt his own "daily use" amplifier in this case. It is

currently configured with a pair of 450TL's (plus at least 6 spares), in grounded grid. He used to drive it with a Heathkit SB-220 & I believe it runs about 4 KW SSB. He ran this thing for YEARS! so at least it is reliable. :-)

The nicest part is that it has:

Good coils switched by a very nice homebrew bandswitch.
Vacuum variables (300pf@10KV? and 1000pf@3KV? -- I am unsure of the voltage ratings, they may be higher),
Real input tuning
and
a (original, I presume) commercial meter bridge with 7 meters across the top.

The Power Suppy components.

A 240 volt variac (1 foot in diameter) rated perhaps 50? amps

The transformer is some kind of fairly modern (mid '70's vintage?) monster. Rumor has it that it was originally made for a shaker table amplifier. The U-I laminations (which are most of the thing) on the plate transformer measure overall 18 x 11 x 6. I would estimate that it weighs at least 300 pounds. It is likely at least 10KW CCS rated. It is open frame with some eyes at the corners for the crane to hook up to... :-)

The diode bridge is comprised of a zillion low voltage diodes in a fairly cute plexiglass housing.

There is an 8H, 1A choke made by Collins

a whole bunch of 1uf 5KV caps (12?) wired in parallel plus six 54 uf, 2500V continuous DC rated (they are actually laser caps) wired in series parallel (36 uf / 7.5 KV effective). Note: One modern capacitor would be physically smaller than one of the laser caps and be rated higher than all these put together!

There are some odds & ends like a giant power contactor, main circuit breaker, a 7 meter bridge assembly, and of course the rest of the stuff to make the 450TL's go.

The bad part is that the cabinet is navy gray, about 7' hi, about 3' wide, and 2&#65533;' deep and the whole thing likely weighs 700lbs....

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I would like to sell both of these units together for $1500. The variac, power transformer, vacuum variables and some of the other components from the 450TL piece would go along way toward completing the other amp. You could just toss the big cabinet on the way out of town... but, please don't let the widow who helped repaint the thing 30 years ago see you do it!

I am afraid that this stuff does not easily lend itself to shipping which would certainly have to be by truck freight. A lot of the parts would have

to be removed and packed separately. The big transformer for instance is not bolted down and would have to be palletized. If you are far away, perhaps you have some friends in Los Angeles you could impose upon. :-)

Thanks for reading all of this & have a nice day!

73,
Marv WC6W 310 649 3111 (Reasonable hours Pacific Time please)

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2060. Re: Largest rotor for W51 Tri-Ex tower?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan K Nelson <kf6knb@usa.net>
Message-ID: <70loe7$7hf$1@news-1.news.gte.net>
Source record: 128559
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

nw2m@qsl.net wrote in message <70lldq$v21$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>What is the largest rotor which can be used in the Tri-Ex W51 tower? My
>rotor (HD-73) is too small for the larger 2 meter boomers I am using on the
>tower. After 5 years of twisting a 34' boom on 2M, it has taken its toll on
>the rotor. The HD-73 has been an inexpensive workhorse, but I need a larger
>solution.
>
>The HD-73 just fits! I suspect that a Ham IV may just make it....
>
>Thanks in advance and 73,
>
>Al, NW2M

I use a Ham IV in my WT51. It is a bit of a trick to get it in the tower,
you have to position it just right for it to go between the bracing, but it
will fit. This tower/rotor is in the So. Ca high desert area and with a 18
foot mast and 6 antennas totaling about 15 sq. ft. of wind load, it has
survived exposure to 50-70 mph winds on many occasions.

73 de KF6KNB

2061. Re: Anyone assist with problem on valve linear - HF? Please.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: John@datasafe.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <362e62cd.49031489@news.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 128560

On 21 Oct 1998 19:39:30 GMT, n0dg@aol.com (N0DG) wrote:

>John,
>a quick guess on the amp problem.
>Most tube amps are operated grounded grid.

Thankyou Don for a very informative reply. Firstly, I am not experienced at HV and do plan on running the beast with fingers inside! Thanks for the warning - HV scares me silly!

SInce my first post, I have identified that the flash/arc is coming from ONE of the valves. Having established this I switched the linear of and waited for the HV to discharge. I then removed the valves and swapped their positions. The flash/arc moved with the valve (associated with one of the valves).

DO you think this idicates that a valve is faulty or would you still suspect the zenor diode. As the valves are so pricey, perhaps I should replace the zenor first?

Regards

John

2062. FS/Trade Icom IC-756

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Boyd <boyd@humboldt1.com>
Message-ID: <xItX1.2679$ks4.4614@news2.randori.com>
Source record: 128561

For Sale: Icom IC-756

I have a "Like-New" Icom IC-756 with UT-102 Voice Synthesizer Unit. No scratches as New. Non-smoker. Comes with Hand Mic, Power Cord, Book and shipping box. I bought the rig new in February of this year from HRO in Portland, Oregon. The rig has very little use on it and still in Warranty. Has mars Mod. It has never been mobile, Has been on my desk sense it was new.

$1650.00 plus shipping.

I will take a Icom IC-738 in on trade, must be in same condition as the IC-756. I will take a IC-738 and $500.00.

Reply To: boyd@humboldt1.com

Phone: 707-839-5228

Thanks,
Boyd W6DSB McKinleyville, Ca.

2063. 75W too much for car?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tony Szablowski <aszablowski@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <70lpf6$ppq@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 128562

Hi folks. I have a TK830H 75W mobile and was wondering if it would
be too much power drain for a Honda Civic car? It's a 1996 model car
but I don't have any info on the alternator itself. I guess the
total Tx time is %30-%40 duty. Thanks.
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Regards,
Tony

2064. Re: Simple Power Supply Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Griffiths <richg@one.net>
Message-ID: <362E68FA.FA6BD7F1@one.net>
Source record: 128563

Louis Bybee wrote:
>
> Unless I'm mistaken, that ground post is to ground the radio. If you
> check the power supply I think you will find it has a three prong plug
> with one being a ground.
>
> Louis

I think you're partly correct.

The 3-prong plug provides grounding to your house's electrical system
(it should, at least). For radio use, you may need a different ground
-- an RF ground.

If your radio and antenna are grounded to a ground rod or similar ground
system, you can connect the bolt on the supply to that ground. That
ground should also be bonded to the electrical system ground, but the
two grounds will behave differently at radio frequencies and serve
different purposes.

You really *should* have a good ground for your antenna, but many people
do without. You don't need to run a wire through the floor and outside
for the power supply. Doing without a ground won't damage your supply
or radio as long as you don't have lightning problems. If you're
vulnerable to lighting strikes, you really need a good ground system.

Rich W2RG

> Casey N Brown wrote:
> >
> > This will sound like a dumb question for many folks, but I've never had
> > the need for a power supply in my 3 years as a ham and need some help
> > hooking the thing up -
> >
> > I've got an Astron 12A. I know the red and black terminals coorespond
> > with the power wires on the back of the radio, but what's the third
> > boltw/ nut coming out of the unit under the black/white terminals? Is
> > this a grounding wire terminal? If so, is it absolutly necessary that I
> > ground it? Do I now have to drill a hole in the floor & run a ground
> > wire outside in order to operate this power supply? I just need to know
> > enough not to blow my radio up.
> > Any help to this will be greatly appreciated.
> >
> > Casey Brown
> > KF4BSC

2065. Re: Anyone assist with problem on valve linear - HF? Please.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: John@datasafe.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <362f6927.50657314@news.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 128564

On Wed, 21 Oct 1998 22:47:37 GMT, John@datasafe.demon.co.uk (John
Cooper) wrote:

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>suspect the zenor diode. As the valves are so pricey, perhaps I should
>replace the zenor first?
>
>Regards
>
>John

Sorry abt typo error!

2066. WTB: Alpha 78

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc4pe@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <36317163.5652915@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 128565

Looking fo a nice clean unit...I need the pre-set tuning...have a
mint 76PA...Let me know the condition and your price on your Alpha
78!!
Thanks
Bill
kc4pe@mindspring.com

2067. FS:Motorola MT1000 VHF 146-147 mhz w/scan keypad front and rapid charger

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: David <kb9lpk-3@foxvalley.net>
Message-ID: <362E7377.2B1AEB76@foxvalley.net>
Source record: 128566

I have a MT1000 VHF 146-147mhz complete unit in excellent shape
with rapid charger abttery and antenna. 425.00 shipped prepaid
please reply e-mail address below thanks
--
The Box said" Win95,NT 4.0 or better"
So I installed Linux !
73 de David kb9lpk <><

e-mail:kb9lpk-3@foxvalley.net
homepage:http://users.foxvalley.net/~kb9lpk-3

2068. FS:Motorola VHF 138-174 mhz Saber III secure DES/XL w/chgr.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: David <kb9lpk-3@foxvalley.net>
Message-ID: <362E7479.FD909884@foxvalley.net>
Source record: 128567

I have a excellent condition Saber III VHF Secure DES/XL module
installed
has scan MDC ect. 120 ch. 3 Button and display also comes with battery
rapid charger and antenna.

625.00 shipped prepaid e-mail reply to below e-mail adddress for details
--
The Box said" Win95,NT 4.0 or better"
So I installed Linux !
73 de David kb9lpk <><

e-mail:kb9lpk-3@foxvalley.net
homepage:http://users.foxvalley.net/~kb9lpk-3

2069. Re: paKet6.1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dennis Jacobson <n6ng@sj.bigger.net>
Message-ID: <362E73CC.38F@sj.bigger.net>
Source record: 128568

This has got to be a joke... Last I heard, it was a shareware product
and then only charged $20 if you decided to register it. Some guys have
a lot of nerve. Why not just pay a few bucks, the writer of the
software spent a lot of time on it and it's a great packet program. The
inexpensive price is certainly worth it...
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73... Dennis N6NG

2070. Mosley Verticle Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ted Trostle <ttrostle@lazerlink.com>
Message-ID: <o7vX1.11701$5w6.2325@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 128569

I am looking for the installation sheet for the Mosley 10-40 meters verticle antenna....does anyone have one I could get a copy of?

Also is Mosley still in business?

2071. TNC For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ted Trostle <ttrostle@lazerlink.com>
Message-ID: <K8vX1.11781$5w6.2298@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 128570

I have a Kantronics KPC-3 in like new condition for $80 or best offer. I ship UPS COD.

2072. Re: WHAT IS "EBAY"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve KB9HGI <pacman@bcl.net>
Message-ID: <362e8ad9.0@news.accessus.net>
Source record: 128571

Ebay is a Auction web page on the net. I have bought a lot of radio
stuff off there. Go check it out. http://www.ebay.com

JDer8745 wrote in message <19981015095913.03702.00000853@ng-fc2.aol.com>...
>Howdy,
>
>I keep seeing rference to "ebay".
>
>What is it?
>
>73 de Jack, K9CUN

2073. Re: 1.2 gig ATV Transmitter Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Pemble <pemble@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <70m1jn$705@dfw-ixnews4.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 128572
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

There are several sources. You did not say FM or AM, but both are
available. FM is more common.

Here are a few that I have catalogs for.

1. Wyman Research -- nice 4 Watt xmitter (I own one).
http://www.svs.net/wyman/

2. Houston ATV Society (HATS) routinely sell 1.2 Xmitters built and kit.
http://www.stevens.com/HATS/home.html I have seen their equipment --
the quality is excellent.

3. Pauldon Associates -- have a 1.5 Watt FM unit.
Don't know of URL but e-mail PauldonHAM@aol.com or call 716-692-5451

4. PC Electronics sell the HFT unit and is working on own design.
http://www.hamtv.com

5. HighFrequencyTechnologies (HFT) (that PC Electronics Sell) don't know
contact info -- but they make nice RX and TX units.

And for the do-it-yourself, ATVQ (ATV Quarterly) published a nice project
for a 1.2 ATV transmitter in the last issue of their magazine (Summer 1998,
Volume II - No. 3).

This should get you started.

My apologies to anyone I may have accidentally missed or didn't mention, I
did not deliberately leave out anyone I knew about -- just add 'em to the
list above if you know of someone else.
There are many folks making ATV equipment.

cheers

Rick W4RP

Russell Ridgeway wrote in message <362E4D95.7EF2@byu.edu>...
>Does anyone know of a source for a 1.2 gig ATV transmitter? I am
>looking for a 1 watt unit. Any help will be appriciated.
>
>Thanks,
>Russ AE7D
>E-mail russ_ridgeway@byu.edu

2074. How to Reset IC-R10?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: daoud@erols.com
Message-ID: <daoud-ya02408000R2110982218040001@news.erols.com>
Source record: 128573

Is there a way to clear, or reset, all memory areas on the IC-R10? I would like to clear out all stored freqs and other parameters and program again from scratch.

Thanks in advance.

2075. kenwood tm-742a frequency offset

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fran&#65533;ois Legrand <francoislegrand@videotron.ca>
Message-ID: <tCwX1.2533$0r5.2684273@weber.videotron.net>
Source record: 128574

Hi

I have a TM-742A multibander with all original parts including the TSU-7
CTCSS unit . The s/n begins with 408 and I never change the microprocessors.
I have a problem, they is a +5KHz offset in the receiving and in the
sending frequency. For example, to send and receive at 146.250MHz I need to
set my radio to 146.255MHz.

I have this problem on both bands

Thanks to everyone

Fran&#65533;ois Legrand
ve2ftl
francoislegrand@videotron.ca

2076. kenwood tm-742a frequency offset

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fran&#65533;ois Legrand <francoislegrand@videotron.ca>
Message-ID: <0CwX1.2532$0r5.2684106@weber.videotron.net>
Source record: 128575

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2077. Mac Decoding software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg <gmorgan@itw.com>
Message-ID: <70m1ev$mep@enews4.newsguy.com>
Source record: 128576

Does anyone know of software for the Mac that will decode RTTY, WEFAX, ARQ, MORSE etc..?

Thanks
Greg

2078. SB-200 power input vs. output question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ken Brookner <brooknerk@acm.org>
Message-ID: <70m42o$rg1$1@brokaw.wa.com>
Source record: 128577

Now that it's getting along towards the fall months, i'm finishing up my sb-200 basket case amp. this was a pretty pitted amp and i've ended up rebuilding most of it. i've never used an sb-200 before and am looking for comparative information so i can tell if i've got it working right.

when hooked to 120v, what power _output_ do you get on the various bands? if you could give me an idea of your input power vs. output power per band i'd appreciate it. also, curious about your high voltage readings when in transmit.

if there's enough interest, i'll be happy to tabularize and summarize for the net.

thanks & 73,

kenb
n5lpi/7
brooknerk@acm.org

2079. Re: kenwood tm-742a frequency offset

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "CHRISTOPHER W. (Chris) BOONE" <CBoone@Earthlink.Net>
Message-ID: <362E9726.30F700DC@Earthlink.Net>
Source record: 128578

Time to send the rig back to Kenwood....or find the PLL adjustment
in the rig (not advisable without service manual and test gear!)

Chris
WB5ITT

Franï¿½ois Legrand wrote:
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> Franï¿½ois Legrand
> ve2ftl
> francoislegrand@videotron.ca

2080. Re: SB-200 power input vs. output question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "CHRISTOPHER W. (Chris) BOONE" <CBoone@Earthlink.Net>
Message-ID: <362E98CA.69CC1045@Earthlink.Net>
Source record: 128579

A SB200 is good for 1200 watts input...so output at 60-70% eff.
will be only 700-900watts....thats PEP btw....CW will be less.
And that is with the PS pulling proper current....on 120 or 240!
If using 120, make sure NOTHING else is on the ckt and it has
a 20 amp breaker and wire capable of the current need!

Chris
WB5ITT

Ken Brookner wrote:
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> kenb
> n5lpi/7
> brooknerk@acm.org

2081. Re: Radio static

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: munsch@ibm.net
Message-ID: <362e9b37.0@news1.ibm.net>
Source record: 128580

D.Nopper wrote in message <708h81$6ad@enews2.newsguy.com>...
>snip
>Any suggestions would be appreciated.
>
>thanks
>
>Doug N.
>

Be sure the shield on the antenna wire is intact and grounded at both ends.
A new antenna with cable installed in a clean body hole may be the answer.
Good lock, George, W5VPQ

2082. Donations for School Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Walter R. Jones, Jr. KC7HEX" <wjonesjr@cdsnet.net>
Message-ID: <362E99BC.324077B2@cdsnet.net>
Source record: 128581

If you looking to give a donation to a school club, please consider the Klamath County Schools Amateur Radio Club, KC7VWW. We are a young club and hope to grow. Tax deductible receipts are given if needed.

http://home.cdsnet.net/~wjonesjr/hsarc.htm

Thank you for your time and consideration.

73
Walt
KC7VWW Club Advisor

2083. Re: 1.2 gig ATV Transmitter Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "CHRISTOPHER W. (Chris) BOONE" <CBoone@Earthlink.Net>
Message-ID: <362E95A1.9B4F620D@Earthlink.Net>
Source record: 128582
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Check www.stevens.com/~hats for info on 1.2 Ghz and 2.4 Ghz
ATV exciters

Chris
WB5ITT

Russell Ridgeway wrote:
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> looking for a 1 watt unit. Any help will be appriciated.
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> Thanks,
> Russ AE7D
> E-mail russ_ridgeway@byu.edu

2084. WTB: Bird or Coaxial Dynamics slugs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: larryc@northwest.com
Message-ID: <362E9B73.6A7F@northwest.com>
Source record: 128583
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Seeking 1 watt and 5 watt slugs for 100-250mcs freq range. Looking to buy
1 pc of each pwr range.

2085. subscribe (?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: nelsonca@dcs-chico.COM
Message-ID: <362E7B57.436C6B7F@dcs-chico.com>
Source record: 128385

Have not been receiving Ham-Equip mailings lately. Is there a problem or have been somehow dropped?

TNX
Tom Nelson

2086. OPC-646 CLONING CABLE Schematic needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Duane Park <dspark@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <362F8191.8EAF5925@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 128386

Does anyone have the wiring diagram for a OPC-646 CLONING CABLE???
Also, does it have any level converters on it, or is it just a cable???
If it is just a cable, a pinout would suffice.
Thanks in Advance
dspark@ix.netcom.com

2087. Re: Largest rotor for W51 Tri-Ex tower?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don W6JL <Don_Huff@hp.com>
Message-ID: <362F8B11.5DBC@hp.com>
Source record: 128387
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

nw2m@qsl.net wrote:
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> The HD-73 just fits! I suspect that a Ham IV may just make it....
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> Thanks in advance and 73,
>
> Al, NW2M
>
> -----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

Al OM,
The HAM I through IV rotors will fit. I have been using a HAM II for
20 years
now, turning stacked vertical 12 el yagis on 2M, over a TA-33 tribander,
over
a HyGain 2L 40M beam on a 13 ft mast. Probably 200% overload at least,
on a
W-51 tower. 15 years in So Cal and 5-1/2 years in Washington State
(but I did
not have thte 2M arrays up there). You may want to replace the stock
(pot-metal?)
brake locking gear with a stainless one from CATS antennas in Ohio.
Mine
developed a crack after >10 years, which I discovered during a routine
inspection,
although it did not fail to function. You can find Ham II's around
cheap if you
scrounge.
Any 2M antenna seems a trivial load to me.

73, Don, W6JL

2088. WTB: Military signal generator model URR-25?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gene Holcombe <n5zdf@netdoor.com>
Message-ID: <kXLX1.410$b53.2740@axe.netdoor.com>
Source record: 128388

Would like to buy a signal generator of this type. Not sure of military designation, but think I am close. This could be a URR-25. Any info, correct designation and availability would be appreciated.

Gene N5ZDF

2089. Re: SB-200 power input vs. output question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Temple <jetemp01@athena.louisville.edu>
Message-ID: <70o3qspam1@hermes.louisville.edu>
Source record: 128389

Hello to the Group,

I, also, recently bought an SB-200. The problem I have is the exciter does not seem to like the 15meter and 10meter bands. The exciter will input about 100watts on all bands but 15 and 10 meters, which relates to about 6-800 watts out. On 15 and 10 meters, the exciter will only input about 40watts, which cuts the power output to almost nothing.

I, too, am curious if an adjustment can be made, or if there might be a problem with some component values.

So long for now.

Jim Temple
KF4ICZ

Marty Tippin wrote in message <36306cce.62884823@news.supernews.net>...
>On Wed, 21 Oct 1998 19:08:11 -0700, "Ken Brookner" <brooknerk@acm.org>
>wrote:
>>when hooked to 120v, what power _output_ do you get on the various bands?
>>if you could give me an idea of your input power vs. output power per band
>>i'd appreciate it. also, curious about your high voltage readings when in
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>572B's that are in it, but they seem to be doing just fine. I
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>the band. Voltage idles around 2350 to 2400, down to around 1900-2000
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>I've never gotten around to it... Anyone with suggestions on how to
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>73,
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>-Marty KILO
> martyt@pobox.com

2090. Hy-Gain transceiver Model 3750

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Viktor Denisov (EW8VD)" <cradge@theglobe.com>
Message-ID: <70o4jn$sqf@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 128390

The point of my sending you this message is following. I have a Hy-Gain transceiver, model 3750, output power is 200 Watts. The transceiver is in an excellent condition and I heard that some radio amateurs in the US are looking for this model. Please contact me if you are interested.

Thank you for reading this.

73 de Viktor Denisov (EW8VD)

2091. Re: FT-50RD problem...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: jon_adair@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <70o6q9nkk1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128391

I trimmed the power button down so it is recessed. That's worked like a charm. It never comes on accidently. The downsides are that you probably have to take the radio apart (who hasn't?) and the radio doesn't look brand new when you're done. You can get a new power button from Yaesu for free or next to nothing, so you can swap it back later.

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==------
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

2092. Re: SB-200 power input vs. output question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al Dolgosh <al.dolgosh@hamradio.org>
Message-ID: <362F9748.A885E189@hamradio.org>
Source record: 128392

The SB-200 was designed in an era of tube-type transmitters that were more tolerant of VSWR than today's solid state finals with built-in VSWR power foldback circuits. If you have a wattmeter between the exciter and the SB-200, you should be able to measure reflected power and make the adjustments to the tuned input circuits as described in the manual.

Perhaps some component value has changed and the input VSWR is higher than expected. If all else fails, get a small antenna tuner and put it between the exciter and amplifier!

Hope this helps,

Al - K8EUR
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> >-Marty KIï¿½LO
> > martyt@pobox.com

2093. Re: FS KENWOOD TS -440 AT $825.00 N1HHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dot & John Forsythe <johnfor@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <362F9C3B.25A3@swbell.net>
Source record: 128393

Gabriel G melo wrote:
>
> 1-401-434-2606
>Gemme a break....To big of a price unless it's made of gold !!

2094. Kenwood extended RX. TH-G71a

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: coda <coda@dreamsoft.com>
Message-ID: <362F9A0A.28F910E7@dreamsoft.com>
Source record: 128394

Hi, is there a mod that will allow this radio to receive the range of 76-200 as the Yaesu does? I perfer the Kenwood, but would sure like to have that lower range it at all possible. Thanks, Jim kd6ccp coda@dream.com

2095. Re: SB-200 power input vs. output question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Speck <speck@qns.com>
Message-ID: <70o5tikrb1@sunhub-tulsa.onenet.net>
Source record: 128395

Unfortunately, the coils in the input tuned circuit are doped up and won't be easy to break loose. I've broken the slugs and screwed up the shafts trying it. It might be easier to adjust the cap's in the input pi-net, using the swr meter on the input.

Jim W5AI

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>> > martyt@pobox.com
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2096. DX-160 help or sell

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: RadAm <philoxeny@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <70o78u$13m$1@news3.mr.net>
Source record: 128396

My DX-160 works on LW (Band 1)and band 4 from 13 to 30 Mhz. The AM broadcast
band and the first SW band seem to work if you rock the bandswitch between the band you want and the band just below it. The switch won't stay in that position so you have to carefully hold it there. This would surely indicate a problem in the switch. I cleaned it over and over and checked the little tension clips to make sure contact was being made. Even bypassed the switch connection to make sure contact was being made. All this to no avail, it still works exactly the same. So, we have a shortwave that covers from 13 to 30 Mhz and the LW band.
Does anyone have a parts rig where the bandswitch might still be good? If not, I would sell this partial SW for $25 shipped to your door and you can fix it. Cosmetically, it is in great shape. No scratches, dents, good screen printing, clean, scratch free faceplate, etc. I'm sure the problem is the bandswitch but I just can't find it. I'ts nice enough that I would install a new bandswitch if I could find one.

RadAM philoxeny@hotmail.com

2097. Need: Dos 6.20 MSBackup files

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Repstad <rcc@together.net>
Message-ID: <362FA2F8.2A8351B1@together.net>
Source record: 128397

Hi Gang,

Ok, this is not exactly ham stuff, but I'm hoping that someone out there is still running Dos 6.20 for a packet or other purposes. I have some files that I backed up using MSBackup under Dos 6.20, which uses a different compression routine than DOS 6.22 (the only copy of dos I still have) so I can't restore the files.... I think dos 6.0 would work as well. I need the MSBACKUP.* files... if your running dos 6.20 (just type "Ver" at the dos prompt to find out)... please let me know...

--Tom
KB1CGA

2098. Re: Dear Bored of YOUR BULL: I CONFESS !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bored of Your Bull <boredof@hatemail.com>
Message-ID: <01bdfd3a$9bca5160$5bab5ccf@MyComputer.nowhere.net>
Source record: 128398
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Jackson, such venom, calm down before you have a stroke.

Glad to see you finally admit you are running a business on this news group despite the prohabition against such activity in the charter. I agree you aren't AES or HRO or Burghhardt's. They have real technicians who work on their radios, not just some hype artist that improperly uses the internet
as free advertizing for his little business. Guess that's why they have to charge
a bit more they actually look at the radios and they PAY for their advertizing.

I love the way you try and take the moral high ground as you steal free ad space on non commercial news groups. Get a life, pay for what you get, it's the American way.

Perhaps I'll come to El Paso and do a review of your table. Would you like that? Oh by the way why do you feel compelled to call me fowl names(that's a pun not a spelling error) Murray. I never cursed at you. Anyway thanks for
doing so it gives a little insight into your character.

J. Murray Neece <kc5mdm@iglobal.net> wrote in article
<362F487A.B57A3E88@iglobal.net>...
> First, I apologize to the newgroup for this posting, most of you will
> understand tho....this guy is hiding behind a keyboard and spewing his sour
> guts....what a life!! RADIO RAGE and GLOBAL QUARMING, these are big problems
> !! Ill bet you can pick this guy or guys like him out on the radio, if he has
> one....probably couldnt pass the test......
>
> Dear Bored of your BUTT ... I confess!
> Thats right, I confess, I do make a little money,and I operate in a business
> like manner,best I can, but its not my real business, its for fun, (but you
> are detracting from that.,for alot of people)..You know.... something to do on
> weekends and nites, just like a million other hams do except maybe on a
> larger scale....Im not trying to hide anything, not even who I am .....like

> you do you YOU STUPID CHICKENSHIT !! If you you will identify
yourself, we
> will get this off of the newgroups and make it personal, which is how Im
> takiing it YOU STUPID , TOO MUCH TIME ON YOUR HANDS CHICKENSHIT!!
Well,
> thats about all the time Im willing to give you this morning, I do have
> plenty of time to buy and sell radios, its fun, and it funds my hobby,
> barely....I wouldnt do it for the money....not enuff pay...dont need
it....If
> I stop, a lot a guys will be paying 100-300 more per rig and not getting
any
> better service or anything.else..so enough of this YOU JEALOUS WIMPY
> CHICKENSHIT... cul MURRAY :)
>
> Bored of Your Bull wrote:
>
> > Aren't you the Bozo who said he wasn't running a business? It sure
looks
> > like a business to me Ace, credit cards and all.
> >
> > J. Murray Neece <kc5mdm@iglobal.net> wrote in article
> > <362E3DC6.5EFCC9A4@iglobal.net>...
> > > Have some rigs for Sale....#1 Kenwood TS 440SAT, Very VERY nice ,
> > > shiney, with mic manual $625. or with like PS 53 $700.oo.....#2.
> > > Kenwood TS 50 S in good condition, with mic, manual and mobile
> > > bracket..$650.oo #3. Icom 737A, very nice auto tuner and not a
> > > scratch or mark anywhere...$725.oo #4. Yaesu FT 900at in good
> > > condition, few scuffs on bottom but not on face or top, $875.oo
#5.
> > > Yaesu FT 840 in very good shape , no marks, low time, factory stock,
> > > with mic and manual $550.oo... #6. Kenwood TS 711A with tone and
looks
> > > like new!! perfect in every way...might be a scratch on bottom but
none
> > > on TOP!! or face!! With match SP 430 speaker
$695.oo::::::::::Shipping
> > > not included, trades considered, Visa MasterCard thru my conveneice
> > > store...Thanks Murray K5MDM
> > >
> > >
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>

2099. Help with Kenwood TS-820S needed!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gregory T Miller <gtmiller@acsu.buffalo.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.GSO.3.96.981022175023.19082B-100000@callisto.acsu.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 128399
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc

Sorry for the crossposting, I hope no one is offended by it.

I have a TS-820S that didn't come with a manual. I need to know
what pins in the 9-pin connection on the back need to be shorted so I can
use the VFO (the connector that usually does this is missing too!) If
anyone knows about this, and/or has a manual they could photocopy for me,
it would be greatly appreciated!!
Please reply privately via e-mail - I don't always have the time
to comb through the newsgroups. My email: gtmiller@buffalo.edu

Thanks and 73's,
- Greg

Greg Miller, EE student - Univ. at Buffalo, BIG Elvis Costello fan!
Hammonds: 2 M-3's, L-122A Leslies: 45
Rhodes: Mark I (73 key) Gibson: G101 combo organ

2100. Re: FS Estate Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: w5rg@swbell.net
Message-ID: <362FC9EE.45E1@swbell.net>
Source record: 128400

Peter F. Christensen ....I would like to buy the 940....first I would like to know the serial no. if you have them or what condx it is in...Thanks Bob

2101. Re: F.S. Mobile HF AMP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: brianburke@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <70ogcv$26e$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128401
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

> >
> >
> THERE IS NO F.C.C. SO WHAT IS THE POINT!!!
> do what you want...they closed our monitoring station in Vero beach.
> And there are 10 illegal stations on the 88mhz band in Miami . Do you
> think they care if an amp is type accepted in the Ham Bands ??dream
> on!!! They just don't care.......
> WA4JJQ
>
I read in the last couple of months that there was an FCC sweep of illegal broadcaster in the Miami area. Busted lotsa folks. The FCC does not exist as far as Part 97 enforcement goes.

Brian/N0iMD

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2102. Help! IC-02AT Battery Stuck

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Fritz <rfritz@home.com>
Message-ID: <362FB53B.28FA9BBE@home.com>
Source record: 128402

I cannot remove the battery from my Icom 02AT. It appears to be a mechanical blockage. The Slide on the side is stuck in the up position but I can't move the battery at all.

Any suggestions as to how to remove the battery short of explosives would be appreciated.

Thanks,
Bob
KE6WYG

2103. Re: SB-200 power input vs. output question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ken Brookner <brooknerk@acm.org>
Message-ID: <70ockbuv1@brokaw.wa.com>
Source record: 128403

the problem of high swr on one or more bands is one that i've been fighting too. one thing i've noticed is that it appears related to the particular tubes in use. with svetlana 572b tubes, the swr is still high on 80m but fine on 10m. with centrons, the amp will present a high swr to the exciter on both 80 and 10.

i've been corresponding with some sb-200 users that just take advantage of the automatic antenna tuner in their rigs to solve the problem. my solution, since i don't have an automatic tuner, is to use a small antenna tuner that i have between my solid state rig and the amp. my drake t4x doesn't seem to be bothered by it so much--looks like tuning the drake final takes care of most of the problem.

marty, your voltages and power in/out tracks closely with my experience. i also installed the harbach ps board, soft-start, and soft-key units. probably should have gotten the higher velocity fan too...

so, from what i'm hearing both on the newsgroup and via email, there does seem to be something going on with sb-200 amps when used with solid state gear. my guess is that the amp's input circuitry just isn't optimum.

anyway, i'm still collecting responses and looking at my amp. i'll summarize in a week or so.

kenb, n5lpi

2104. Re: Help! IC-02AT Battery Stuck

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnass@marconi.ih.lucent.com
Message-ID: <70odjl$c1v@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
Source record: 128404

In article <362FB53B.28FA9BBE@home.com>,
Robert Fritz <rfritz@home.com> wrote:

>I cannot remove the battery from my Icom 02AT. It appears to be a
>mechanical blockage. The Slide on the side is stuck in the up position
>but I can't move the battery at all.

Try placing the radio in a freezer for a while to see if
the parts shrink enough to permit the battery to slide off.
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Copyright 1998, Bob Parnass, AJ9S parnass@bell-labs.com

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2105. Re: SB-200 power input vs. output question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ken Brookner <brooknerk@acm.org>
Message-ID: <70ocrg$1nh$1@brokaw.wa.com>
Source record: 128405

i did try tuning the slugs--mine weren't doped. not much help. also, i replaced all of the caps and resistors in the input circuit. that helped some, but not completely. i think al dolgosh is right on this. the design just predated today's solid state gear with the swr foldback circuitry.

kenb

Jim Speck wrote in message <70o5tikrb1@sunhub-tulsa.onenet.net>...
>Unfortunately, the coils in the input tuned circuit are doped up and won't
>be easy to break loose. I've broken the slugs and screwed up the shafts
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snip...

2106. TS-520SE with tuning knob trouble

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gil Bishop <gbishop@home.com>
Message-ID: <vEPX1.104993$Xy6.44276758@news.rdc1.ct.home.com>
Source record: 128406
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Looking to your help again - tnx in advance!

Problem when turning the tuning knob. It has what almost feel like detents (sp?) or mechanical flat spots about every 1/3 turn. Makes it very difficult to stay on freq when within a couple of khz or so of these - the vfo just wants to slide into the hole. Can run the knob back and forth (forcefully) over these spots and finally get the vfo to stay put.
Any ideas?

Tnx and 73
Gil

2107. Re: SB-200 power input vs. output question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Clarke <w2blc599@radiolink.net>
Message-ID: <362fc628.0@news3.ibm.net>
Source record: 128407

I used an SB-200 for several years with both tube and solid state equipment. I don't recall the make of the tubes, but they were not Svetlanas, as they had not started in the export business at that time. But, I think the origin of the tubes is moot.

Is the SWR so high that the solid state rig is shutting down? If no, then I personally would not worry about it. If you do worry, then you can tinker with the SB-200's input circuitry or use a small tuner between the units.

Is your 100 watt input coming out of the amp as 600 or more watts? If yes, then the amp is doing what it was designed to do.

If you can really push it and squeeze 800 watts out, you'll just burn the tubes up all the sooner and the 200 watt difference will never be heard on the air (law of decibels).

As I recall, the SB-200 required neutralization when replacing tubes.

--
Bill Clarke W2BLC
W2BLC@radiolink.net

2108. Re: Mac Decoding software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: cschmelz@mcw.edu
Message-ID: <cschmelz-2210981901550001@net-6-156.dhcp.mcw.edu>
Source record: 128408

In article <70m1ev$mep@enews4.newsguy.com>, "Greg" <gmorgan@itw.com> wrote:

> Does anyone know of software for the Mac that will decode RTTY, WEFAX, ARQ,
> MORSE etc..?
>

Check out Multimode...You can find it by searching
<http://www.versiontracker.com/>

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Chris Schmelzer, MS-2
Medical College of Wisconsin

Milwaukee, WI 53208

2109. Re: Help with Kenwood TS-820S needed!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif Holland <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <362FC5B3.53C6@onramp.net>
Source record: 128409
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc

Gregory T Miller wrote:
>
> Sorry for the crossposting, I hope no one is offended by it.
>
> I have a TS-820S that didn't come with a manual. I need to know
> what pins in the 9-pin connection on the back need to be shorted so I can
> use the VFO (the connector that usually does this is missing too!) If
> anyone knows about this, and/or has a manual they could photocopy for me,
> it would be greatly appreciated!!
> Please reply privately via e-mail - I don't always have the time
> to comb through the newsgroups. My email: gtmiller@buffalo.edu
>
> Thanks and 73's,
> - Greg
>
> --
> Greg Miller, EE student - Univ. at Buffalo, BIG Elvis Costello fan!
> Hammonds: 2 M-3's, L-122A Leslies: 45
> Rhodes: Mark I (73 key) Gibson: G101 combo organ

Pin's 8 and 9...
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Clif Holland, KA5IPF
Owner of AVVid, an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
For more info click on the following
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid
or call 1-800-214-5779

2110. WTB:6mtr beacon Txmr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwayne <duck@nb.net>
Message-ID: <36300278.AB26D067@nb.net>
Source record: 128410

Hello,
I'm working on putting a low power 6 meter beacon on the air,I'm
looking for a stable
6 meter (pll or xtal) txmr pcb.Anyone know what I can use or if you have
1 let me know.
E-mail me please.... at>> duck@nb.net Thank You,

Dwayne W. Rosko N3LEL

2111. Help with FT-840

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Christian D. Guevara" <cdmrga@dakotacom.net>
Message-ID: <362FCC1F.761011@dakotacom.net>
Source record: 128411

I'm upgrading my license from tech to general and I was looking at the
FT-840. I have a limited budget and this seemed to be the perfect rig for me.
Are there any problems with it? Any help is greatly apreciated.
Another question. Is there a limit to how long a coax feedline can when its
hooked up to a dipole?

please e-mail me
cdmrga@dakotacom.net
--
Christian D. Guevara
Comp-U-Doc

"Not to criticize..." -Niels Bohr

2112. FS:IC-W32A 2Meters & 440 HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <bberkes@snip.net>
Message-ID: <70olpelmu1@news1.fast.net>
Source record: 128412

For Sale... like new IC-W32A Handie Talkie in like new condition. This Radio is a Two Meter and 440 HT. I have all Manuals, Original Receipt, speaker mike, Drop in Charger, Battery, rubber duck. Was bought on 02/10/98 and is still under warranty. This radio is MINT!

$225.00 Firm

Brian Berkes
609-482-6976 Home
609-758-3446 Work
Or email at bberkes@snip.net

2113. Re: SB-200 power input vs. output question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Temple <jetemp01@athena.louisville.edu>
Message-ID: <70onn6kbo1@hermes.louisville.edu>
Source record: 128413

What seems to happen is on 10meters, the exciter (a ts-870 w/ auto antenna tuner) will not tune and gives up. So the exciter power presented to the sb-200 is about 40 watts. I can see the exciter power momenterally normal, then instantly drops to 40 watts, in the blink of an eye. So the solid state rig is not shutting down, but the power output is severely limited. During this condition, the amp will only put out about 125watts.

Now, I can take the amp out of the loop, and the auto tuner on the ts-870 will tune 10meters normally.

I appreciate the help and advice. Thanks.

Jim Temple
KF4ICZ

Bill Clarke wrote in message <362fc628.0@news3.ibm.net>...
>I used an SB-200 for several years with both tube and solid state
equipment.
>I don't recall the make of the tubes, but they were not Svetlanas, as they
>had not started in the export business at that time. But, I think the
origin
>of the tubes is moot.
>
>Is the SWR so high that the solid state rig is shutting down? If no, then I
>personally would not worry about it. If you do worry, then you can tinker
>with the SB-200's input circuitry or use a small tuner between the units.
>
>Is your 100 watt input coming out of the amp as 600 or more watts? If yes,
>then the amp is doing what it was designed to do.
>
>If you can really push it and squeeze 800 watts out, you'll just burn the
>tubes up all the sooner and the 200 watt difference will never be heard on
>the air (law of decibels).
>
>As I recall, the SB-200 required neutralization when replacing tubes.
>
>--
>Bill Clarke W2BLC
>W2BLC@radiolink.net
>
>
>

2114. Re: Dear Bored of YOUR BULL: I CONFESS !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bruce Starr <BassStar@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <362FE18D.125165D9@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 128414
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Did you really want to tell the IRS that this is a hooby not a business?
Do you claim expenses off your taxes? So is it a real business or not?
Carefull the IRS could use an answer against you.

J. Murray Neece wrote:

> First, I apologize to the newgroup for this posting, most of
> you will understand tho....this guy is hiding behind a keyboard and
> spewing his sour guts....what a life!! RADIO RAGE and GLOBAL
> QUARMING, these are big problems !! Ill bet you can pick this guy or
> guys like him out on the radio, if he has one....probably couldnt pass
> the test......
>
> Dear Bored of your BUTT ... I confess!
> Thats right, I confess, I do make a little money,and I operate in a
> business like manner,best I can, but its not my real business, its for
> fun, (but you are detracting from that.,for alot of people)..You
> know.... something to do on weekends and nites, just like a million
> other hams do except maybe on a larger scale....Im not trying to hide
> anything, not even who I am .....like you do you YOU STUPID
> CHICKENSHIT !! If you you will identify yourself, we will get this
> off of the newgroups and make it personal, which is how Im takiing
> it YOU STUPID , TOO MUCH TIME ON YOUR HANDS CHICKENSHIT!! Well,
> thats about all the time Im willing to give you this morning, I do
> have plenty of time to buy and sell radios, its fun, and it funds my
> hobby, barely....I wouldnt do it for the money....not enuff pay...dont
> need it....If I stop, a lot a guys will be paying 100-300 more per rig
> and not getting any better service or anything.else..so enough of
> this YOU JEALOUS WIMPY CHICKENSHIT... cul MURRAY :)
>
> Bored of Your Bull wrote:
>
>> Aren't you the Bozo who said he wasn't running a business? It sure
>> looks
>> like a business to me Ace, credit cards and all.
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>> J. Murray Neece <kc5mdm@iglobal.net> wrote in article
>> <362E3DC6.5EFCC9A4@iglobal.net>...
>> > Have some rigs for Sale....#1 Kenwood TS 440SAT, Very VERY nice ,
>>
>> > shiney, with mic manual $625. or with like PS 53 $700.oo.....#2.
>> > Kenwood TS 50 S in good condition, with mic, manual and mobile
>> > bracket..$650.oo #3. Icom 737A, very nice auto tuner and not a
>>

>> > scratch or mark anywhere...$725.oo #4. Yaesu FT 900at in good
>> > condition, few scuffs on bottom but not on face or top, $875.oo
>> #5.
>> > Yaesu FT 840 in very good shape , no marks, low time, factory
>> stock,
>> > with mic and manual $550.oo... #6. Kenwood TS 711A with tone and
>> looks
>> > like new!! perfect in every way...might be a scratch on bottom but
>> none
>> > on TOP!! or face!! With match SP 430 speaker
>> $695.oo::::::::::Shipping
>> > not included, trades considered, Visa MasterCard thru my
>> conveneice
>> > store...Thanks Murray K5MDM
>> >
>> >
>
>

2115. help with power grid tube

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: WebMonkey <address@below.com>
Message-ID: <362FE23C.1E1D@below.com>
Source record: 128415
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

is an ITT f-6366 tube good for an hf amp?

itt now triton says it's good to 30mHz another source says up to 50mHz.
120watt drive with 3kwatt output.

just wondering if anyone has used one or wants one.
maybe an approx. value etc.

thanks
--
A.C. Curtis
KBï¿½WLF

mailto:demoman@rollanet.org
http://www.rollanet.org/~demoman

2116. Re: Wilson WH-2516

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: WebMonkey <address@below.com>
Message-ID: <362FE4BE.181E@below.com>
Source record: 128416

Todd wrote:
>
> Well i guess i'll just turn the thing into a 16 channel VHF scanner, you
> wouldn't happen to know how to program it would you?
>
i've found the units to operate just fine on the ham 2m band.
there are a couple of tuning coils w/slugs up front on the keypad side
of the mainboard that require a little adjusting to get the rig going
ouside
the factory tuned bandwith. then the usual tuning of the pa board
to get the max output.

i had asked the same programming question since i had misplaced my
copy of instructions but now that i have located it, i'll pass it along.

> chiefpoint@yahoo.com wrote:
> >
> > For what it's worth, I used to work on these rigs. The VCO is designed to
> > BARELY allow operation on the bands for which it was designed - I never was
> > able to get one to transmit with any stability even near the edges of the
> > public service bands, so I'm not sure you could get the VCO to cooperate in
> > the ham bands. The VCO would either cause the TX relay to chatter or not
> > close the relay at all. I don't have any manuals for the Wilson rigs -
> > tossed them out (sorry!). I gave several of these rigs away to hams who
> > wanted to use them for the PA parts. Good luck with your project! 73.
> >
> > In article <362D88F2.C91BECDC@nightowl.net>,
> > Todd <tyler@nightowl.net> wrote:
> > > Was wondering if anyone had programing information for this radio,
> > > somebody gave it to me and i'd like to put it to use on the ham bands if
> > > i could. Thanks in advance for any help.
> > >
> > > Todd
> > > kb0udf
> > >
> >

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A.C. Curtis
KBï¿½WLF

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http://www.rollanet.org/~demoman

Filename: WILSON.MOD
SUBJECT : Wilson UHF/VHF Radio programming -- models WU-1510,

WH-2516, WU-1516
From : AB5WX
To : MODS @ TEXAS
Title : Wilson/Regency Radios
Path : !F6CNB!F6CNB!N5VGC!W5IFP!KI5EF!WB5GHJ!

How to Program Regency and Wilson Commercial Radios

(NOTE: CAPS indicate the radio button to push, not a command.)

1.) First radios must be placed in "program mode". Many are set this way from the first dealer who placed them into service. In order to check to see if this mod has been performed; press PROG PRIOR THEN 10. The display should go blank. Skip the next paragraph and go to the next section.

If the display does not go blank proceed with the following mod. Locate jumper JU-401 on the radio motherboard (its in front of the main microprocessor which sits perpendicular to the front of the chassis.

2.) Heres the program sequence:
Turn radio off, then back on.
Press PROG PRIOR then 10 (your display should go blank).
Enter receive frequency (6 digits;ex. 446000).
Enter either 00 (simplex) or 80 (duplex)
Enter either 00 (no pl tone) or 01-32 (corresponds to the first 32 standard pl tones (ex. 01=67.0, 32=203.5).
Enter transmit frequency (6 digits; ex 446000).
Enter ENTER.
Enter Channel # you want to save to memory.
Turn radio off, then back on. (leds will flash). Example: to enter a repeater frequency for 444.200 with a plus offset and a pltone of 162.2 on channel 2; you would press PROG PRIOR then enter: 442000 80 26 447000 ENTER 2
(receive) (dup) (pl) (transmit) (channel)
3.) Test
Enter MANUAL, then press number of channel you wish to test.
Key PTT on microphone. You should be able to verify operation of radio. (i.e repeater will come up)

4.) Channel verification-In order to determine what is already programmed in a channel, perform the following sequence:
Power On
Enter PROG PRIOR then 10
Enter MANUAL then Channel # (keypad #)
Write down the numbers as they flash on led display.
EXAMPLE: 442000 80 01 447000
receive dup pl transmit

Subnote: Regency and Wilson 16 channel radios can also be programmed using the same procedure except that:
1. Program jumper must be removed after programming is complete in order to transmit. (on 10 channels this can stay on all the time).

2. PL code must be entered twice.

I hope this helps a few hams who have procured some of these fine radios from swapfests, trade nets, etc. They are really fine for packet radio, home base units and extra mobile rigs. The fact that they are frequency agile is a big plus over some of the old crystal units that are still appearing so much.

2117. Re: SB-200 power input vs. output question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jones <Jones@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <363013F8.6801@nomail.com>
Source record: 128417

> What seems to happen is on 10meters, the exciter (a ts-870 w/ auto antenna
> tuner) will not tune and gives up.
> >Bill Clarke W2BLC

The TS870 manual (p.77 - General) advises that the auto tuner tunes from
20 to 150 ohms. The old tube exciters with pi nets that the sb220 amp
was designed for covered 3 to 4 times that range. Maybe if you tried a
manual tuner with a greater range it would help.

2118. IC761 and FT736 question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Pastore <mpastore@mail.ibidpub.com>
Message-ID: <70p517ctg1@brokaw.wa.com>
Source record: 128418

Heya all
I have an IC-761 and an FT-736. I'm thinking of selling them and upgrading them. Both systems are in good shape. What kind of prices do you think this gear will go for?

Thanks
Mike
WA7SCH "Seattle's Craziest Ham"

-.. . ..-- .- --... ... -.-. .... <- I apologize, just always wanted to do that :-)

2119. 29 MHz FM Rigs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Henzler <dhenzler@jps.net>
Message-ID: <363010DE.830EBCB8@jps.net>
Source record: 128419

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Motorola Micor
all solid state
110 Watts
.3 uV Receiver
4 channels
Radio, cable, control head, speaker, mic
working and in nice conditon
no manuals
$125

GE Master Executive - Front Mount
(no control head or cable needed)
Tube PA and driver
30 Watts
.35 uV Receiver
on 29.5 and 29.6 simplex
needs new power switch - works after new switch installed or money back
partial manuals
$50
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2120. Need info on Comtek Systems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nick <watchman@tig.com.au>
Message-ID: <362E5488.32947508@tig.com.au>
Source record: 128437

Need address/ web/ email of Comtek Systems,
manufacturer of ACB-4 antenna switch boxes/ hybrid coupler.
Thanks,
Nick VK2ICV

2121. Re: 75W too much for car?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiobufff@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981021200349.20550.00004199@ng114.aol.com>
Source record: 128438

Just don't run your headlights or defroster while transmitting, I bet they both draw more than 75 watts of power, you probably need to draw 150 watts to make 75 watts of RF, still should be a very comfortable load, just don't run everything at once,I'd be more concerned about the effect the RF might have on the cars electronics, people have blown out 2000 dollar computers with less RF, check with the dealer for the location of the cars computer and the manufacturers recommendations for running mobile two-way radios, ant cable, power routing and antenna placement, an alternator is a heck of a lot cheaper than a computer, I have run 400 watts on HF in half a dozen GM(all V-8's, only way to fly) vehicles with no problem , thats on SSB with maybe 400 watt peaks on a good day, no problem with the upgraded batt and alternator, 125 amps I belive, or maybe 115, not sure, just dimmed the lights a little, LOL, best of luck, just do your homework first

>Hi folks. I have a TK830H 75W mobile and was wondering if it would
>be too much power drain for a Honda Civic car? It's a 1996 model car
>but I don't have any info on the alternator itself. I guess the
>total Tx time is %30-%40 duty. Thanks.
>--
>Regards,
>Tony
>

Radio in the Bufff
Co-ed Naked Radio
Support your local Oscillator

2122. Re: Wilson WH-2516

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: chiefpoint@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <70m22s$g0u$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128439

For what it's worth, I used to work on these rigs. The VCO is designed to BARELY allow operation on the bands for which it was designed - I never was able to get one to transmit with any stability even near the edges of the public service bands, so I'm not sure you could get the VCO to cooperate in the ham bands. The VCO would either cause the TX relay to chatter or not close the relay at all. I don't have any manuals for the Wilson rigs - tossed them out (sorry!). I gave several of these rigs away to hams who wanted to use them for the PA parts. Good luck with your project! 73.

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> i could. Thanks in advance for any help.
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> Todd
> kb0udf
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----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2123. Re: Anyone assist with problem on valve linear - HF? Please.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0dg@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981021210322.08985.00003892@ng71.aol.com>
Source record: 128440

John,
It sounds like you have probably located at least one of the problems. of course if there is an internal short in one of the tubes the idling current could not be correct. I am surprised that the high voltage did not drop a lot more than you indicated but??

on the other thought, If the zener diode failed first and let the bias voltage get way out of whack it could certainly have caused one or both of the tubes to be subject to drastic overload situation. It sounds like you are going to be in the market for one or more tubes but I would certainly check out the bias circuit before powering up again.
the only thing worse than blowing an expensive componet is blowing the replacement as well.

good luck.
Don Nï¿½DG

2124. WTB: Standard C5900DA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Ottria <Gottria@Inreach.com>
Message-ID: <WXvX1.30239$D5.19092609@news.inreach.com>
Source record: 128441
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Looking to buy a Standard C5900AD. E-mail with info and price. Thanks

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Greg Ottria KE6PTP
Castro Valley, California
Gottria@Inreach.com

2125. Yaesu FT1000MP and YO-100 Monitor Scope

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Christensen <paulc@mediaone.net>
Message-ID: <SdwX1.5541$Xt4.34007668@news2.jacksonville.net>
Source record: 128442

I'm interested in hearing from anyone who has successfully modified their FT-1000MP's receiver to work with a Yaesu YO-100 or YO-101 Monitor Scope to show received signal waveforms. Thanks!

-Paul, W9AC

2126. Re: FT-90 Micro Commander

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: user66@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981021223226.24674.00003471@ng145.aol.com>
Source record: 128443

>
>Does anyone know if this FT-90 will be the replacement of the
>FT-8100R?

NO,NO,NO !!!

ft-90 is ONE BAND AT A TIME
NO X-BAND REPEAT !!!!!!!
just like ft-50
STEP BACKWARDS 10 YEARS

2127. WTB:IC 781 Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: KB6LUE <kb6lue@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <362F2465.42E2@pacbell.net>
Source record: 128444

Hi
I am looking for manual for IC-781 HF TRX>
Thanks
Jin KB6LUE

2128. Re: EL PASO...Get it now or this goes there!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bored of Your Bull <boredof@hatemail.com>
Message-ID: <01bdfca5$830099e0$51a9bacd@MyComputer.nowhere.net>
Source record: 128445
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

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> not included, trades considered, Visa MasterCard thru my conveneice
> store...Thanks Murray K5MDM
>
>

2129. Re: ic-2100h pwr mod?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: dlr18sh@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981021235343.10536.00004061@ng99.aol.com>
Source record: 128446

I opened up the radio. Only 2 or 3 pots.
One says "dev" for FM Deviation
Other says MIC for mic gain
and the 3rd says "POW"
abreviation for POWER.
THe radio puts out 55 watts out of the box
I turned this pot to 35 watts which is perfect
for my local. Now the Heat sink stays reasonable cool except on Very Long
winded
conversations. I also did this mod so I could plug the radio into the cigarette
lighter plug
in my Doge Caravan. THe Lighter plug says
it will handle 20 AMPS max but i doubt it.
THe IC-2100 used 12 Amps at 55 watts
and not uses 7 Amps at 35 watts.
Take care, Tim

2130. Just bought Lafayette HA-500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: jonnyd97@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981022003234.09760.00004063@ng75.aol.com>
Source record: 128447

Any info on this unit? I rcv 80, 40, 20, 15, 10 and 6 meters. Looks like a vintage unit. Any info greatly appreciated.

Thanks

Jon Damast
http://members.aol.com/jonnyd97

2131. Re: Wilson WH-2516

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Todd <tyler@nightowl.net>
Message-ID: <362EC012.5F75A221@nightowl.net>
Source record: 128448

Well i guess i'll just turn the thing into a 16 channel VHF scanner, you wouldn't happen to know how to program it would you?

Todd

chiefpoint@yahoo.com wrote:
>
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> > Todd
> > kb0udf
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> -----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2132. Need Mod for Icom IC-T22A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Danny Mullins <dannym@mounet.com>
Message-ID: <70mhf5jtm1@supernews.com>
Source record: 128449

Can anyone help me with the out of band xmit mod for the
IC-t22A? I've looked all over the web with no luck.
Thanks
Dan
dannym@mounet.com

2133. WANTED. DRAKE R4245 RECEIVER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: ficarra.tony.t@bhp.com.au
Message-ID: <70mhls$1en$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128450
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

Wanted. Drake R4245 Receiver. Buyer will pay for all shipping costs. Please state condition and optional extras. I will also appreciate any information on the whereabouts of any such units. Please e-mail. Thankyou. Tony.

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2134. FS: IC2SRA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: avrial@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <362edd55.7489126@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 128451

I have an Icom IC2SRA in, like new shape, for sale for $300 ,manual
and box incl.
Thanks
Robin.

2135. WTB:CW,keys,telegrams,book,stamps,FDC's,bugs,sounder

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Massey <N6TT@jps.net>
Message-ID: <362ee671.0@blushng.jps.net>
Source record: 128452

I want to buy telegraph & wireless
keys,bugs,sounders,relays,books,catalogs,telegrams,stamps,FDC's,Western
Union promotional label,magazines,telegraph toys
What do you have and what is your price !

Steve

2136. FS Estate Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Peter F. Christensen" <christep@cadvision.com>
Message-ID: <362EFC62.1028@cadvision.com>
Source record: 128453

I have the following Kenwood equiptment for sale from an estate sale.
TS-940S.............$730.00 US plus shipping costs.
TS-940 speaker.......$95.00 US plus shipping costs.
Kenwood SWC-2000 plus SWC-2 and SWC-3..$125.00 US plus shipping costs.
Kenwood MC-80 Microphone.....$50.00 US plus shipping costs.
Please Email Peter Christensen christep@cadvision.com
Thank you.

2137. yaesu eqpt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: bujiaj8@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981022071726.00917.00001389@ng23.aol.com>
Source record: 128454

I have a yaesu 101E. I am interested in purchasing accessory eqpt for it.
Please let me know of any eqpt that you might be interested in parting with.

thanks

bill

2138. Re: Anyone still use 2M packet??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: johnande@interl.net
Message-ID: <70n7tq$mn0$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128455

>
> Depends on where you are I guess. Here in Dutchess County, NY the packet
> cluster is humming but normal packet is kind of dead but is being used by
> several folks. With all the new techs you'd think it would pick up a bit.
> Guess most of them just want to chew the fat on the repeaters.
>

Packet is still alive in Iowa, but it is much slower than it used to be. I still maintain a presense there, and post ARRL/AMSAT messages on a local bbs. The bbs has been left on, with no forwarding, by the owner for local postings. My nearest forwarding bbs is kb0ucc.#eia.ia.us.na but e-mail is faster and more reliable, so I don't use packet mail any more!

73..de JOHN K0BKL

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2139. Re: Largest rotor for W51 Tri-Ex tower?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: dj2001@aol.com
Message-ID: <dj2001-ya02408000R2210980715240001@news.isd.net>
Source record: 128456
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

In article <70lldq$v21$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>, nw2m@qsl.net wrote:

> What is the largest rotor which can be used in the Tri-Ex W51 tower? My
> rotor (HD-73) is too small for the larger 2 meter boomers I am using on the
> tower. After 5 years of twisting a 34' boom on 2M, it has taken its toll on
> the rotor. The HD-73 has been an inexpensive workhorse, but I need a larger
> solution.
>
> The HD-73 just fits! I suspect that a Ham IV may just make it....
>
> Thanks in advance and 73,
>
> Al, NW2M
>
>
> -----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

I'm using a Ham-M rotator in my WT51, its a close fit but it will go
without too much trouble. I dont think you can get much bigger rotators in
there though.

Dale J.
K9VUJ

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2140. Motorola GP-68 VHF Programming

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alan Caplan <alan.caplan@cwix.com>
Message-ID: <kBFX1.16190$Nj1.580@news.cwix.com>
Source record: 128457

Anyone know haow to program this VHF handheld or
know where to get the information. Manual is Not clear
on putting on freq's. Has programing mode with key
pad.

Thanks

Alan K4AVQ
alan.caplan@cwix.com

2141. TNC for Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ted Trostle <ttrostle@lazerlink.com>
Message-ID: <7HFX1.20700$5w6.3760@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 128458

I have a Kantronics KPC-3 like new (used 3 times) for sale. With cable and manual. Asking $90 or best offer. I ship UPS collect.

2142. Re: Mac Decoding software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: daoud@erols.com
Message-ID: <daoud-ya02408000R2210980851510001@news.erols.com>
Source record: 128459

gmorgan@itw.com wrote:

>Does anyone know of software for the Mac that will decode RTTY, WEFAX, ARQ,
>MORSE etc..?

Try http://www.access.digex.net/~cps/index.html

daoud
http://www.erols.com/daoud
http://www.erols.com/awguild

Both are non-commercial sites.

2143. FS KAM ALL MODE VER 8.0 N1HHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gabriel G melo <n1hhf@110.net>
Message-ID: <70na48egl1@stalker.oem.net>
Source record: 128460

1-401-434-2606

2144. IQ5B CALL "CQ CONTEST" WW DX SSB CONTEST 1840 Kc

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: i5jva <giovannini@antenna.it>
Message-ID: <01bdfdc0$69cf8dc0$LocalHost@default>
Source record: 128461

[CQ] [WW] [DX] [SSB] [CONTEST], october 24-25.

We are active days 24 and 25 october during the [WW] [DX] [SSB] [CONTEST]
in 160 m [SSB] 1840-1845 [KC].
Aerials utilized: 4 elements [DELTA] [LOOP] in direction north America
2 elements [DELTA] [LOOP] in direction east
An element [DELTA] [LOOP] in direction
[NORD-SUD]
power a [KW]

Nominative: [IQ5B]
Operators: [I5JVA] [CARLO] and [I5VXG] [GIANCARLO]

You come listening our signal and CALL, thank you [DE] [IQ5B].

2145. FS: Ham Equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Repstad <rcc@together.net>
Message-ID: <362F46AA.25A52B71@together.net>
Source record: 128462
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

I have the following for sale, prices do not include shipping:

Homebrew RF-Deck uses pair 4-125's, about 500W out needs HV supply:
$150.00
(The parts in this thing alone are worth $150.00)

Unbuilt Heathkit 5-Position Rotary Coax-Switch $50.00

Heathkit DX-60B w/matching HG-10 VFO: $120.00

Heathkit AM-2 Swr Meter: $10.00

Pair Collis Motorized Roller Inductors $75.00 for both!

Two HTX-202 HT's, these are in good to excellent condition, each with
external hand mic/spkr and 1800mah battery. $95.00 Each or $175.00 for
the pair.

Kenwood TS-930SAT w/250hz CW filter, auto tuner, etc... exec condition:
$850.00

Linear Amp Parts (sold as set, will not split): Pair of 4CX1500B medical
pulls, w/1-Socket/Chimney,
Peter W. Dahl Plate transformer a 115/230 VAC primary and a 1250 VAC @
1.5A CCS secondary
8-1500mfd @ 450V Computer Grade caps, pair of 5KV block diodes,
pair of ducted blower fans (pulls from military equipment) all for $400.

AMD K6-233Mhz Computer with 32MB Ram 6.5G Hard Drive, FDD, 32X CDRom,
1M PCI SVGA Video, KB, Mouse, Acer FX-3d Sound Card, 20W Speakers.
Full Tower Case. $400.00

If interested send e-mail direct.

--Tom
KB1CGA
rcc@together.net

2146. Re: FT-90 Micro Commander

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: davidho@one.net.REMOVE
Message-ID: <362f4511.62287644@news.netnews.att.com>
Source record: 128463

On 22 Oct 1998 02:32:26 GMT, user66@aol.com (User 66) wrote:

>>
>>Does anyone know if this FT-90 will be the replacement of the
>>FT-8100R?
>
>NO,NO,NO !!!
>
>ft-90 is ONE BAND AT A TIME
>NO X-BAND REPEAT !!!!!!!
>just like ft-50
>STEP BACKWARDS 10 YEARS

Sounds like a direct competition to the IC-207H and the likes. But did you see the heatsink? I think that's a pretty inovated idea to hide the cooling fan and the heatsink inside so the fan noise can be minimized. Good for using on the shack as well. The heat sink is now much bigger than other Yaesu's mobile rigs. I think this is a big leap forward in the duty cycle department on mobile rigs.

Thanks for your input.

Best 73!

de David Ho, AF4BH
Covington, KY
davidho@one.net

2147. Dear Bored of YOUR BULL: I CONFESS !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Murray Neece" <kc5mdm@iglobal.net>
Message-ID: <362F487A.B57A3E88@iglobal.net>
Source record: 128464
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

First, I apologize to the newgroup for this posting, most of you will understand tho....this guy is hiding behind a keyboard and spewing his sour guts....what a life!! RADIO RAGE and GLOBAL QUARMING, these are big problems !! Ill bet you can pick this guy or guys like him out on the radio, if he has one....probably couldnt pass the test......

Dear Bored of your BUTT ... I confess!
Thats right, I confess, I do make a little money,and I operate in a business like manner,best I can, but its not my real business, its for fun, (but you are detracting from that.,for alot of people)..You know.... something to do on weekends and nites, just like a million other hams do except maybe on a larger scale....Im not trying to hide anything, not even who I am .....like you do you YOU STUPID CHICKENSHIT !! If you you will identify yourself, we will get this off of the newgroups and make it personal, which is how Im takiing it YOU STUPID , TOO MUCH TIME ON YOUR HANDS CHICKENSHIT!! Well, thats about all the time Im willing to give you this morning, I do have plenty of time to buy and sell radios, its fun, and it funds my hobby, barely....I wouldnt do it for the money....not enuff pay...dont need it....If I stop, a lot a guys will be paying 100-300 more per rig and not getting any better service or anything.else..so enough of this YOU JEALOUS WIMPY CHICKENSHIT... cul MURRAY :)

Bored of Your Bull wrote:

> Aren't you the Bozo who said he wasn't running a business? It sure looks
> like a business to me Ace, credit cards and all.
>
> J. Murray Neece <kc5mdm@iglobal.net> wrote in article
> <362E3DC6.5EFCC9A4@iglobal.net>...
> > Have some rigs for Sale....#1 Kenwood TS 440SAT, Very VERY nice ,
> > shiney, with mic manual $625. or with like PS 53 $700.oo.....#2.
> > Kenwood TS 50 S in good condition, with mic, manual and mobile
> > bracket..$650.oo #3. Icom 737A, very nice auto tuner and not a
> > scratch or mark anywhere...$725.oo #4. Yaesu FT 900at in good
> > condition, few scuffs on bottom but not on face or top, $875.oo #5.
> > Yaesu FT 840 in very good shape , no marks, low time, factory stock,
> > with mic and manual $550.oo... #6. Kenwood TS 711A with tone and looks
> > like new!! perfect in every way...might be a scratch on bottom but none
> > on TOP!! or face!! With match SP 430 speaker $695.oo::::::::::Shipping
> > not included, trades considered, Visa MasterCard thru my conveneice
> > store...Thanks Murray K5MDM
> >
> >

2148. FS Yaesu VX1R Handheld

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris Rolinson <chris@cjm-music.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <909071290.20073.0.nnrp-11.c1eda979@news.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 128465

Hi there

I bought my wife (a UK novice licence holder) a Yaesu VX1R dual band handie
for last Christmas. It's had about 40 minutes on transmit!!!!

Still boxed and with soft case, it's like new.

Offers nearest £175 will secure.

Mail to chris@cjm-music.demon.co.uk

Chris Rolinson

2149. Re: Routing HF antenna coax and power on Ford Explorer?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: M Johnson <silversq@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <362F5DAF.B0BD5D7A@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 128466
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Jeff Crilly N6ZFX wrote:

> I want to put my TS 440 HF radio in a 96 ford explorer.
> For an antenna I've got some ham sticks for various
> bands that I've successfully used in another vehicle.
>
> My problem is that I have no idea how to route
> the radio power cables from the battery, and the
> antenna cable into the interior.
>

I just got a new explorer and would also be interested in knowing about what others have done. The firewall does not seem to have any extra holes and those that are there have no room to squeeze power cables through. It looks like the only solution is to drill through the firewall. That does not seem like that big of a deal but I would like to know what locations for drilling others have found useful or if there really is a useable hole that goes through the firewall someplace.

I would also like to know if anyone has any shortcuts for fishing the coax from the roof to the floor. It looks like the only place to do it is the brace between the front and rear doors.

I am going to install a 2m/70cm rig very soon and am waiting on an hf rig till I get to see Yaesu's new mini hf rig that is due out 12/1.

73
Mark
AB0HJ

2150. Re: 75W too much for car?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "H.TOURNIER" <tournier@iprolink.ch>
Message-ID: <362f64e9.0@news.iprolink.ch>
Source record: 128467

Hi Tony:

I am using an ICOM 706 (100w) on the car battery plus an Ameritron linear
that draws 40 amps on an additional battery, mostly on SSB.
Never had any problems, touch wood, so if I were you I would just put a new
battery, have the alternator checked, and use your radio without worrying
too much.

HTournier,HB9IBG.
Tony Szablowski wrote in message <70lpf6$ppq@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>...
>Hi folks. I have a TK830H 75W mobile and was wondering if it would
>be too much power drain for a Honda Civic car? It's a 1996 model car
>but I don't have any info on the alternator itself. I guess the
>total Tx time is %30-%40 duty. Thanks.
>--
>Regards,
>Tony
>
>

2151. Mods?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David A. Heupel" <dheupel@talstar.com>
Message-ID: <70no8mfra1@server.cntfl.com>
Source record: 128468

I once found a good source of information about radio mods for all kinds of radios and scanners. Please send me the URL if you know of any such Internet sites. Thanks!

2152. Re: SB-200 power input vs. output question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: martyt@pobox.com
Message-ID: <36306cce.62884823@news.supernews.net>
Source record: 128469

On Wed, 21 Oct 1998 19:08:11 -0700, "Ken Brookner" <brooknerk@acm.org>
wrote:
>when hooked to 120v, what power _output_ do you get on the various bands?
>if you could give me an idea of your input power vs. output power per band
>i'd appreciate it. also, curious about your high voltage readings when in
>transmit.

Got my SB-200 about 8 months ago. Don't know the history of the
572B's that are in it, but they seem to be doing just fine. I
replaced the power supply board with one from Harbach, and added the
soft-start, fan motor and soft-keying modules also.

For 100W CW input, I get around 500 to 600 watts output, depending on
the band. Voltage idles around 2350 to 2400, down to around 1900-2000
when transmitting (going on memory here).

Note that I have to use the internal tuner in my FT-920 on most bands
to reduce the SWR the exciter sees so that it'll produce a full 100W
output - 75m and 10m are horrible - over 2:1 SWR at the exciter if I
don't tune it. There's probably something I can do about that but
I've never gotten around to it... Anyone with suggestions on how to
tackle this?

73,

-Marty KIï¿½LO
martyt@pobox.com

2153. FOR-SALE: TS-450S/AT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: KB0DSW <therrod@ndak.net>
Message-ID: <362F6F20.389E2941@ndak.net>
Source record: 128470

Hello all,

I have a "MINT" Kenwood TS-450S/AT For Sale.
Never been mobile, and I have all the manuals
and boxes. It is also "MODIFIED" for "MARS" &
other Out of Band Frequencies.

Starting bids at: $900.00 FIRM.

An outstanding General Coverage Mobile/Base
rig with punch! [150 watts(+) SSB p.e.p.!]

All Digital with DSP support!

(Recieve) : 30KHz - 40MHz
(Transmit) : 1.705.01KHz - 29.999.99MHz

Excellant for "MARS"/"Emergency Responce"!

If you ever owned the TS-440S, you will Love this
rig! Contact:

KB0DSW
(701)-852-2587 or REPLY via E-Mail

Thanks in advance for reading this.....73's!

*** end of file ***

2154. Re: FT-90 Micro Commander

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@groucho.cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <70nse1$m6h@groucho.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 128471

user66@aol.com (User 66) writes:
>ft-90 is ONE BAND AT A TIME
>NO X-BAND REPEAT !!!!!!!
>just like ft-50
>STEP BACKWARDS 10 YEARS

How is it a step backwards if a manufacturer offers a one-band-at-a-time rig *as well as* a full dual-receive radio?

Single-receive radios work fine for talking to someone; they are all you need for many circumstances. Not everyone needs cross-band repeat. They are a great choice if they provide what you need, since they cost less and (often) take up less space than the dual-receive variety.

The same is true for the FT-50, but even more strongly. Why on earth would you need crossband repeat on a handheld?

If you want crossband repeat and dual receive, you can still get radios that do that. Why are you so upset?

Dave

2155. FS: FT-990 AC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Preferred Customer <jskapiak@inficon.com>
Message-ID: <01bdfde8$1d0133e0$460ad30a@jskapiak.LI_SYR_PDC>
Source record: 128472
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

FT-990 AC in very good condition. Radio has the latest version 1.3 ROM,
standard filters, hand mic, etc.
Price $975.00 + shipping or pick up near Syracuse NY.

John K2SY

2156. F.S. Bird Meter -- Model 43

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: kcoin@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981022141930.29722.00004425@ng126.aol.com>
Source record: 128473

Bird Thruline Watt Meter Model 43 (Case Has 4 paint chips) Looks like New
W/ 2 N. Connectors---2 So239 Connectors & Caps
4 Slugs Like New.
100 W--100-250 Mhz.
100 W--400-1000 Mhz.
10 W-- 400-1000 Mhz.
250 W-- 2-30 Mhz.
$350.Shp. (48's)
This Equipment is Guarantee as Described or your Money Back Minus Shipping
Ken (WN9N) 815-478-5109 kcoin@aol.com

2157. F.S. Heathkit VFO -- Model SB--644

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: kcoin@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981022142456.29722.00004428@ng126.aol.com>
Source record: 128474

Heathkit Remote VFO Model SB-644
Very Good Cond. W/Manual
$135.+Shp.
This Equipment is Guarantee as Described or your Money Back Minus Shipping
Ken (WN9N) 815-478-5109 kcoin@aol.com

2158. F.S. Mirage 2 mtr. Amp Model -- 83016

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: kcoin@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981022142830.29722.00004430@ng126.aol.com>
Source record: 128475

Mirage Model 83016 (144-148) (30in-160 out) 2 Mtr. Amp FM/SSB
W/Preamp $195.+Shp.
This Equipment is Guarantee as Described or your Money Back Minus Shipping
Ken (WN9N) 815-478-5109 kcoin@aol.com

2159. DEAL--->(/\/\)OTOROLA P200 VHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: sourcebook@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <70o28j$hs3$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128476

This is a Motorola VHF P200 6 channel radio. This radio includes a rapid charger, antenna, *TWO* rapid batteries which are in good condition and a belt clip! The P200 radio is a programmable two way radio that accepts PL codes. The band split is 155-175 and the radio is 5 watts. The radios are in excellent condition. $172.99 each, E-MAIL me if your interested. Shipping $10. Thank You.

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2160. F.S. Yaesu FV-102 DM Digital

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: kcoin@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981022143640.29722.00004434@ng126.aol.com>
Source record: 128477

Yaesu VFO FV-102 DM Digital VFO for FT-102 $275.+Shp.
Has a Few marks Front is Excell. w/manual
This Equipment is Guarantee as Described or your Money Back Minus Shipping
Ken (WN9N) 815-478-5109 kcoin@aol.com

2161. F.S. Ny Viking MB -V - A Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: kcoin@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981022143945.29722.00004435@ng126.aol.com>
Source record: 128478

NyViking MB-V-A 3 KW. Tuner 3yrs.? old Like New Cond.
$525. + Shp.
This Equipment is Guarantee as Described or your Money Back Minus Shipping
Ken (WN9N) 815-478-5109 kcoin@aol.com

2162. F.S. Drake MN-2000 Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: kcoin@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981022144435.29722.00004439@ng126.aol.com>
Source record: 128479

Drake Tuner MN-2000 Excell Cond. $200.+Shp.
This Equipment is Guarantee as Described or your Money Back Minus Shipping
Ken (WN9N) 815-478-5109 kcoin@aol.com

2163. F.S. Icom R-7000 Rec.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: kcoin@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981022144937.29722.00004442@ng126.aol.com>
Source record: 128480

Icom R-7000 Receiver No marks or scratches excell. cond.
with RC-12 remote control / Manual /Full Rec.
$950. + Shp.
This Equipment is Guarantee as Described or your Money Back Minus Shipping
Ken (WN9N) 815-478-5109 kcoin@aol.com

2164. F.S. Atlas 210X & Console

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: kcoin@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981022145448.29722.00004445@ng126.aol.com>
Source record: 128481

Atlas 210X looks like new Cond. 9+ (Collector Quality)This is Radio and
console Ps/Spk
It has a problem low power only 50-60 watts out . Have org. Manual
Ask. $275. + Shp.
This Equipment is Guarantee as Described or your Money Back Minus Shipping
Ken (WN9N) 815-478-5109 kcoin@aol.com

2165. WTB Mizuho MX-6 or equal

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Martin <pmartin@bright.net>
Message-ID: <70nun0$j1i$1@cletus.bright.net>
Source record: 128482

Looking for an HT for 6M SSB like the Mizuho MX-6 or Pico 6 at a good price.

2166. FA: HEATH KENWOOD B&W ICOM ETC!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jordan Arndt <jordana@nucleus.com>
Message-ID: <362F8DA5.4673@nucleus.com>
Source record: 128483

Hi I have MANY Items for auction right now....

Kenwood MC-60A MIB, ICOM HM-14 MIB HEATH STUFF ,an ELE-KEY IAMBIC KEYER
A HI-MOUND BUG MANY B&W Items , A 80-10 Coil turret , 4:1 Balun,a Set of
Balun Coils a SWAN 350 working 100% MOTOROLA MANUALS , a .1 Mhz to 700
Mhz Dummy Load wattmeter with N connector and MANY more items.... if
you'd like to look go to:

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewListedItems&userid=jordana@nucleus.com&sort=3
&since=-1

thanks for looking and good luck.... 73 de Jordan...

2167. F.S. ALINCO DR-150TQ

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: George Daniel <danielg@avana.net>
Message-ID: <362f859a.0@news.avana.net>
Source record: 128484

Hello Everyone,
I have an ALINCO DR-150TQ (TQ model has CTCSS decode as well as encode). 4 months old. Used
for 9600 satellite uplink. NEW condition with original box, mic, manual, and power cord. Bought a Icom 821 so dont need this radio anymore. $200 and I will ship.

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Regards and God bless,
George

2168. FT-840

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: charlesdavis@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <MPG.109aae2dfc39e0fc98995c@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 128285
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

I have a friend that is not satisfied with his power output on his Yaesu FT-840. Anyone know which VRs control ALC, and/or power out?
You can reply here, or to him at:
mellis@mail.neocomm.net
Thanks.

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Charles
<<>>

2169. Re: TEN-TEC SCOUT 555

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "James L. Griffith" <griffithj@ricks.edu>
Message-ID: <3630E1DB.4A25D4EA@ricks.edu>
Source record: 128286

Doug, I also have a Scout. Other then changing band modules, being bothersome at times, if you like to jump around the bands a lot, the rig is excellent. You can put it right beside some of the hottest digital equipment around, and the scout is likely to here a weaker CW signal better that the most expensive gear available. You have two or three CW signals piled close together, reach over and tighten up the filter a little and your only hearing one of them. If you have never copied CW by concentrating on one tone coming out of a pile of several tones, then you have not lived. Most of the older ham equipment was that way. The Scout will, most of the time, allow you to here just the CW station you are trying to work. So if it does that on CW than think how well it does on SSB. I LOVE MY Scout. I dumped a big time digitally run Kenwood to get it because the noise floor was so high I could not hear really weak signals, I had heard on previous, non digital rigs.
Only New Ham Gear I'll buy is Ten Tec.
Jim, WA7NDD
Doug Fitch wrote:

> If anyone has experience w/ this unit, please let me know. I am a new
> ham (tech-Plus) on a limited budget and would like to use this radio
> as
> my only HF rig until I hit the lotto. Will it provide dependable
> service
> for years to come (as a base) and can you work the world effectively
> (albeit skill required) on voice and CW with 50 Watts and this unit's
> abilities? I should be upgrdng to General before years end, but if
> this
> radio WORKS, I won't be upgrading it. Thx! All the best....
>
> ___________________________________
>
> 73 de Doug Fitch KD5FJE
>
> www.inergy.com/catiii/KD5FJE.html

2170. Re: Disabled Kenwood TS-570DG

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: r_p_a@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <70qsfg$6m8$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128287

In article <19981020162332.16756.00003552@ng39.aol.com>,
wcgodwin@aol.com (WCGodwin) wrote:
> I have a Kenwood TS-570DG which has had the transmit-side
> disabled.
> Unfortunately,this appears to mean that the built-in ATU does
> not work !!
> Anyone have any information how to get it to work ??
> { notice 2 cable-plug sockets,"CN3" & "CN4" have no wiring
> attached...is this what is disabling it ?? }
>make sure menu 38 is in the off position if it's in on position it won't work
or transmit

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
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2171. Hamfest - October 25, 1998 - Lindenhurst, LI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: W2GSB <info@gsbarc.org>
Message-ID: <y36Y1.12747$i16.31070126@news.optonline.net>
Source record: 128288

HAMFEST October 25, 1998 - Lindenhurst, LI

GREAT SOUTH BAY AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
ARRL APPROVED LONG ISLAND HAMFEST-COMPUTER SHOW - OCTOBER 25, 1998

LINDENHURST, LI - NY

On October 25, 1998 the Great South Bay Amateur Radio Club will again sponsor an indoor Hamfest-Computer Show. The location will be at the:

Knights of Columbus
400 South Broadway, Lindenhurst, NY.
This is an ARRL approved Hamfest.

There will be radio equipment, electronic componets, computers and access-ories, softeware, books, technical manulas, ARRL information, Amateur Radio License Exams, Door Prizes.

[SOLD OUT]
Advanced registration is $15.00 each table. Tables at the door are $20.00 each. Contact Peter Portanova WB2OQQ at 516 541-4886 for table reserations. NO TABLES WILL BE RESERVED WITHOUT PRIOR PAYMENT due to the space available.

General admission is $ 6.00. $5.00 with coupon. (Coupons will be available at the door.)

VE - ARRL - 12:00 NOON
For exam candidates please remember to bring your original FCC Amateur Radio license (if licensed), any C.S.C.E. forms that are pending, plus a photocopy of each, pens, calculator, formal form of ID (preferably photo ID),
and the examination fee, to the exam seesion. 1998 ARRL/VEC fee is $ 6.35, exact change is appreciated. Novice exams are free.
The VE team is from ISLIP ARES Group and GSBARC. Thanks guys.

Talk-in will be via GSBARC Repeaters on 146.685 4Z(136.5) PL.

Food Service during the Hamfest will be provided by members of the Knights of Columbus Council.

Information is also available during the GSBARC 2 meter info net every Monday evening at 7:00 pm following the Newsline Report on the W2GSB repeater, 146.685 -600 4Z(136.5) PL required. You may also write to:

Great South Bay ARC
P.O. Box 1356
West Babylon, NY 11704

E-mail GSBARC at info@gsbarc.or or visit GSBARC online at
http://www.gsbarc.org/hamfest.htm

NEXT HAMFEST- March 7, 1999, October 24, 1999

73,
GSBARC

2172. Re: TEN-TEC SCOUT 555

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jones <Jones@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <3630EE02.279E@nomail.com>
Source record: 128289

Some time ago I bought the $95 switching power supply that was advertised with the Scout in QST magazine. The ad proudly displayed "Made in USA" right by the Ten Tec logo. I got a chuckle when the supply arrived because printed the label was "Made in Taiwan". However it works great so I have no complaints.

2173. Motorola Amplifier ID

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: terry02@ibm.net
Message-ID: <70r01u$9v1$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128290

I am trying to ID a Motorola amplifier. It is a TLD 2602A. I BELEIVE that it is a VHF MSR-2000 amplifier, but if anyone could shed some light on this mystery, I would appreciate it!

Terry, N6MON

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2174. FS : AM/FM (Waler: HIGH QUALITY) Tuner Modules. US$75.00 each.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: AUDIOMAN <AUDIOMAN@MYNA.COM>
Message-ID: <3630FD6C.C07@MYNA.COM>
Source record: 128291

I have about 30 of them.

They come complete with AM antenna & power supply.

All you need is a chassis & box.
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ROGER LAPWORTH
AUDIOMAN
http://www.audioman.net

2175. Re: Help with Kenwood TS-820S needed!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0dg@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981023175342.00948.00000196@ng96.aol.com>
Source record: 128292

Hi Greg
on the TS 820 VFO plug short pins 8 and 9
good luck
Nï¿½DG

2176. Re: TS-520SE with tuning knob trouble

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Troy Wolford <twolford@ddc.stanfordmicro.com>
Message-ID: <36311BAE.CDA3013A@ddc.stanfordmicro.com>
Source record: 128293

Had the same problem with my TS-520. The grease in the bearings for the main tuning shaft gets "hard" with age. Cleaned out most of the old grease with Q-Tips and put some fresh shell wheel bearing grease on it, and the knob was as good as new.

regards,
Troy
KC5KDM

Gil Bishop wrote:

> Looking to your help again - tnx in advance!
>
> Problem when turning the tuning knob. It has what almost feel like detents
> (sp?) or mechanical flat spots about every 1/3 turn. Makes it very
> difficult to stay on freq when within a couple of khz or so of these - the
> vfo just wants to slide into the hole. Can run the knob back and forth
> (forcefully) over these spots and finally get the vfo to stay put.
> Any ideas?
>
> Tnx and 73
> Gil

2177. WTB ten tec 234 speech processor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: rhka0fbj@netins.net
Message-ID: <70qvtk$j0h$1@ins8.netins.net>
Source record: 128294
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Cul8r

Robert Hull rhka0fbj@netins.net KA0FBJ

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Net-Tamer V 1.10 - Test Drive

2178. Fluke Model 97 ScopeMeter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al <K6DJP@postoffice.pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <3631022E.9D8B55D1@postoffice.pacbell.net>
Source record: 128295
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Meter is dual channel 50 mhz unit in excellent condition.Comes with operators manual,service manual,all probes,carrying case and nicad charger.$700 or trade for late model motorola uhf Ht's.
Al

2179. FS: TimeWave DSP-59+ $150

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: w1ksz@tiac.net
Message-ID: <36310392.7337588@news.tiac.net>
Source record: 128296

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Mint TimeWave DSP, model 59+ for sale, V3.0 software,
with manual, $150, shipped CONUS. Bought 59Y.
73, Dick, W1KSZ
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2180. Re: TEN-TEC SCOUT 555

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: bdiaz@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <70r3lt$d14$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128297

In article <5488-36300E67-67@newsd-132.iap.bryant.webtv.net>,
KD5FJE@webtv.net (Doug Fitch) wrote:
> If anyone has experience w/ this unit, please let me know. I am a new
> ham (tech-Plus) on a limited budget and would like to use this radio as
> my only HF rig until I hit the lotto. Will it provide dependable service
> for years to come (as a base) and can you work the world effectively
> (albeit skill required) on voice and CW with 50 Watts and this unit's
> abilities? I should be upgrdng to General before years end, but if this
> radio WORKS, I won't be upgrading it. Thx! All the best....
>
> ___________________________________
>
> 73 de Doug Fitch KD5FJE

The Tec-Tec Scout 555 is one simple, easy to use, solid rig. I have worked fellow Hams in many parts of the USA, Canada, Mexico, South America, Australia and other areas. For 10 meters I use a 3 ellement yagi (about 35 feet above the ground) and for 20, and 15 meters I use a multi-band "V" dipole about 20 feet above the ground. On 40 meters I used a home made folded dipole inverted "V" antenna about 30 feet above the ground.

As we move into this solar cycle, 10 meters is getting better and better. Even now 10 can be hot. I did a contact with Australia on 10 meters several weeks back, with good signal reports both ways. I've lost count of the number of contacts I've made in South America and "local" USA. When the band is good, 50 watts is enough power.

I purchased the Tec-Tec Scout as a Tech Plus. It was a resonable way for me to try HF without spending a lot of money. It wasn't long before I upgraded to General and then upgraded to Advanced. No problem, for under $100 I purchased the 40, 20, and 15 meter modules and upgraded my Scout.

I tend to work SSB, but do work CW at times. The Scout has one oddity, in CW the sending frequency may jump a little while your sending. It's not a major deal.

As for sending voice quality, it provides very good audio. At the receiving end, yes, you can purchase a better receiver, but expect to spend a lot more money. For it's price range, receive audio is very good.

I strongly suggest you purchase the Scout with the Noise Blanker. That option doesn't cost too much and when you need it, it works very well. I also own the hand held mike for this rig. I'm happy with it.

Before I purchased my Scout, I searched the Internet using Deja-News to see what other Hams had to say. After reading lots of messages from

fellow Hams; I can safely say: Ten-Tec puts out good equipmnet.
And having used that Scout, I know first hand, Ten-Tec does make good
equipment. (Other Scout owners love their rigs too.)

73,

Bob
KQ6WQ

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2181. FS: Wiltron sweeper/ analyzer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: lothina1@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <70r4m0dvk1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128298

Wiltron 6407 1Mhz-1GHZ 1500$
Wiltron 6409 10MHZ-2GHZ 2000$

Those are Scalar Analyzers with build in Signal sources
8MARKERS, Direct printer output, IEEE 488

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2182. FS: Wiltron sweeper/ analyzer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: lothina1@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <70r4ktdoi1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128299

Wiltron 6407 1Mhz-1GHZ 1500$
Wiltron 6409 10MHZ-2GHZ 2000$

Those are Scalar Analyzers with build in Signal sources
8MARKERS, Direct printer output, IEEE 488

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2183. Re: TS-520SE with tuning knob trouble

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gil Bishop <gbishop@home.com>
Message-ID: <YN7Y1.105062$Xy6.44864473@news.rdc1.ct.home.com>
Source record: 128300
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Thanks to everyone who replied. The rig now tunes smooth as silk.
(Posting the solution so that it ends up in the archives.) Ended up being
very simple. Just loosened the groved collar nut behind the frontpanel
about 1/8 turn. Since I had the front panel off, I also cleaned and
replaced the grease. Actually took longer to remove all the knobs than it
did to fix the problem!

73 de Gil
KB1DHM

2184. Re: SB-200 power input vs. output question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Branch <k4nr@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <01bdfed3$f97cc460$5dae1b26@default>
Source record: 128301

Greetings,

I have the same problem on 10 meters. Mine is not stable enough for the auto-tuner to tune at 100 watts input. Reducing the power to 30-40 watts stabilizes the VSWR. This happens even when the amplifier is off leading me to suspect the coaxial cable inside the amp or the relay. I believe it's the old coaxial cable that hooks up the input and output. AT 28 MHz I think it's breaking down and becomes unstable. After this weekend's contest (I still get 600 out on 80-15 meters) I going to replace the RG-58 with some low-loss RG-8X. After 25+ years perhaps the cable is shot from pure age and the heat.....

I also did the soft-start and soft-key modifications--planning on doing the fan and relay at a later date.

I'll let the group know what happens!

73 de Tom, K4NR

Ken Brookner <brooknerk@acm.org> wrote in article
<70ocrg$1nh$1@brokaw.wa.com>...
> i did try tuning the slugs--mine weren't doped. not much help. also, i
> replaced all of the caps and resistors in the input circuit. that helped
> some, but not completely. i think al dolgosh is right on this. the
design
> just predated today's solid state gear with the swr foldback circuitry.
>
> kenb
>
> Jim Speck wrote in message <70o5tikrb1@sunhub-tulsa.onenet.net>...
> >Unfortunately, the coils in the input tuned circuit are doped up and
won't
> >be easy to break loose. I've broken the slugs and screwed up the shafts
> >trying it. It might be easier to adjust the cap's in the input pi-net,
> >using the swr meter on the input.
> >
> >Jim W5AI
> >
> >Al Dolgosh wrote in message <362F9748.A885E189@hamradio.org>...
> >>The SB-200 was designed in an era of tube-type transmitters that were
more
> >>tolerant of VSWR than today's solid state finals with built-in VSWR
power
>
>
> snip...

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>

2185. Re: Dear Bored of YOUR BULL: I CONFESS !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: cojim@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981023184333.08182.00000284@ng89.aol.com>
Source record: 128302

hello bored, please improve your spelling skills. thanks

2186. FS Yeasu CTCSS decoder

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: summitrt@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981023191327.12898.00000252@ng148.aol.com>
Source record: 128303

Yeasu FTS17a Decoder for CTCSS, new in the box, unused. $38. Fits numerous Yeasu radios like the 2400 and 2500 mobiles and some portables. Please check your owners manual for compatibility.

2187. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: DavidC <davidc@bit-net.com>
Message-ID: <01bdfedc$f6049e80$2c8592d0@davidc.bit-net.com>
Source record: 128304
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

> I disagree. A nuclear weapon dumps enormous amounts of energy all over
the spectrum.
> Your antenna resonates in several parts of the spectrum. More than
likely, unless you
> are several hundred miles away from ground zero, your tubes will easily
exceed maximum
> power dissipation in mere nanoseconds. In addition, what tubes are
actually more
> resistant too, is static electricity, not nuclear blast. Radiatian will
have a much
> worse effect on a tube than a radiation hardened semi device. Static
electricity will
> take much more of a toll on a semiconductor devices, mainly devices like
MOS
> transistors, etc, or devices with a fine geometry.
> David

This begs an obvious question. Can anyone list any Amateur Radio transceiver or rx/tx combo, connected to an antenna, that is likely to survive a 100+ mile away nuclear attack? Tube and/or semiconductor. Or are we assuming a rig would really need to have been stored in a specially shielded container?

Is there a military or commercial surplus rig that is available to Hams for use on Ham bands that would meet the survivability specs?

BTW: Must we not assume that the operator is less resiliant than the rig? Is there not a several hundred mile minimum before the rig will have a living operator ... especially within a few days?

I'm still of the opinion that once a nuke war starts, unless a localized terrorist attack, that we will all be dead (or well on the way there) so quickly that we won't care about radios! Depending on what the fraud-in-chief gave away to get his wanna-be-jimmy-carter middle east accord we may be well on our way to a huge explosion in that region that could rapidly spread.

73, DavidC AA1FA

2188. FS: New 30 Amp Power Supply (JRC)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: davez <davez@ticon.net>
Message-ID: <70r2t1$1g8$1@galileo.ticon.net>
Source record: 128305
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I have For Sale (one): Japan Radio Co. 12 Volt 30 Amp (max) Power Supply. Model Number NBD-520 . Internal voltage adjustment between approx 11.5 to 14.4 Volts. Built to commerical standards. Two outputs (via Molex plugs). This is one "Very Well" made supply

Purchased New and was hardly used, is in new condition. Includes the owners manual . Has a socket for the AC input.(power cord NOT included, uses a standard IEC Computer Power Cord-3 wire).

Will let it go for $ 125.00 (plus 15.00 for shipping, shipping weight is over 10 kg's) Orginal price was close to $ 400. Sorry no COD's, and offer only valid in the lower 48 (USA).

Thank You for taking the time to read this message.

Davez

2189. Rigs To Survive Nuke War?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: DavidC <davidc@bit-net.com>
Message-ID: <01bdfedf$bf933660$2c8592d0@davidc.bit-net.com>
Source record: 128306
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Well, looks as though we have found just the right protective containers!
73, DavidC AA1FA

> For Sale: 4 Aluminum cabinets. Extremely strong, RF gasket front and
rear.
> 14.5" high x 14.5" wide x 15.5" deep. $10 each Dave N7BHC
n7bhc@gateway.net

2190. FREE tower

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim Lavarnway <lavarnwa@nt.com>
Message-ID: <363110C2.1C94075B@nt.com>
Source record: 128307

70' tower free to whom ever wants it.

2191. Re: FREE tower

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim Lavarnway <lavarnwa@nt.com>
Message-ID: <363116BE.45D2A638@nt.com>
Source record: 128308

Sorry, The tower is located in Raleigh, NC

Tim Lavarnway wrote:
>
> 70' tower free to whom ever wants it.

2192. HTX202 er1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Merrill <jmerril1@twcny.rr.com>
Message-ID: <zv9Y1.80$n7.180671@newse1.twcny.rr.com>
Source record: 128309

I think this has been asked before but what does er1 indicate?

John N1JM

2193. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <363129AB.7AB8@ibm.net>
Source record: 128310
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

DavidC wrote:
> Is there a military or commercial surplus rig that is available to Hams for
> use on Ham bands that would meet the survivability specs?

It is my understanding that ham rigs stored in a pickup tool box or car trunk, for instance, are likely to survive the EMP. Somebody correct me if I'm wrong.

> BTW: Must we not assume that the operator is less resiliant than the rig?
> Is there not a several hundred mile minimum before the rig will have a
> living operator ... especially within a few days?

It is my understanding that human beings can survive EMP that wipes out electronics. Somebody correct me if I'm wrong.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://people.delphi.com/CecilMoore

2194. Re: FS Estate Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Peter F. Christensen" <christep@cadvision.com>
Message-ID: <36314E55.5CCF@cadvision.com>
Source record: 128311

Peter F. Christensen wrote:
>
> I have the following Kenwood equiptment for sale from an estate sale.
> TS-940S.............$730.00 US plus shipping costs.
> TS-940 speaker.......$95.00 US plus shipping costs.
> Kenwood SWC-2000 plus SWC-2 and SWC-3..$125.00 US plus shipping costs.
> Kenwood MC-80 Microphone.....$50.00 US plus shipping costs.
> Please Email Peter Christensen christep@cadvision.com
> Thank you.
The Kenwood TS-940s, SWC-2000 and MC-80 are all sold.
Thank you for all the inquiries. Peter.

2195. FA: NEW Alinco Credit Card 2 Meter - starting at $79.99 on Ebay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J.R. Hehnly" <jarman@ionet.net>
Message-ID: <70rfic$65h$1@supernews.com>
Source record: 128312

For Auction: NEW Alinco Credit Card 2 Meter - starting at $79.99 on Ebay
http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=37611139

2196. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: No One <NoOne@NoWhere.com>
Message-ID: <70rg57$pbq@andromeda.peganet.net>
Source record: 128313
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

As a ham and a Police and Fire Dispatcher in Fort Myers, FL during Hurricane Georges, I think I can speak with some authority on the subject. We went to Hurricane status for that storm. Thank Providence that no damage occurred in our area. But for the record:

My department has installed antennas and mounts on the roof of police headquarters for the specific and sole use of my ham radio equipment. When the mounts were found to be loose the department had a special service done to get them anchored properly prior to the storm. I brought in my radios and they were placed on standby while I worked Hurricane status on 12 hour shifts dispatching police units.

The Lee County Emergency Operations Center was then staffed 24 hours a day by numerous hams in the area and they cordinated with other agencies in the area, especially the storm shelters that were operating, for real, from within the EOC.

We were very fortunate that the Hurricane did not hit this area. However, ham radio was and will remain an integral part of our Hurricane plans. The official position of my department was that a team could stop working on sandbagging the station long enough to get my mounts done. I'd say that gives the measure of their concern for ham radio being 100% available.

Cordially,
Bill Stewart
N4CRO

DavidC wrote in message <01bdfca8$4c6f26a0$d28492d0@davidc.bit-net.com>...
>> Philip Rosenberg-Watt wrote:
>> You know, even if that horendous nuclear war *did* happen, wouldn't there
>be
>> way too much ionization in the atmosphere to make radio communications
>> useful anyway?
>
>If there is a nuke war forget about Ham radio, just pray that you die
>quickly.
>
>> qwasty@hotmail.com wrote in message:
>> >Finally, somebody had the guts to say it straight out! March of Dimes =
>yes,
>> >hurricane brunhilda = no. simple as that. Ham radio is a HOBBY that
>would
>> >only be conceivably (did I spell that right?) indispensable if some
>> >horrendous nuclear war zapped commercial electronics, which, hopefully,
>> will never happen.

>
>Somebody who hasn't a clue. Guess who provided much of the most critical
>communications during Hurricane George? HAMS!!! Ask the National
>Hurricane Center, the Red Cross, and local emergency management folks in
>the affected areas. Please get your facts right before you trash our
>hobby!! 73, DavidC AA1FA
>

2197. TMC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Taylor <mtaylor@freeway.net>
Message-ID: <70rgin$t0n$1@newsserv.freeway.net>
Source record: 128314

Does this company still exist and if so where are they-preferably on the net.
I have a rather obscure unit called a BSP This is basically a set of speakers and two amps on a 19 in rack mount but I am desperate for a manual or at least a schematic

2198. SGC 500 Mod for 10

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob <whites@ccp.nospam>
Message-ID: <36313764.0@super>
Source record: 128315

Hello
I just got a new SGC 500 and the mod instructions for old and newer
amps both will not work is there a mod for the " new new " 500
if you know what is going on send a reply E -MAIL I would sure like to work
some contest stations this weekend on 10. No one home at SGC until Mon.
Thanks Bob N0ZKK

2199. Re: Yaesu FT8100 problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Yves Remedios <news@g4udt.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <6BurgBA+rOM2EwGe@g4udt.freeserve.co.uk>
Source record: 128316

In article <70iudrjst1@news3.mr.net>, Gresham Hendmier
<froboil@imsont.net> writes
>Several hams in the area are experiencing problems with the 8000 and 8100
>series dual banders. Usually on high or medium power. From the operators
>point, all appears normal with only a slight decrease on the power meter.
>To the listener, there is a low pitched garbling sound and no audio.
>Sometimes , the signal drops several "S" units. I know there is a factory
>mod installing jumper wires to take heavy current loads off of the extremely
>thin circuit paths. Anyone experiencing a like problem or have any
>suggestions?

I am surprised by your comments. I have not experienced this problem
myself on my ft8000 and have certainly not heard of this problem in the
UK. Perhaps you and the local hams all have a faulty batch of radios.

2200. Kenwood TH-28A for Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thomas Silliman <tsillima@lynx.dac.neu.edu>
Message-ID: <3630074F.1DAEF96A@lynx.dac.neu.edu>
Source record: 128335

Would anyone be interested in a Kenwood TH-28A?
Original Boxes & Manuals
Still in very good condition!

I'm selling the following accessories:
Car Adapter
Quick Desk Charger
7.2V 1500mAh Battery
Adapter for KAM Packet Radio
12V Power Supply (Built myself, no case)

I just haven't had much time for Amateur Radio lately, and being a
college student it's time to find some things to sell to bring in some
extra cash!

Right now I'm looking for $300 for everything but will take any
>reasonable< offer!
I'll ship anywhere in the continental US.

Please contact me at tsillima@lynx.neu.edu or (617)308-6986

Thanks,
Tom

2201. CYRIX MII 300 SYSTEM UNDER $1500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: CIRCUITPRO <circuitpro@ozemail.com.au>
Message-ID: <70p2f2kig1@reader1.reader.news.ozemail.net>
Source record: 128336
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

CHECKOUT
www.ozemail.com.au/~circuitpro

2202. FA: An interesting telegraph item plus other stuff

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike <oldradio@erols.com>
Message-ID: <01bdfe45$0650d080$ec71accf@drive1>
Source record: 128337
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Ending Saturday.

A real neat boy's telegraph key/sounder and PRINTER on eBay. Check it out at:

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=36422232

Also, check out my other auctions: a nice Leyden jar, a Shure mic., an unbuilt RCA transistor radio from the 50's.

The transistor set is at:

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=36412384

If you are into steam engines, there are a couple of those also, just click "view sellers other auctions".

Thanks and happy hunting.

Mike

2203. Re: FT-50RD problem...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: koury@primenet.com
Message-ID: <36301a42.12444624@news>
Source record: 128338

valerie65@my-dejanews.com wrote:

>Along with their non-backlit keypad, Yaesu made another faux paux. The "power
>on" button comes on with a feather touch, but takes considerable pressure to
>turn off. Thus chances for the radio accidentally coming on are that much
>greater, say if you have it in a bag or even on your belt. Short of removing
>the battery pack, I don't see any way of preventing accidental power-on. If
>anyone has a suggestion, would love to hear it.
>73,
>
>KE6OCM
>
>------------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

Yaesu has a lower profile button to fix this that they will mail to
you for free if you call or email them and ask for it.

2204. TEN-TEC SCOUT 555

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: KD5FJE@webtv.net
Message-ID: <5488-36300E67-67@newsd-132.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 128339

If anyone has experience w/ this unit, please let me know. I am a new ham (tech-Plus) on a limited budget and would like to use this radio as my only HF rig until I hit the lotto. Will it provide dependable service for years to come (as a base) and can you work the world effectively (albeit skill required) on voice and CW with 50 Watts and this unit's abilities? I should be upgrdng to General before years end, but if this radio WORKS, I won't be upgrading it. Thx! All the best....

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73 de Doug Fitch KD5FJE

www.inergy.com/catiii/KD5FJE.html

2205. Re: Help with Kenwood TS-820S needed!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris McKendry <kh2pm_@lcc.net>
Message-ID: <3630238E.388B76F6@lcc.net>
Source record: 128340
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc

My dad has an 820S; I will relay this message to him.

Good luck!

2206. Re: Wilson WH-2516

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Todd <tyler@nightowl.net>
Message-ID: <36302956.FA01FE8B@nightowl.net>
Source record: 128341

Monkey i owe ya big time man, Thanks. Worked like a charm.

Todd

WebMonkey wrote:
>
> Todd wrote:
> >
> > Well i guess i'll just turn the thing into a 16 channel VHF scanner, you
> > wouldn't happen to know how to program it would you?
> >
> i've found the units to operate just fine on the ham 2m band.
> there are a couple of tuning coils w/slugs up front on the keypad side
> of the mainboard that require a little adjusting to get the rig going
> ouside
> the factory tuned bandwith. then the usual tuning of the pa board
> to get the max output.
>
> i had asked the same programming question since i had misplaced my
> copy of instructions but now that i have located it, i'll pass it along.
>
> > chiefpoint@yahoo.com wrote:
> > >
> > > For what it's worth, I used to work on these rigs. The VCO is designed to
> > > BARELY allow operation on the bands for which it was designed - I never was
> > > able to get one to transmit with any stability even near the edges of the
> > > public service bands, so I'm not sure you could get the VCO to cooperate in
> > > the ham bands. The VCO would either cause the TX relay to chatter or not
> > > close the relay at all. I don't have any manuals for the Wilson rigs -
> > > tossed them out (sorry!). I gave several of these rigs away to hams who
> > > wanted to use them for the PA parts. Good luck with your project! 73.
> > >
> > > In article <362D88F2.C91BECDC@nightowl.net>,
> > > Todd <tyler@nightowl.net> wrote:
> > > > Was wondering if anyone had programing information for this radio,
> > > > somebody gave it to me and i'd like to put it to use on the ham bands if
> > > > i could. Thanks in advance for any help.
> > > >
> > > > Todd
> > > > kb0udf
> > > >
> > >
>
> --
> A.C. Curtis

> KBï¿½WLF
>
> mailto:demoman@rollanet.org
> http://www.rollanet.org/~demoman
>
> ---
> Filename: WILSON.MOD
> SUBJECT : Wilson UHF/VHF Radio programming -- models WU-1510,
> WH-2516, WU-1516
> From : AB5WX
> To : MODS @ TEXAS
> Title : Wilson/Regency Radios
> Path : !F6CNB!F6CNB!N5VGC!W5IFP!KI5EF!WB5GHJ!
>
> ***How to Program Regency and Wilson Commercial Radios***
>
> (NOTE: CAPS indicate the radio button to push, not a command.)
>
> 1.) First radios must be placed in "program mode". Many are set
> this way from the first dealer who placed them into service. In
> order to check to see if this mod has been performed; press PROG
> PRIOR THEN 10. The display should go blank. Skip the next
> paragraph and go to the next section.
>
> If the display does not go blank proceed with the following mod.
> Locate jumper JU-401 on the radio motherboard (its in front of the
> main microprocessor which sits perpendicular to the front of the
> chassis.
>
> 2.) Heres the program sequence:
> Turn radio off, then back on.
> Press PROG PRIOR then 10 (your display should go blank).
> Enter receive frequency (6 digits;ex. 446000).
> Enter either 00 (simplex) or 80 (duplex)
> Enter either 00 (no pl tone) or 01-32 (corresponds to the
> first 32 standard pl tones (ex. 01=67.0, 32=203.5).
> Enter transmit frequency (6 digits; ex 446000).
> Enter ENTER.
> Enter Channel # you want to save to memory.
> Turn radio off, then back on. (leds will flash). Example: to
> enter a repeater frequency for 444.200 with a plus offset and a
> pltone of 162.2 on channel 2; you would press PROG PRIOR then
> enter: 442000 80 26 447000 ENTER 2
> (receive) (dup) (pl) (transmit) (channel)
> 3.) Test
> Enter MANUAL, then press number of channel you wish to
> test.
> Key PTT on microphone. You should be able to verify
> operation of radio. (i.e repeater will come up)
>

> 4.) Channel verification-In order to determine what is already
> programmed in a channel, perform the following sequence:
> Power On
> Enter PROG PRIOR then 10
> Enter MANUAL then Channel # (keypad #)
> Write down the numbers as they flash on led display.
> EXAMPLE: 442000 80 01 447000
> receive dup pl transmit
>
> Subnote: Regency and Wilson 16 channel radios can also be
> programmed using the same procedure except that:
> 1. Program jumper must be removed after programming is complete in
> order to transmit. (on 10 channels this can stay on all the time).
>
> 2. PL code must be entered twice.
>
> I hope this helps a few hams who have procured some of these fine
> radios from swapfests, trade nets, etc. They are really fine for
> packet radio, home base units and extra mobile rigs. The fact
> that they are frequency agile is a big plus over some of the old
> crystal units that are still appearing so much.
>
>

2207. FS:2 meter ht HTX-202

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cliff Cedar <ccedar@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1mVX1.1751$v_3.6691290@newse1.twcny.rr.com>
Source record: 128342

I have a 2 meter Radio Shack HT forsale,Its in good shape and shows some wear..I have the box, manual, 1 orig. batt. pack, 1 orig. batt. pack that takes AA batts..and also comes with the charger ..Iam asking $90 or B.O plus shipiing for it...Email me at ccedar@yahoo.com Thanks and 73's (KC2DNH)

2208. Re: Help! IC-02AT Battery Stuck

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: marc_k@walrus.com
Message-ID: <70pbdc$2c2$1@alice.walrus.com>
Source record: 128343

Robert Fritz (rfritz@home.com) wrote:
: I cannot remove the battery from my Icom 02AT. It appears to be a
: mechanical blockage. The Slide on the side is stuck in the up position
: but I can't move the battery at all.

: Any suggestions as to how to remove the battery short of explosives
: would be appreciated.

: Thanks,
: Bob
: KE6WYG

I'm not sure of the best answer, but usually, a stuck battery on a old
Icom is caused by one of the plate screws working loose, thus jamming the
pack onto the radio.
This was a common problem at one time.

2209. FS:D104 Lollypop Mike

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cliff Cedar <ccedar@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <oCVX1.1754$v_3.6703631@newse1.twcny.rr.com>
Source record: 128344

This D104 Desktop mike is in real good condition.It has a black base and a black trim ring around the top..Iam asking $75 or B.O. plus shipping...Email me at ccedar@yahoo.com Thanks 73's (KC2DNH)

2210. HENRY Amplifier reflector ***

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radiodan W7RF <RFpower@radiodan.com>
Message-ID: <kZWX1.1877$Bi1.22088492@clnws01.we.mediaone.net>
Source record: 128345

Just a note to let everyone know about the new reflector where we talk about anything HENRY related.

Subscribe to the HENRY reflector at www.qth.net if you:
Ever owned a HENRY
Ever wanted to own a HENRY
Own a HENRY
Want a HENRY
Want to know about a HENRY

You get the idea!
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73, Dan Magro W7RF, (member SCDXC, SCCC)
Rugged, Reliable Henry HF Amps are "Instant on" for RF Power now!
DXers/Contesters/Ragchewers get your HENRY from RADIODAN for LESS!
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www.radiodan.com RFpower@radiodan.com
A trip to our web site is worth the click!

2211. WTB: RS DX440 Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: JPD <jdanter@NOSPAMi-america.net>
Message-ID: <36308964.689C@NOSPAMi-america.net>
Source record: 128346

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WTB: RS DX440 Manual, photocopy AOK.
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Remove NOSPAM to reply
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2212. Re: Wilson WH-2516

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: WebMonkey <address@below.com>
Message-ID: <36306845.6C76@below.com>
Source record: 128347

Todd wrote:
>
> Monkey i owe ya big time man, Thanks. Worked like a charm.
>
> Todd
>
no biggie, glad i could help
--
A.C. Curtis
KBï¿½WLF

mailto:demoman@rollanet.org
http://www.rollanet.org/~demoman

2213. Re: SB-200 power input vs. output question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al Dolgosh <al.dolgosh@hamradio.org>
Message-ID: <36306C12.AB1DC260@hamradio.org>
Source record: 128348

What is the actual VSWR - or forward and relected power readings - when you look at the input of the SB-200 on 10 meters?? I don't remember that you told us.

The VSWR power foldback circuit generally does not "shut down" the rig - it just limits the power to a level that won't damage itself. Maybe the SB-200 input VSWR is beyond the range that your auto tuner is capable of compensating for.

Al - K8EUR

Jim Temple wrote:

> What seems to happen is on 10meters, the exciter (a ts-870 w/ auto antenna
> tuner) will not tune and gives up. So the exciter power presented to the
> sb-200 is about 40 watts. I can see the exciter power momenterally normal,
> then instantly drops to 40 watts, in the blink of an eye. So the solid
> state rig is not shutting down, but the power output is severely limited.
> During this condition, the amp will only put out about 125watts.
>
> Now, I can take the amp out of the loop, and the auto tuner on the ts-870
> will tune 10meters normally.
>
> I appreciate the help and advice. Thanks.
>
> Jim Temple
> KF4ICZ
>
> Bill Clarke wrote in message <362fc628.0@news3.ibm.net>...
> >I used an SB-200 for several years with both tube and solid state
> equipment.
> >I don't recall the make of the tubes, but they were not Svetlanas, as they
> >had not started in the export business at that time. But, I think the
> origin
> >of the tubes is moot.
> >
> >Is the SWR so high that the solid state rig is shutting down? If no, then I
> >personally would not worry about it. If you do worry, then you can tinker
> >with the SB-200's input circuitry or use a small tuner between the units.
> >
> >Is your 100 watt input coming out of the amp as 600 or more watts? If yes,
> >then the amp is doing what it was designed to do.
> >
> >If you can really push it and squeeze 800 watts out, you'll just burn the
> >tubes up all the sooner and the 200 watt difference will never be heard on
> >the air (law of decibels).
> >

> >As I recall, the SB-200 required neutralization when replacing tubes.
> >
> >--
> >Bill Clarke W2BLC
> >W2BLC@radiolink.net
> >
> >
> >

2214. Yaesu MD-1 and SP-6 (with or without patch)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: grover3@nortexinfo.net
Message-ID: <70pvjo$a8p$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128349

Looking for subject equipment. If you can help, reply email with price and condition. Thanks. KM5HB Grover

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2215. FS Kenwood TM-241A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Elwin C. McNamara" <elwinmc@global2000.net>
Message-ID: <___X1.1360$487.1661@news12.ispnews.com>
Source record: 128350

Kenwood TM 241A 2 meter mobile with TT mic. Clean $125 Reply to elwinmc@email.com or call 518-439-2835

2216. Re: Remote Operation of HF Station?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: martyt@pobox.com
Message-ID: <363079e7.131775242@news.supernews.net>
Source record: 128351

On Fri, 23 Oct 1998 02:06:21 GMT, algo@bellatlantic.net (R. Makul K1XV) wrote:
>I know that Sherman, W4FLA remotely controls a Kachina at his home
>from his business office. As Sherman is a Kachina dealer and has a
>computer sales business in Boonton NJ, http://www.mscomputer.com , I
>am sure that he would be a source of info if you are interested in the
>Kachina approach to a remote controlled HF rig.

Thanks for the pointer - turns out Sherman does have some good information about remoting a Kachina - go to the "Kachina" link from his home page and scroll down a bit. There's an add-on unit specifically for remote control of the Kachina, using just the regular telephone lines for both voice and digital data. Pretty darn cool...

Looks like the Kachina would be an excellent candidate for the kind of remote operation I had in mind. Now if only I hadn't just spend $1600 for that new FT-920... ;-)

-Marty
-Marty KIï¿½LO
martyt@pobox.com

2217. WTB yeasu SP-5 or SP-6 speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: gary@harborside.com
Message-ID: <362fc859.1173899@news.harborside.com>
Source record: 128352

Looking for SP-5 or SP-6 external speaker

Gary Misbach
N7VUV

2218. FS HP141T Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "K.R.Burtchaell" <kburt@jps.net>
Message-ID: <3630883D.18E9@jps.net>
Source record: 128353
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FS HP141T Display, operating and service manual.$25 postpaid.Ken W6GHV

2219. D104 replacement cartridges

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: lordell@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981023094756.20202.00000021@ng15.aol.com>
Source record: 128354

Hi Group,

Does anyone know of a source or sources for D104 microphone cartridges?
I believe the ceramic ones are the most rugged.

73---Joe---W1PNH

2220. IC-756 Tuning Direction

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Devon G. Crowe" <dcrowe@lpl.arizona.edu>
Message-ID: <70q2u6$el0$1@news.ccit.arizona.edu>
Source record: 128355

I briefly played with an IC-756 at a ham store yesterday, and I have a question for an IC-756 owner. The radio I tried was set up for frequency increase when the knob is rotated counterclockwise. Yet the "bandscope" is setup for frequency increasing toward the right (as it should be). The knob rotation seemed backwards to me in relation to the scope display. Can the sense of rotation be changed in the menus? Alternately (and less desirably), can the direction of the scope display be reversed?

Thanks,
Devon
NN7AA

2221. FA- TMC exciter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: cqdx4u <vital@gate.net>
Message-ID: <01be16f6$1e196820$33adb5cd@jer>
Source record: 128356
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewListedItems&userid=cqdx4u

2222. Wtb: CMU161 mem. for C558A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Swanson <robert_swanson@sunshine.net>
Message-ID: <363096B8.4F52@sunshine.net>
Source record: 128357

Looking for a 200 channnel memory chip for a Standard C558A Dual band
Radio. 73's R. Swanson VE7VBO

2223. Re: TEN-TEC SCOUT 555

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: siamk@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981023110023.12099.00000060@ng107.aol.com>
Source record: 128358

Hello Doug,

I have 2 Scouts --one I use in the car and the other as a back-up to my main rig. I think the Scout is an excellent xcvr. Has no bells and whistles, except maybe the built-in keyer. I am primarily a CW OP. It meets my needs just fine. The 50 watts is no problem --I can work almost everything I can hear. It may be a little inconvenient to have separate modules for each band, but I only use 40 and 20 and sometimes 30 meters and it doesn't cause me any problems.

The best features of the rig is its great receiver, ease of operation, QSK and overall quality.

Tuning is tough. Uses a tuning coil set-up that takes some getting use to and in CW, it may drift if you don't stop periodically to allow it to adjust itself (it has a circuit that compensates for drift, but you must stop transmitting to allow it to work. This is not a problem in SSB.

Overall, it is a very pleasant radio and I usually turn it on before I turn on any of my other rigs. You can probably get a used Scout for around $400-$450 with several modules.

A used IC 706, however, can cost around $650 - $750. The IC 706 offers a lot more than the Scout, but it isn't as simple to operate and I don't like the receiver as well as the Scout's.

Of course, this is just my own opinion. I'm sure a lot of hams will tell you to just get a used FT 840 or IC 707 or some rig like that for what you will pay for a Scout. But, I prefer the Scout and you need to listen and play with a lot of rigs before plopping down your hard-earned bucks on a rig.

73s,

Mike
K2TPZ

2224. Re: Dear Bored of YOUR BULL: I CONFESS !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: djw@unlinfo.unl.edu
Message-ID: <36309a1b.9460138@crcnews>
Source record: 128359
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

On Thu, 22 Oct 1998 18:53:17 -0700, Bruce Starr
<BassStar@ix.netcom.com> wrote:

>Did you really want to tell the IRS that this is a hooby not a business?

What's a "hooby"?

And stop overquoting!

2225. FS: ICOM AT-500 Automatic 500watt Antenna Tuner $295.00+shipping

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5pwj@aol.com123
Message-ID: <19981023110430.29493.00000049@ngol08.aol.com>
Source record: 128360

Will sell outright or trades considered. Prefer 220mhz equipment. thx rich

2226. Re: FA- TMC exciter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: cccacutts@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <70q6p4$2dc$1@samsara0.mindspring.com>
Source record: 128361
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

In article <01be16f6$1e196820$33adb5cd@jer>, vital@gate.net says...
>
>
>http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewListedItems&userid=cqdx4u

Nice units, however, how much of a reserve are you holding out for????

Allen Cutts
N4OZI
--
~~~~~~
Allen Cutts - cacutts@mindspring.com
Email address needs to be changed when replying, I've had
enough Spam to last me awhile, thank you.
Home page: http://www.mindspring.com/~cacutts/radio/radio.html
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2227. Re: Anyone assist with problem on valve linear - HF? Please.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Carroll <w0ex@scan.missouri.org>
Message-ID: <70q7ah$i68$0@208.207.71.141>
Source record: 128362

John, if you don't get that arcing tube out of your amp
you're likely to have a lot more than just it to replace
before long.

73, Dick W0EX

John Cooper wrote:
>
> On 21 Oct 1998 19:39:30 GMT, n0dg@aol.com (N0DG) wrote:
>
> >John,
> >a quick guess on the amp problem.
> >Most tube amps are operated grounded grid.
>
> Thankyou Don for a very informative reply. Firstly, I am not
> experienced at HV and do plan on running the beast with fingers
> inside! Thanks for the warning - HV scares me silly!
>
> SInce my first post, I have identified that the flash/arc is coming
> from ONE of the valves. Having established this I switched the linear
> of and waited for the HV to discharge. I then removed the valves and
> swapped their positions. The flash/arc moved with the valve
> (associated with one of the valves).
>
> DO you think this idicates that a valve is faulty or would you still
> suspect the zenor diode. As the valves are so pricey, perhaps I should
> replace the zenor first?
>
> Regards
>
> John

2228. Re: SB-200 power input vs. output question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: terrybu@newman.ens.tek.com
Message-ID: <70q79p$o3s@newman.ens.tek.com>
Source record: 128363

Not being very familar with the SB-200 I'd break this into parts and attack the situation.

1) Change the lenght of the coax between the exciter and the amp to see if it has an effect. In other words, do you have reactance that the tuner in the exciter can't handle.

2) Turn the auto tuner in the Kenwood off and insert a tuner in line between the exciter and the amp. How does this effect the output, does it improve the situation?

3) If the above fails start looking for bad SWR or neutralization problems with the amp...in other words, something is wrong there and needs fixed. Do you have another set of tubes you can substitute for the 572B's? Have you checked the SWR on 10 meters (I don't recall from the messages I'm seeing on the net here). Use the manual and recheck everything.

Personally I don't see how you can trust the built in turners in modern transceivers, they are just too small. Looking at the size of component in a good tuners it seems the manufacturers have to have cut corners somewhere. I've notices on 15 meters with my FT-1000MP the tuner will work and then intermittently I get a big cut back and the ALC goes to the roof like I've got intermittent reactance on my quad. Yet, the turner will once again auto-tune and the power is back up...and the whole thing starts again. Like I say, I don't trust the built in tuners on these new rigs.

Good luck.
Terry
KI7M

2229. FS***Goldstar 40mhz. Oscope $300.00***

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: KF6IKC@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6524-3630997E-29@newsd-131.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 128364
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Have a "like new" Goldstar 40mhz. scope.It has dual trace and curser read out.Have the original box,manual and all other accs.it came with.Only used twice. Price is $300.00 OBO + shipping.

73's
Stan (530)241-0843

2230. Help ID'ing GE Mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick Flanagan <dflanagan@libelle.com>
Message-ID: <363096A5.4176F5B8@libelle.com>
Source record: 128365

A friend of mine picked up a GE mobile radio for the local S&R unit.
Can anyone provide any basic information on it? Freq range, power,
etc? The nomenclature states:

fcc id: axa9mz - mvsh3b
comb. nph20
sn 7737112

Thanks for any help.

73, Dick
--
Dick Flanagan W6OLD CFII Minden, Nevada DM09db (South of Reno)
Visit http://www.qsl.net/cvrc/

2231. FT1000 - FM Audio - Low

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Valentine <tde@ntplx.net>
Message-ID: <3630AA25.10A0@ntplx.net>
Source record: 128366

Is there an additional audio gain control in the FT1000 for FM, besides the labeled knob that's next to the Anti-trip/delay, etc? Even when it's all the way up, using the MD-1 Mic and yelling, audio is very low. Thanks! Rick, N1SQJ

2232. WTB***4-1000 tube***

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: KF6IKC@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6525-36309D86-12@newsd-131.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 128367
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

My friend is looking for a full output 4-1000 tube.Does anyone have one for sale? Please state cond.and price when responding.Also please include phone # too.

73's
Stan

2233. Re: SB-200 power input vs. output question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al Dolgosh <al.dolgosh@hamradio.org>
Message-ID: <3630AE67.D0349CFE@hamradio.org>
Source record: 128368

In regards to your three troubleshooting steps - if changing the line length (part 1) affects the apparent VSWR through reactance changes, then the actual input impedance is something other than 50 ohms.

This is just another way of proving part 3 without actually making measurements. In fact, you may find a line length that will make the Kenwood exciter/tuner "happy". Playing with line length rotates the reactive portion of the impedance around the zero axis so it changes from capacitive to inductive and back. There may be a happy compromise - a "poor man's" antenna tuner!

Al - K8EUR

Terry Burge wrote:

> Not being very familar with the SB-200 I'd break this into parts and
> attack the situation.
>
> 1) Change the lenght of the coax between the exciter and the amp to see
> if it has an effect. In other words, do you have reactance that the tuner
> in the exciter can't handle.
>
> 2) Turn the auto tuner in the Kenwood off and insert a tuner in line between
> the exciter and the amp. How does this effect the output, does it improve
> the situation?
>
> 3) If the above fails start looking for bad SWR or neutralization problems
> with the amp...in other words, something is wrong there and needs fixed.
> Do you have another set of tubes you can substitute for the 572B's? Have
> you checked the SWR on 10 meters (I don't recall from the messages I'm
> seeing on the net here). Use the manual and recheck everything.

.....balance deleted for brevity.

2234. FS: Knwd TS-120S HF + AT-120 TUNER + MC35S MIC $400

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe K7JOE <k7joe@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <3630B071.B06A2871@yahoo.com>
Source record: 128369
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,pdx.forsale,or.forsale

For Sale: $400 For all three pieces.

Very nice condition Kenwood TS-120S HF rig. All solid state.
Digital frequency readout. USB/LSB/CW. 100 watts output.
3.5/7/14/21/28/29 Mhz freq coverage. With original box, manuals,
paper work. Cosmetic 9 out of 10. Electrically 10 out of 10. Not
used mobile.

Plus

Kenwood AT-120 mobile antenna tuner. Matches TS-120S HF rig above.
With original box, manual. Cosmetic 8 of 10. Electrical 10 of 10.

Plus

Kenwood MC-35S noise cancelling hand microphone. Wired for the
above Kenwood HF rig. High impedance version.

$400 for all. We split the shipping/insurance cost.

Send email if interested. Equipment as stated or your money back.
No bad news. No lids, no kids, no space kadets.

Will be at the Polk County hamfest this weekend, near Salem Oregon.

Joe
K7JOE
Portland Oregon

2235. Re: Kenwood MC-80 mic.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Norder <pnorder@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <70qbqn$fut@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 128370

Yup. RF feedback is a common problem with Kenwood rigs, not just with the MC-80. Something to do with the way they "float" the audio ground coming from the mic. (I'm not exactly sure of my last statement.) What often fixes it is to run a separate ground wire from your mic to the Kenwood rig, or to the power amp if one is used.

73, Paul (KG2EP)

2236. FS: ATU Parts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Pedersen <n7bhc@gateway.net>
Message-ID: <70qcng$gu5$1@server2.wans.net>
Source record: 128371
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale: Parts to build a large ATU.

5 kw ATU kit. Includes the following items:
(2) large air-spaced variable capacitors
Roller inductor, 6" long, 4" diameter, 25 turns
Turns counter
Tapped Inductor, 5" long, 3" diameter, 45 turns, 11 adjustable taps
Dual section variable capaciator, medium air spacing
$30 for all.
Dave N7BHC
(801) 967-5896
n7bhc@gateway.net

2237. FS: TS-850sat

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: aldel@ibm.net
Message-ID: <3630deac.32131@news3.ibm.net>
Source record: 128372

Kenwood TS-850sat..
Excellent cosmetically and electronically.
Mic, manual, orig boxes etc. $995.00. Call any eve:
215/673-0485. Al, Wa3fib

2238. Re: FT-50RD problem...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3661b6f8.532166012@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 128373

On Thu, 22 Oct 1998 21:07:22 GMT, jon_adair@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>I trimmed the power button down so it is recessed. That's worked like a
>charm. It never comes on accidently. The downsides are that you probably
>have to take the radio apart (who hasn't?) and the radio doesn't look brand
>new when you're done. You can get a new power button from Yaesu for free or
>next to nothing, so you can swap it back later.

Actually, that free new power button is shorter too, so you can just directly swap
it into the radio rather than whacking on the old button.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

2239. FS KKENWOOD TS-440 AT $825.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gabriel G melo <n1hhf@110.net>
Message-ID: <70qco8$39a$1@stalker.oem.net>
Source record: 128374

1-401-434=2606

2240. FS: Assorted parts. Morese key, Fluke case

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Pedersen <n7bhc@gateway.net>
Message-ID: <70qdm5$h2r$1@server2.wans.net>
Source record: 128375
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale: Assorted general parts
Morse key J-38 $3
Diodes, High current. Westinghouse 1760-8936-6904 (2)
GE 1780-8759-7739 (1)
GE 1780-8767-7739(1) $3 all
Fluke 27 case. Hard, with space for accessories. $10
Aluminum cabibnets. Extrremely strong, RF gasket front and rear. 14.5"/14.5"/15.5" hwd. $10 each
Gas Regulator by Victor Equipment Co, with high (0-4000psi) and low (0-30 psi) pressure guages $20

Dave N7BHc
n7bhc@gateway.net

2241. FS: Fluke 27 case

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Pedersen <n7bhc@gateway.net>
Message-ID: <70qdp2$h38$1@server2.wans.net>
Source record: 128376
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale: Hard case for Fluke 27 meter. This is the large case with room for acessories. $10

Dave N7BHC
n7bhc@geteway.net

2242. Wanted: Kenwood TM261A or TM241A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: wplanck@netusa1.net
Message-ID: <70qklh$v7i$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128377
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Where's the best buy on a new or used Kenwood TM261A. Would consider TM241A.
Are there other good similarly priced 2M mobiles?

Bill K9KZ
wplanck@netusa1.net

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2243. Motrola Radius

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David R. Hubbell" <hubbell@ptdprolog.net>
Message-ID: <3630F540.63CC@ptdprolog.net>
Source record: 128378

I have a Motorola Radius 208/6 60w low band mobile radio. I would like
to modify the radio for use on the 6m band. I have changed the freqs. in
the radio to the desired repeater freqs. but get a message on the
software that the radio needs to be retuned. Has anyone made the
necessary mods to the radio and if so youd you please respond here and
by email to hubbell@ptdprolog.net
Thanks Dave Hubbell N2KTO

2244. F/S KENWOOD TS 140

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Buddy Mclawhorn <buddymclawhorn@sprintmail.com>
Message-ID: <3630CD0C.334A@sprintmail.com>
Source record: 128379

Kenwood TS 140 $550.00 In great shape.

Buddy

buddymclawhorn@sprintmail.com

1-252-754-8021

2245. LOG for W95/98

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Vladimir A.Ovdiyenko" <vovdiyen@utel.com.ua>
Message-ID: <70qlvf$sr4$1@news.lucky.net>
Source record: 128380

New version - 7.0 of RABBIT's family

WELCOME TO:
http://www.users.ite.cv.ua/~ut1yv/PA.html

73! Vladimir

2246. FS: FT-1000D/SP-5

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: DUKE <na1a@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3630C1FA.FDCEDC33@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 128381
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Listing for a friend. All inquiries should go direct to the seller.

Tim in New York has for sale an FT-1000D, 3M serial number lot. Clean
with manual.
$2500. Also, he has an SP-5 matching external speaker. $100. Will
consider package deal. E-mail Tim direct. Mailto:kf2eu@juno.com

2247. WTB- TV-7D/U Tube Tester

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pinky & The Brain <odin@webspan.net>
Message-ID: <70qmpf$74s@news.webspan.net>
Source record: 128382
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.tubes,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

PLS respond with price and condition. NO JUNK PLEASE!!

Steve

odin@webspan.net

2248. Re: TS-520SE with tuning knob trouble

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jack Hardin <jhardin@hal-pc.org>
Message-ID: <01bdfebc$5b9155c0$6c80b4ce@jhardin>
Source record: 128383
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On my old 520 the cure was to loosen the set screw, move the knob a little further out from the front panel, and tighten the set screw. The knob had slipped too close to the front panel and was brushing up against it ... sometimes it's the simple things that go wrong ... hope your problem is solved this easily.
73
Jack

Gil Bishop <gbishop@home.com> wrote in article
<vEPX1.104993$Xy6.44276758@news.rdc1.ct.home.com>...
> Looking to your help again - tnx in advance!
>
> Problem when turning the tuning knob. It has what almost feel like
detents
> (sp?) or mechanical flat spots about every 1/3 turn. Makes it very
> difficult to stay on freq when within a couple of khz or so of these -
the
> vfo just wants to slide into the hole. Can run the knob back and forth
> (forcefully) over these spots and finally get the vfo to stay put.
> Any ideas?
>
> Tnx and 73
> Gil
>
>
>

2249. Ememt for Heathkit GH17A Soldering Iron

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: robin@teleplex.net
Message-ID: <3632dfd9.28380989@news.teleplex.net>
Source record: 128384

The tip is a GE 6A217 V6-W25 LA
Anyone know were to find some???

Please let me know as I don't wish to throw away this soldering
station.

Thanks in advance

Robin Michael
KD4SMM

2250. WTB: INRAD filters for TS-830S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3bj@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <70oib3$3qg$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128420
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchor,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Wanted: INRAD filters for the TS-830S, both SSB and CW. Please let me know if you have any that are surplus to your needs.

Alan, N3BJ

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2251. Re: 1.2 gig ATV Transmitter Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: bdiaz@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <70oiba$3qh$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128421
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In article <362E4D95.7EF2@byu.edu>,
russ_ridgeway@byu.edu wrote:
> Does anyone know of a source for a 1.2 gig ATV transmitter? I am
> looking for a 1 watt unit. Any help will be appriciated.
>
> Thanks,
> Russ AE7D
> E-mail russ_ridgeway@byu.edu

PC Electronics sells them:

http://www.hamtv.com/

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2252. Re: 75W too much for car?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tony Szablowski <aszablowski@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <70oh6o$cr@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 128422

>I am using an ICOM 706 (100w) on the car battery plus an >Ameritron linear that draws 40 amps on an additional battery, >mostly on SSB. Never had any problems, touch wood, so if I were >you I would just put a new battery, have the alternator checked, and >use your radio without worrying too much.

Yes, adding a new battery sounded a bit extreme at first, but that may be a good thing to do, as winter's coming anyway. Thanks for the help.
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Regards,
Tony

2253. Re: Kenwood MC-80 mic.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: AA9DX@aol.COM
Message-ID: <43616bb0.362fcac2@aol.com>
Source record: 128423

Has anyone had experience with intermittent RF feedback in a Kenwood MC-80 mic.

Thanks for your help Bob AA9DX

2254. Mod Needed for Alinco DJ-191

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: jng2000@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981022215511.17036.00004559@ng137.aol.com>
Source record: 128424

I need the extended TX mod for and Alinco DJ-191. If you know how to do it please e-mail me the mod. Much appericated!

Jeff
JNG2000@AOL.COM

2255. Re: SB-200 power input vs. output question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: martyt@pobox.com
Message-ID: <362fe19a.87731308@news.supernews.net>
Source record: 128425

On Thu, 22 Oct 1998 19:57:02 -0400, "Bill Clarke"
<w2blc599@radiolink.net> wrote:

>Is the SWR so high that the solid state rig is shutting down?

In my case, yes - depending on the band. On 20 and 15, I have
basically no problems - 75 and 10m will show a SWR well over 3:1 to
the exciter (FT-920) and it'll back off to about 20 watts out. Using
the (internal) tuner takes care of that problem and lets the exciter
develop full power.

But I've also found that the SWR at the exciter will vary drastically
depending on the load and tune settings on the SB-200. So adjustment
is a process of juggling the SWR at the exciter and the plate current
and output power from the SB-200...

>Is your 100 watt input coming out of the amp as 600 or more watts? If yes,
>then the amp is doing what it was designed to do.

I've *never* seen more than 600 watts on CW from the SB-200 - could be
my tubes are a bit soft (I was a little hard on them the first few
times I tried to adjust the amp - What a nice orange glow they make
when you keydown for too long... ;-)

>As I recall, the SB-200 required neutralization when replacing tubes.

What is 'neutralization'?? If there's something I need to do other
than just plop the new ones in there when I get them, I'm unaware of
it...

73,

-Marty KI0LO
martyt@pobox.com

2256. Re: Remote Operation of HF Station?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: algo@bellatlantic.net
Message-ID: <70oo7o$o7n$1@news-1.news.gte.net>
Source record: 128426

On Thu, 15 Oct 1998 16:24:44 GMT, ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman) wrote:

>Think Kachina 505. The radio is totally computer controlled, and may
>be controlled via modem link if you want to separate the computer from
>the radio. If you use a voice over data modem, everything can be done
>on one phone line (or one duplex radio channel). Or you can use a
>second channel for audio if you prefer.
>==============
I know that Sherman, W4FLA remotely controls a Kachina at his home from his business office. As Sherman is a Kachina dealer and has a computer sales business in Boonton NJ, http://www.mscomputer.com , I am sure that he would be a source of info if you are interested in the Kachina approach to a remote controlled HF rig.

Ray, K1XV

2257. WTB: MIcor rptr 2 recvr coupler & need pre-amp info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: jim <n9wjk@NOSPAM.xnet.com>
Message-ID: <01bdfe2a$024b1b00$d2fe1f0a@ntsrv01>
Source record: 128427

Greetings to the ng,

I am looking for a Micor UHF 2-reciever coupler, the model number is - TLE8340A.

I'm also looking for info on installing a Micor reciever pre-amp, model number - TLE8192A. I've got the RF connections figured out (that was the easy part). But I don't know where to connect the A+ line. Any info on mounting, tuning, etc. is greatly appreciated.

Thanks in advance,
jim
N9WJK

2258. Re: SB-200 power input vs. output question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: martyt@pobox.com
Message-ID: <3630e389.88226658@news.supernews.net>
Source record: 128428

On Thu, 22 Oct 1998 15:46:33 -0700, "Ken Brookner" <brooknerk@acm.org>
wrote:
>marty, your voltages and power in/out tracks closely with my experience. i
>also installed the harbach ps board, soft-start, and soft-key units.
>probably should have gotten the higher velocity fan too...

I was very satisfied with Harbach's stuff - easy to install and high
quality components. Plus the caps on the power supply are much
higher-grade and can be replaced by taking out a couple of screws.
The soft-start seems to make everything happier when turning on - I
expect it to extend the life of everything by quite a bit.

And the soft-keyer was an absolute necessity for use with my rig - it
reduces the keying current to almost nothing and the solid-state rig
can handle it better.

As for the cooling fan, it's noisy as heck but it really moves the
air..

73,

-Marty KI0LO
martyt@pobox.com

2259. Re: F.S. Mobile HF AMP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: remarsh@juno.com
Message-ID: <B316918A3E00297F.F5EFF2E20E59544A.912B3644FFA4E01F@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 128429
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

On Thu, 22 Oct 1998 23:50:55 GMT, brianburke@my-dejanews.com wrote:

>
>> >
>> >
>> THERE IS NO F.C.C. SO WHAT IS THE POINT!!!
>> do what you want...they closed our monitoring station in Vero beach.
>> And there are 10 illegal stations on the 88mhz band in Miami . Do you
>> think they care if an amp is type accepted in the Ham Bands ??dream
>> on!!! They just don't care.....
>> WA4JJQ
>>
>I read in the last couple of months that there was an FCC sweep of illegal
>broadcaster in the Miami area. Busted lotsa folks. The FCC does not exist as
>far as Part 97 enforcement goes.
>
>Brian/N0iMD
>
>-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

YEA, AND ALL BUT 1 IS BACK ON THE AIR, BIG BUST!!!
BIG DEAL!!!!!!!
WA4JJQ

2260. Re: Need Schematic for J.I.L. Mdl. SX-100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: turbo22367@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981022223755.02711.00004779@ng133.aol.com>
Source record: 128430

Thanks for the info.

Steve

2261. Re: Just bought Lafayette HA-500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: drmarc@wwa.com
Message-ID: <70ose2rtd2@hirame.wwa.com>
Source record: 128431

In article <19981022003234.09760.00004063@ng75.aol.com>,
jonnyd97@aol.com (Jonny D 97) wrote:
>Any info on this unit? I rcv 80, 40, 20, 15, 10 and 6 meters. Looks like a
>vintage unit. Any info greatly appreciated.
>
>Thanks
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>-----------------------
>Jon Damast
>http://members.aol.com/jonnyd97
>-----------------------

---------- I have no info. on this unit but I had built a Lafayette pre-amp
for stereo in the early 1960's. They were around like Radio Shack is now.
May have been them or bought out by them. -- not sure.

That might give you a general time frame to work with.

Marc Schneider, Psy.D.
e-mail to: <drmarc@wwa.com>
(call sign: W4NVY)

2262. Re: IC-Q7A Need Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb0vof@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <70p2mm$hr6$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128432

In article <36213962.4798E10D@nwlink.com>,
Bruce A Shurtz <boingo1@nwlink.com> wrote:
> Need TX mods. Any info would be helpful.....<

Now, come on everybody! This radio's been out since when, July, and no mods yet?!? I refuse to believe it's mod-proof. Personally, I need to expand 70cm down to 420... Incidentally, Icom and RT Systems, the software developer, are coming out with software for programming the Q7 and the yet-to-be-released R-2. And another thing: the Q7 will allow you to program in an offset, which you can switch to by hitting the monitor button, even in frequency areas that don't allow transmitting. Example: I programmed in cordless phone base freqs and put the handset freqs in the "dup" side. So you can actually put 400 freqs in the Q7, even though 200 of them are a little hard to get at.

73
Gerry KB0VOF

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
http://www.dejanews.com/rg_mkgrp.xp Create Your Own Free Member Forum

2263. Re: What ham radio is today.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiocrime@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981022233657.01104.00004123@ng134.aol.com>
Source record: 128433

>Moonman wrote:
>>
>> I could hardly agree more. I quit trying to enjoy ham radio in 1987.
>> Between 1973, when I became a ham, and 1987, when I packed away my
>> equipment. I think I had maybe 5 interesting conversations on ham radio.

Moonman's lament contains some truth about the trivial and dreadfully dull nature of so many communications encounters via ham radio. If I ran the world, there would be no such thing as push to talk microphones, or voice transmissions in excess of 5 seconds each. I think way too many hams talk "at" each other and not "with" each other. But when VOX is used (or break-in CW) it is fascinating to notice how the dynamics of a radio contact will change. Even those who don't have the slightest concept of how to conduct a conversation nevertheless do communicate more proficiently when a faster pace is established at the very beginning. We've all heard and probably been trapped in the kind of qsos where operator a asks a question as part of a lengthy transmission. When operator b finally has the opportunity to reply, so much time has passed he either fails to respond ... or has forgotten exactly what the question was. This is ridiculous but common. It's just an example of under-developed operating and/or conversation skills. We need a whole lot less "monologue" style transmissions and a lot more natural, free-flowing exchanges.

Moonman only had 5 interesting conversations in 14 years. Well, with that track record it's probably a good idea that he quit trying to extract enjoyment from ham radio and found something more to his liking.

Shame it did't work out. It seems to me he could have struck up ongoing friendships with those individuals with whom he did enjoy conversations. Personally, my greatest enjoyment in operating is talking with old friends and making a few new ones from time to time. Maybe he could have taken a positive approach and used initiative to turn "dog" contacts into actual enjoyable conversations by picking up the tempo and encouraging exchanges of opinions and ideas. Maybe he could have done more listening and found frequencies inhabited with hams whose intellects are not so far beneath his. Oops, wrong there. Because he already concluded that lack of imagination and social skills is integral to the ham experience, supposedly meaning most hams are ignorant and even the 5 or so who aren't become intellectually crippled via the medium. His arrival at that conclusion says more about him than it does about what ham radio is today.

I don't think ham radio is different from other pursuits, you generally have to put something in to get something out. I'm not going to lose any sleep about Moonman getting out of my hobby.

2264. Re: FS Icom IC821H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: stu <stu@harborcom.net>
Message-ID: <3630026A.9BECD74A@harborcom.net>
Source record: 128434
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.swap

I have lowered the price to $1100.00."OR BEST OFFER." If interested please call 440-352-7787 or e mail me at stu@harborcom.net Thanks in advance. 73, Stuart KB8VIY

stu wrote:

> Greetings,
> This radio is in brand new condition. Very clean. No scratches.
> Non smoking environment. I bought the radio on 06/02/97 from HRO. I
> have only used the radio on 2 meter ssb. Never even hooked an antenna
> up to the 70 cm connector. Due to schedule change and lack of time I am
> selling it. I have the box, manual, schematics, unused hand mic and the
> tone board is installed. Very nice write up on it in the March of 1997
> QST. I am asking $1200.00 "OR BEST OFFER." If interested please e mail
> me at stu@harborcom.net or call me at 440-352-7787. Thanks in advance.
> 73, Stuart KB8VIY

2265. Re: Descrambling TV

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: donrm@sr.hp.com
Message-ID: <70tflf$p4i@canyon.sr.hp.com>
Source record: 128185

btslfke@poboxes.com wrote:

> I recently received a spam email suggesting that I send $5 for
> an "internet guide to cable descrambling" together with a
> "radio shack parts list" for $12 in parts.

I received the same thing a couple of weeks ago...it's probably
a bridged Tee filter that removes an interfering carrier between
the video carrier and color burst signal...useless in these modern
times.

Don K6LTS
donrm@sr.hp.com

2266. Re: FS Dow Key relay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Asp <larry.asp@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <363244F3.5BEF@sympatico.ca>
Source record: 128186
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,

Larry Asp wrote:
>
> Dow Key coaxial relay, DK60 type with 6VAC relay coil. $20.00 plus
> postage.
The relay has been sold. Thanks everyone.

2267. Re: Dear Bored of YOUR BULL: I CONFESS !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bored of Your Bull <boredof@hatemail.com>
Message-ID: <01bdfed5$01cdde00$68c6b8cd@MyComputer.nowhere.net>
Source record: 128187

Dear Cojrim,

Please improve your reading comprehension. My original post was never sent
to .equipment Murray the looser posted a response to this group and the
fellow
who made the typo "hooby" was someone who responded to Murray's response.
Got it now?

I did make a pun in another response but not to this group.

Thanks

Cojim <cojim@aol.com> wrote in article
<19981023184333.08182.00000284@ng89.aol.com>...
> hello bored, please improve your spelling skills. thanks
>

2268. Trade Drake C-Line

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Russ Cheatham <cheatham@HIWAAY.net>
Message-ID: <36324729.1AC4B928@HIWAAY.net>
Source record: 128188

Want to trade for all mode HF transceiver with general coverage receiver
so I can work RTTY and packet. Not sure which rigs to consider.
IC-735,IC-728,TS-430,TS-440?

Comments or suggestions are welcomed.

Russ
cheatham@hiwaay.net

2269. WTB ten tec 238

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: chickenfuz@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981024173814.19502.00000584@ng-fb1.aol.com>
Source record: 128189

Hi,
I would like to buy a ten tec 238 antenna tuner

WA6CBP

2270. Used Radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pursuit Mic <75313.1154@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <eCnZQS5$9GA.271@ntawwabp.compuserve.com>
Source record: 128190
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.family

I have several used Maxon SP-2850 portables for sale if
interested please visit http://www.pursuitmic.com go to the used
radio page.

Thanks

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2271. FS Kenwood MC-80

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Peter F. Christensen" <christep@cadvision.com>
Message-ID: <363257DC.1FF6@cadvision.com>
Source record: 128191

The original purchaser changed his mind so again I have the MC-80 for sale. It is from a silent key's estate and it is in excellent condition. The price is $50.00 US plus shipping costs,
Please contact Peter Christensen at christep@cadvision.com
Thank you. Peter.

2272. Re: Descrambling TV

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Christopher Zeman, KB9RHA" <zman@iwc.net>
Message-ID: <uTrY1.1954$lh7.3029@news6.ispnews.com>
Source record: 128192

Of course, though, Radio Shack Employees are instructed not to sell any
product which they know the customer will be using illegally or give any
information whatsoever how to perform an illegal activity, such as listening
to the image frequencies of cellular phone frequencies.

Christopher Zeman, KB9RHA

btslfke@poboxes.com wrote in message <70tcks$p03@zook.lafn.org>...
>Hello:
>
> As a fellow-travelling-but-inactive ham I have a question which is
>not core ham activity but I hope folks here will give a shot.
>
> I recently received a spam email suggesting that I send $5 for
>an "internet guide to cable descrambling" together with a
>"radio shack parts list" for $12 in parts.
>According th the sender these parts and directions will allow
>me to modify a cable TV box so that scrambled premium TV signals are
>descrambled and made viewable. The email states that federal law
>allows one to own such a box and thus modifying it is legal (by
inference?).
>
> I havn't viewed commercial TV for about 15 years and don't possess
>cable, satellite or antenna for reception; but the message piqued
>my curiosity. Stopped in at the local Radio Shack to ask what this
>was all about. The guy there was quite alert to the question and
>informed me as follows:
>
> "A key capacitor in the list is not available anywhere and
> it won't work even if you could find it."
>
> An interesting answer but somehow not satisfying. Without getting
>into the legality and ethic of descrambling, both interesting
>questions in their own right, is it possible to end run
>the cable TV companies? If one can do this with cable, which
>one must presumably pay for even to have it CONNECTED to the house
>for "basic" channels, how about satellite reception, which
>we can't even pay to keep OUT?
>
>Kindest Regards
>

2273. help with an ITT/triton 6366 transmitting tube

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: WebMonkey <address@below.com>
Message-ID: <36324EAA.5E47@below.com>
Source record: 128193
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

anyone have any literature for an itt/triton 6366 triode tube?
i was able to get the voltage etc. from their homepage but
would like some thoughts on the tube itself in ham applications.
anyone use one? anyone need one?

thanks
--
A.C. Curtis
KBï¿½WLF

mailto:demoman@rollanet.org
http://www.rollanet.org/~demoman

2274. WTB: UHF SABER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al <K6DJP@postoffice.pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <36325382.AC555487@postoffice.pacbell.net>
Source record: 128194
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I am looking to buy a UHF saber 3 or system saber3, must cover the 440 mhz split.Radio must be in excellent condition and have scan and have the securenet module actually installed.Do not require a battery or charger.
Thanks Al

2275. f/s ts-930at

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: w5rg@swbell.net
Message-ID: <36327015.7C48@swbell.net>
Source record: 128195

For sale a nice TS-930AT with cw filter, manual,clean radio..$600
Bob

2276. F/S TS930-AT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: w5rg@swbell.net
Message-ID: <3632706B.23B0@swbell.net>
Source record: 128196

For sale a nice clean TS-930AT has cw filter, manual...$600..
Bob

2277. Re: NEXTEL i600 for sale (Like NEW in box) $150

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jandrewsNOSPAM@slip.net
Message-ID: <jandrewsNOSPAM-2410981535180001@sf-asc1-176-177.dialup.slip.net>
Source record: 128197

In article <19981020085717.05105.00003450@ng93.aol.com>, ligosa@aol.com (LIGOSA) wrote:

> NEXTEL i600 for sale (Like NEW in box) $150
> Includes Dual slot desktop rapid charger
> Nickel metal Hydrde battery
> Papers, booklets etc. And Leather case
>
> Chris
> 718-642-1087
> ligosa@aol.com

Is this still available?

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Please be sure and remove "NOSPAM" from my address when replying!

2278. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: DavidC <davidc@bit-net.com>
Message-ID: <01bdffa0$75bcce40$0d8592d0@davidc.bit-net.com>
Source record: 128198
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

> It is my understanding that human beings can survive EMP that wipes out
> electronics. Somebody correct me if I'm wrong.
> --
> 73, Cecil, W6RCA http://people.delphi.com/CecilMoore

Perhaps initially ... but for how long before the collateral impact of the firestorms, radioactive clouds, polluted water and air, toxins released by trashed industrial sites and sewer treatment plants?
73, DavidC AA1FA

2279. Trade Wavtek 3000SS for HF VHF/UHF radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian williams <2chilly@flash.net>
Message-ID: <70tkeo$s3c$1@excalibur.flash.net>
Source record: 128199

I have a Wavetek 3000SS I would like to sell for $2550 or trade for VHF/UHF ex IC820H etc and some HF gear this is a complete communications service monitor from .1-999MHZ with spectrum analizer pwr. inverter and carring case and manuel in excellent cond. please call 713-941-6512 or e-mail to 2chilly@flash.net thanks Brian.

2280. Icom 720-A For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steven Baer <kc7flp@ricochet.net>
Message-ID: <36325D7A.3402E0E0@ricochet.net>
Source record: 128200
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.ssb,alt.ham-radio.hf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.cb

Here's an oldie but hardly used goodie I've had tucked away in my garage
- a complete HF station :

o Icom 720-A (much better than original 720) HF Rig, 100 watts, 160 thru
10 meters
o Full Coverage Receiver (0.5 - 30Mhz)
o Companion Icom PS-15 20 amp power supply
o CM-8 Desk Mike
o HAL RTTY Scope
o CW/RTTY Encode/Decoder w/Serial & TTY Output
o Original Box & Manual (purchased new in 1983)\

I'm asking only $700 + shipping for all this, and if you live in Western
Washington or the SF Bay Area, I'll deliver it to you!!

Steve Baer
KC7FLP@RICOCHET.NET
(425) 299-0025
Bellevue, WA

2281. FS B&W Coils NIB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Asp <larry.asp@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <36325B1E.4E1B@sympatico.ca>
Source record: 128201
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have a number of new in the box, or at least they sure look new, B&W Coils. These are Juniors - 10JEL,20JEL and 40JEL, Babys - 10MEL and 20MEL. Also included is an assortment of B&W Miniductor in boxes (10 of them) including #s 3006,3015,3013,3016,3001, and an Airdux 508T. Also, loose and used and will include, is a B&W20E, 80JVL, 10BVL and a 10?EL. $50.00 for the lot plus postage.

2282. Re: FT-50RD Battery questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike-M <mmorrow@companet.net>
Message-ID: <36326DD5.5F11@companet.net>
Source record: 128202

Dave Martindale wrote:

> The FBA-15 has no protective devices. They aren't really needed with
> alkaline cells, whose internal resistance limits the short-circuit
> current.

<snip>

> Finally, the voltage is lower. The FBA-15 with NiCd cells is 4.8 V,
> while the Yaesu packs are all 6 V or more. The radio works to below
> 4 V, but power will be reduced.

I've had real good luck with the rechargable alkaline cells made by Raytheon as the "Renewal" brand. In the FBA-15, you get a regular 6 volts, higher capacity over NiMH or NiCD, and defacto short circuit protection. Of course, you'll need a special charger, such as the wall charger they make for four AA cells for about $14. These cells do not like to be repeatedly deep-discharged, so recharge them before they get too low.

> MAHA makes a fast charger that can be equipped with custom cups
> for various radios, including the FT-50.

Actually, the Maha charger for the FT-50-type batteries is the MH-101-Y3, and it is custom made for those type batteries only. It seems to work reasonably well for NiCd and NiMH packs of 6, 7.2, and 9.6 volts, from 600 mA-hr to 1800 mA-hr capacity. The only problem I've had with mine is an overheating of one of the contact pins which melted the case plastic away from the pin (it's still usable). It charges a pack in 1 to 2 hours. I think it's well worth the $50 typical price, which is less than the cost of one battery pack.

73 Mike / KK5F

2283. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <363272A9.6C98@ibm.net>
Source record: 128203
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Richard Carroll wrote:
> I have seen times when a CW capability
> would have been very useful but was not available, ...

I've seen times when a helicopter capability would have
been bery useful but was not available. It's all a matter
of Return On Investment, Dick.

I've seen times when a crash helmet would have been very
useful in an automobile wreck. Why aren't you advocating
crash helmets for automobiles? That would save a heck of
a lot more lives in a year than CW ever has or will.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://people.delphi.com/CecilMoore

2284. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <36327350.1773@ibm.net>
Source record: 128204
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

DavidC wrote:
>
> > It is my understanding that human beings can survive EMP that wipes out
> > electronics. Somebody correct me if I'm wrong.
>
> Perhaps initially ... but for how long before the collateral impact of the
> firestorms, radioactive clouds, polluted water and air, toxins released by
> trashed industrial sites and sewer treatment plants?

I'm talking about atomic weapons deliberately exploded high in the
atmosphere for the purpose of knocking out most of the electronics
with EMP but sparing the population.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://people.delphi.com/CecilMoore

2285. Re: New 30 Amp Power Supply ..SOLD !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: davez <davez@ticon.net>
Message-ID: <70ts3p$3ed$1@galileo.ticon.net>
Source record: 128205
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

This Power Supply has been Sold, Thanks for the responses.

davez

davez wrote in message <70r2t1$1g8$1@galileo.ticon.net>...
>I have For Sale (one): Japan Radio Co. 12 Volt 30 Amp (max) Power Supply.
>Model Number NBD-520 . Internal voltage adjustment between approx 11.5 to
>14.4 Volts. Built to commerical standards. Two outputs (via Molex plugs).
>This is one "Very Well" made supply
>
>Purchased New and was hardly used, is in new condition. Includes the owners
>manual . Has a socket for the AC input.(power cord NOT included, uses a
>standard IEC Computer Power Cord-3 wire).
>
>Will let it go for $ 125.00 (plus 15.00 for shipping, shipping weight is
>over 10 kg's) Orginal price was close to $ 400. Sorry no COD's, and offer
>only valid in the lower 48 (USA).
>
>Thank You for taking the time to read this message.
>
>Davez
>
>

2286. Trade Pro-64 handheld scanner for TNC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Bradley S. Stone" <nb9m@reliable-net.net>
Message-ID: <70tt71kmd1@news.indy.net>
Source record: 128206

I have an excellent Pro-64 hand-held, 400 channel scanner in the original box that I would like to trade for a good TNC that I can dedicate to APRS. The owners and tech manual go with it. Please reply directly; remove "NOSPAM" if you see it in my e-mail address.
Thanks,
Brad, NB9M
Hallicrafters Collectors Association webmaster: www.qsl.net/hca/Default.htm

2287. Re: TEN-TEC SCOUT 555

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Bradley S. Stone" <nb9m@reliable-net.net>
Message-ID: <70ttmbknb1@news.indy.net>
Source record: 128207

I couldn't help but comment on the Scout. I used it during the last field day, and don't understand all the "hubub" about this little plastiky, stripped-down radio. I thought the days of plug-in bandswitching went away with the National HRO! The receiver was OK, but certainly not any better than the nearby Yaesu 757. Image rejection was poor.

For over 500 bucks, one could do better with a used Kenwood or Icom. Or better yet, a good used Hallicrafters :)
-Brad, NB9M
Hallicrafters Collectors Association webmaster, www.qsl.net/hca/Default.htm

2288. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <363283E7.1D3@ibm.net>
Source record: 128208
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Bill, KD0HG wrote:
> As I previously mentioned, with the small practical difference, if that SSB
> signal is even minimally below the noise level, CW won't work, either. You're
> grasping at extremely isolated instances.

There is a window between CW not working and SSB working that is probably
about 20dB wide, maybe 3-4 'S' units. About the only time one sees that
window is when SSB fades and CW is still copyable. Realistically, picking
a random time and frequency, both modes usually either get through or both
modes do not get through. But if one really searches for it, one can usually
find a frequency/condition combination where CW gets through at a power level
where SSB fails. I agree with you that it is not dependable/predictable.
I agree with Dick et.al. that it can happen.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://people.delphi.com/CecilMoore

2289. Re: Ebay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOHN WARD <HITECH@EROLS.COM>
Message-ID: <70u0kb$g8r$1@autumn.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 128209

you know I agree with you I agree with you I agree to purchase things from them but after checking the prices they were outrageous so I refuse to waste hard earn money on ebay.
Tom wrote in message <362D2433.4FC9C795@bellatlantic.net>...
>I have to agree ebay is usually more of a hassle for buying radio
>equipment. I have seen items on there for sale which are used and they are
>being bought for more than a new one! That is absurd just because someone
>may not know where to find it cheaper. I like these newsgroups as far as
>buying goes I havent been bit yet. Bottom line is if you have something
>for sale and you want top dollar.
>If you just want to move it on put it here so another Ham can enjoy it.
>
>My 2 cents
>Tom
>kc2aok
>
>remarsh@juno.com wrote:
>
>> On 20 Oct 1998 15:44:37 GMT, "guy quartarone" <guyq@worldnet.att.net>
>> wrote:
>>
>> >I too have had a bad experience with ebay. Its not worth the hassle
>> >
>> >
>> the prices are WAY OUTA LINE!!!!!
>> go to a good hamfest much much cheaper..
>> remarsh@juno.com
>
>
>

2290. Re: F/S TS930-AT sold

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: w5rg@swbell.net
Message-ID: <3632A2F9.6E45@swbell.net>
Source record: 128210

w5rg@swbell.net wrote:
>
> For sale a nice clean TS-930AT has cw filter, manual...$600..
> BobThe rig has been sold...Thanks

2291. Re: FS Kenwood MC-80

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Peter F. Christensen" <christep@cadvision.com>
Message-ID: <3632A2EB.5F79@cadvision.com>
Source record: 128211

Peter F. Christensen wrote:
>
> The original purchaser changed his mind so again I have the MC-80 for
> sale. It is from a silent key's estate and it is in excellent
> condition. The price is $50.00 US plus shipping costs,
> Please contact Peter Christensen at christep@cadvision.com
> Thank you. Peter.
The MC-80 is sold. Thank you. Peter

2292. Re: FS: Icom Headset

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Louis Bybee <louisb@datacomm.com>
Message-ID: <3632966D.8727F9B0@datacomm.com>
Source record: 128212

For sale, one Icom HS-60 Handie Talkie Head Set. Will fit the following radios.

2SRA, D1A, W2A, X2A, and 4SRA.

This unit is new, still in blister pack.

I will sell it for $50 shipped in CONUS.

Please EMAIL for further details if interested.

Louis

2293. FS: DENTRON DTR1200L Linear Amplifier

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: gataibo@webtv.net
Message-ID: <1795-36328CB6-73@newsd-154.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 128213

Dentron DTR-1200L 1200 Watt Linear Amplfier
PRICE: $165 + shipping

E-mail or call (213)851-8844

Randy Nachtrieb
WA6GJA

2294. Yaesu FT-100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan Elekman <elekman@interaccess.com>
Message-ID: <70u5np$66p$1@supernews.com>
Source record: 128214

I understand that the Yaesu FT-100 will be available for sale in November.
Does anybody know if ICOM is going to release an IC-706 mark III that will
compete with this radio?

Thanks,
Dan AA9NK

2295. Re: Descrambling TV

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob <qrmbdiaz@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <36329E2E.189C@pacbell.net>
Source record: 128215

btslfke@poboxes.com wrote:
>
> Hello:
>
> I recently received a spam email suggesting that I send $5 for
> an "internet guide to cable descrambling" together with a
> "radio shack parts list" for $12 in parts.
> According th the sender these parts and directions will allow
> me to modify a cable TV box so that scrambled premium TV signals are
> descrambled and made viewable. The email states that federal law
> allows one to own such a box and thus modifying it is legal (by inference?).

<<Some things cut to save space.>>

I also receive SPAM emails telling me that their marketing systems are 100%
legal. (No, their chain-letter systems are NOT legal.) Telling you
someting is legal doesn't make it legal.

The system would work IF the cable is using a very simple form of
scrambleing the signal. However most cable companies are using
a more complex system.

Even if you purchased a black box that could decode the siganl:

(1) At a minimum you need basic cable.

(2) It is NOT legal.

While it's hard for the cable companies to track you down,
some common ways they find out are:

Have the "Black Box" box company busted and go through all
their sales records.

Send a signal to all the legal cable boxes to blank the
signal for 30 seconds. Then air a "FREE GIVE-AWAY" if
you call this (800) number. Guess what, the dumb Bozos
who call the number give their mailing addres to receive
whatever give away. The free give away doesn't
come, but a nasty letter from the cable company's
legal department does come. If you think about it, only
those with boot-leg boxes can see this 30 second spot.

2296. Signal Corps Model 19 Mk II

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: howardg@mail.pacifier.com
Message-ID: <3632b824.0@news.pacifier.com>
Source record: 128216

I am restoring one of the above units, and need a schematic. (Parts would be nice too, but this is a lot to hope for...)

This is a radio set that (I believe) was originally used in Sherman tanks. It consists of a dual transciever, 2 - 8MHZ and 220 MHZ, and intercom support.

If you have such a schematic, I would be eternally grateful for a copy.

Please answer via email. I virtually never have a chance to read this news group.

Howard Goetz
11145 SW 114 pl
Tigard, Oregon 97223
howardg@pacifier.com

Thanks!
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2297. FS: HP Vector Network Analyzer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: xchen@mach1.wlu.ca
Message-ID: <F1CvF3.AuL@info.uucp>
Source record: 128217

Dear Sir

We have a HP8714B Vector Network Analyzer(300K--3GHz) for sale. This new looking analyzer has 18 months old and very seldom being used. It is with full manuals and 100 option of fualt/error self-detection installed. We are asking for the lovely machine US$13,500, shipping is not included, or make your best offer. We are upgrading all equipments so deciding to sell the unit. Please reply if you are looking for these test equipment.

Sincerely

John
Tel:519-894-3489
Fax:519-894-4534
Email:xchen@superpass.com or xchen@mach1.wlu.ca

2298. FS: Glen Martin Roof Tower + More.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: ^Fretts <n2rif@kwiknet.net>
Message-ID: <rFjY1.998$P3.1993@news14.ispnews.com>
Source record: 128235
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap
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4Sale "Glen Martin Roof Tower, Thrust Bearing & Heavy Duty!"
Aluminum Mast Price & Specs New from Glen Martin are below:
#1; New Glen Martin Roof Tower, Specs & Price...
Model: RT-424, Height: 4.5', Shelf to top: 34.75, Base width 24",
Max Ant. in sq ft @ 87mph@6 / 100mph @4.5 / 112mph @3.6,
Max Ant load: 100lbs Weight: 18lbs Price: $162.00+ Shipping
#2; New Glen Martin Heavy Duty Thrust Bearing, Specs & Price...
Thrust Bearing for rotating setups, premium quality, weatherized
twin bearing for 1.3 to 2.6 mast diameters. TB-25 Price: $89.95
#3; Glen Martin Heavy Duty Aluminum Mast, Specs & Price...
MA-2069 106" X 2.375" OD ,.145 wall aluminum hvy duty 12 lbs
$108.00 New Price for all $359.95 + Shipping and Un-Assembled.
Everything is like new and completely assembled. Asking $240/obo.
Must Pickup! Qth Burlington, NJ. I'm about 10 miles S. of Trenton
& 6 miles N.E. Of Phila, Pa.. Email or Call 609-386-9382 Or
if busy Call: 609-386-3272 {afternoon's only please!!}
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"please remove knowspam to reply"

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2299. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Lewis <aa4pb@erols.com>
Message-ID: <3631C846.7720ADD@erols.com>
Source record: 128236
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

> BTW: Must we not assume that the operator is less resiliant than the rig?
> Is there not a several hundred mile minimum before the rig will have a
> living operator ... especially within a few days?

Now I suppose if one were really up on technology he would have a rig that
would key up on its own after the attact and send SOS so no living operator
would be needed. :-)

2300. ICu2AT Info needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: frunner@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <3634c81c.939130@news.ios.com>
Source record: 128237

Misplaced my manual and I wonder if anyone can tell me the dip switch settings to have the radio send 67.0 hz tone?
Thanks

Bob, WA2SQQ

2301. FS HP SIG GENERATOR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: KB6LUE <kb6lue@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <36324476.618B@pacbell.net>
Source record: 128238

FOR SALE
1:HP8640B OPT 3 Good working $525 Shipped.
2:HP8640B OPT 1 2 3 Good working $950 Shipped.
3:8660C Synthesized signal generator
86635A Modulation section
86603A RF section 1-2600Mhz. Have manual. Good working. $1200 Shipped.

2302. Re: FT-840

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Clarke <w2blc599@radiolink.net>
Message-ID: <3631c965.0@news3.ibm.net>
Source record: 128239

Unless someone has been inside the 840, I doubt if there is an internal problem. My experience is that the 840 is a simple, bullet proof, reliable rig. Might recommend a look at what mike is being used with it.

--
Bill Clarke W2BLC
W2BLC@radiolink.net

2303. Wtb ten tec 234 speech processor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: rhka0fbj@netins.net
Message-ID: <70shs6$2h2$1@ins8.netins.net>
Source record: 128240
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Cul8r

Robert Hull rhka0fbj@netins.net KA0FBJ

Want to help stop Spam? (also known as UNSOLICITED COMMERCIAL E-MAIL)
Support the Anti-Spam Amendment. Join at http://www.cauce.org/

Net-Tamer V 1.10 - Test Drive

2304. Re: D104 replacement cartridges

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3631CDD4.4395@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 128241

Lordell wrote:
>
> Hi Group,
>
> Does anyone know of a source or sources for D104 microphone cartridges?
> I believe the ceramic ones are the most rugged.
>
> 73---Joe---W1PNH

Hi Joe -- try URL:
http://www.ctiaudio.com/

And
http://www.durhamradio.ca/index.htm

Two dealers that may help.

73
Rod in San Diego
--
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FEATURING 88 PAGES AND 3000 LINKS
Over 200,000 visits on the counter
http://www.ac6v.com/pageas.html -- Alphabetical Index
http://www.ac6v.com/ -- Home Page

2305. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <3631CDC9.7EBA@ibm.net>
Source record: 128242
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

No One wrote:
> We were very fortunate that the Hurricane did not hit this area. However,
> ham radio was and will remain an integral part of our Hurricane plans.

Was/is CW an integral part of your Hurricane plans?
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://people.delphi.com/CecilMoore

2306. WTB: TS-830S, non-working

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3bj@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <70snaf$59c$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128243
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchor

Wanted: Non-working or "problem unit" Kenwood TS-830S. Need intact unit to resurrect old friend's unit that has several problems. Any help would be appreciated. Had one located and fellow decided to keep for future project.

Thanks,

Alan, N3BJ

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2307. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa8ulx@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981024095112.29495.00000151@ngol08.aol.com>
Source record: 128244

In article <3631CDC9.7EBA@ibm.net>, W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net> writes:

>Was/is CW an integral part of your Hurricane plans?
>--

It was in La when georges came thru, Repeaters down, no internet service, and Batteries dont last long when using enough power to be heard when using SSB rig.

2308. Re: FS Yaesu VX1R Handheld

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: bobar8@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981024095722.12100.00000463@ng107.aol.com>
Source record: 128245

IF I RECALL CORRECTLY,THATS ABOUT
$300.00 U.S. YOU CAN BUY A NEW ONE FOR $230.00 U.S.

2309. FOR SALE 800 (NO GAPS) SCANNER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: bobar8@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981024100329.12100.00000466@ng107.aol.com>
Source record: 128246

I'M A HAM OPERATOR, AND HAVE TO MANY HANDHELDS, NEED TO GET
RID OF A SCANNER I HAVE. ITS A AOR AR880 (CIRCA 1992) IT DOES FULL
800 MHZ (NO GAPS) ITS PERFECT W/ BOX, MANUAL, ANT, STEEL BELT CLIP
W/ SCREWS. ILL LET IT GO FOR A BARGAIN PRICE OF :

$125.00
E-MAIL ME AT BOBAR8@AOL.COM

2310. FS: Panasonic BQ-4C Battery Charger

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tony Heatwole <heatwole@shell.clark.net>
Message-ID: <70snvbdfd16@clarknet.clark.net>
Source record: 128247

Hello. I have a Panasonic BQ-4C AA/D battery charger for sale. The price is $10 plus shipping. The unit works 100% and is a 9/10 cosmetically. It has the AC cord and charging lights. It can charge up to 10 batteries at one time. Please e-mail if interested. Trades considered. Thanks a lot for reading.

Nat Heatwole
heatwole@clark.net
KB3CBW, General

2311. Re: HTX202 er1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Merrill <jmerril1@twcny.rr.com>
Message-ID: <4dlY1.131$n7.561584@newse1.twcny.rr.com>
Source record: 128248

Tom:

Thanks. The radio is alive again.

73,
John N1JM
Tom@astro.net wrote in message <70rb43$li5$1@supernews.com>...
>In article <zv9Y1.80$n7.180671@newse1.twcny.rr.com>, "John Merrill"
<jmerril1@twcny.rr.com> wrote:
>>I think this has been asked before but what does er1 indicate?
>>
>>John N1JM
>
> Internal Ram error. "Er1 indicates the transciever has detected an error
in
>it's battery-backed up option memory". Caused by a low lithium battery, but
>can be casued by a shock or physical shock. To clear, reset by turning off
the
>HT, hold down F+D while turning the HT back on. This will clear and
>reintialize the memory.
>
>73,
>Tom
>
>
>
> Remove the "P" from the below address (spam blocker)
>
> Tom Randall Amateur Radio - KB2SMS
> Mt. Beacon Amateur Radio Club / ARRL / 10-10
> tprandall@idsi.net QRV on 6m on 50.125 or 52.525 from FN31
> Member: AAVSO Solar Division
>
> My Astronomy/Ham radio site: http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html
>
> Opinions herein are mine and may not be that of Idsi.Net!

2312. Re: IC-Q7A Need Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb0vof@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <70ssj8$c1r$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128249

In article <70s8ku$m42$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
eric_fre@hotmail.com wrote:
> Yea the mods been out for about 3-4 months now I.
> I've had the radio for about 6 months and I posted the mods I found (complete)
> in late july I think so do a search for my entries in the Dejanews Archeive.

Thanks, Eric. Mine did MARS/CAP (140-150) right out of the box. There must
be different versions. Perhaps there'll be a software mod (like the VX-1R)
when RT Systems finally delivers to Icom...I'd like to see receive down to
500KHz like the R-2, too. 73 Gerry KB0VOF

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2313. FS: Kenwood YK-88C, YK-88SN

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3bj@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <70sten$d78$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128250
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchor

For Sale:

Kenwood YK-88C and YK-88SN filters for lots of the Kenwoods of past days.

$53 EA shipped or $103 shipped for both.

Alan, N3BJ

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2314. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Carroll <w0ex@scan.missouri.org>
Message-ID: <70sr0t$73u$0@208.207.71.174>
Source record: 128251
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

W6RCecilA wrote:
>
> No One wrote:
> > We were very fortunate that the Hurricane did not hit this area. However,
> > ham radio was and will remain an integral part of our Hurricane plans.
>
> Was/is CW an integral part of your Hurricane plans?

Cecil, Cecil!! No advance planning is ever needed to
substitute CW for SSB as long as operators on each end KNOW
and can USE CW!
All that is required is that all parties know that when
conditions get so poor that SSB no longer is readable, they
automatically switch to CW on the same frequency, and
continue on until conditions improve enough to resume SSB
contact. It is even possible that one station can copy the
other on SSB, while the weaker must send on CW to be heard.

What requires such intensive "Integral" planning??? Answer:
NOTHING! The only requirement is that operators be able to
actually send and receive CW. I know, that flies in the face
of the No Code Agenda, but it's still a fact of life.

Dick W0EX, FISTS #3939

2315. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Carroll <w0ex@scan.missouri.org>
Message-ID: <70sr7t$7fv$0@208.207.71.174>
Source record: 128252
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Bob Lewis wrote:
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> > BTW: Must we not assume that the operator is less resiliant than the rig?
> > Is there not a several hundred mile minimum before the rig will have a
> > living operator ... especially within a few days?
>
> Now I suppose if one were really up on technology he would have a rig that
> would key up on its own after the attact and send SOS so no living operator
> would be needed. :-)

Ah, Yes! Send help, we're all expired but our automated
digi whizzy gear doesn't know it! You got it!

Dick C

2316. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <3631F1FB.34A7@ibm.net>
Source record: 128253
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Richard Carroll wrote:
>
> Bob Lewis wrote:
> >
> > > BTW: Must we not assume that the operator is less resiliant than the rig?
> > > Is there not a several hundred mile minimum before the rig will have a
> > > living operator ... especially within a few days?
> >
> > Now I suppose if one were really up on technology he would have a rig that
> > would key up on its own after the attact and send SOS so no living operator
> > would be needed. :-)
>
> Ah, Yes! Send help, we're all expired but our automated
> digi whizzy gear doesn't know it! You got it!

More likely, our great CW operator, the one who was going to save his
numerous loved ones from the disaster, is the only one who expired in the
disaster and left everyone else untrained in the emergency use of his
SSB/FM transceivers.
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73, Cecil, W6RCA http://people.delphi.com/CecilMoore

2317. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: temporarily@dimensional.com
Message-ID: <3633f10e.748464605@news.frii.com>
Source record: 128254
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On 24 Oct 1998 15:16:45 GMT, Richard Carroll <w0ex@scan.missouri.org> wrote:

>All that is required is that all parties know that when
>conditions get so poor that SSB no longer is readable, they
>automatically switch to CW on the same frequency, and
>continue on until conditions improve enough to resume SSB
>contact.

Puuhleeze!. After 30+ years of hamming on HF through weak signal VHF work, I've found for all practical purposes, within maybe 3 db, SSB "gets through" as well as CW.
If propagation on a band goes out, you ain't gonna get through on CW *or* SSB. The common sense thing to do is to QSY or change bands. Not switch in 200 HZ filters, put the headphones on, and try to find a marginal CW signal buried in the noise. No one has bothered explaining why the simple expedient of a frequency change cannot be accomplished, or why a clear frequency can't be found in the case of a bona-fide emergency. And we're not living in an era where Joe Ham uses crystal control and AM for voice transmission, in case you've haven't checked lately.

As much as I support and use CW, I wish you FISTS guys would drop this ludicrous claim. You're embarrasing yourselves.

-BK
Ft. Collins

2318. STANDARD C110 !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cees B <pa3fce@bigfoot.com>
Message-ID: <909243771.511596@samba.news.big-orange.net>
Source record: 128255

Hello there,

I am looking for a Power-Pack for the Standard 110 2 m portable !!
If you know or have something Please let me know !!

73'ssssssss <> PA3FCE <> Cees

2319. WTB: Manual for URM-25D Sig Gen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gene Holcombe <n5zdf@netdoor.com>
Message-ID: <vBmY1.474$b53.3480@axe.netdoor.com>
Source record: 128256

Need manual either original or copy.

Gene N5ZDF

2320. FS: CUSHMAN CE-3 SERVICE MONITOR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: DALE EATON <rapidcomm@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01bdff68$4dcb6960$3f92480c@fff>
Source record: 128257

I purchased a Cushman CE-3 service monitor for a friend at the Flagstaff swap meet two (2) years ago. He decided he didn't want it after I purchased it and I don't need one. I paid $ 400.00 for it and would like to sell it for the same. Make me an offer if you think I'm too high. (520) 623-3100

2321. FS: DECIBEL DP125C 850-960 POWER AMPS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: DALE EATON <rapidcomm@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01bdff68$c33a4720$3f92480c@fff>
Source record: 128258

I still have two of these power amps available. | am asking $ 750.00. The specs are as follows: 1 watt in, 125 watts out, 19 to 28 VDC @ 15 amps. These are "new" never used units. (520) 623-3100

2322. Kenwood AT-50 Automatic antenna tuner for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: qin2@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981024122520.12584.00000770@ng85.aol.com>
Source record: 128259

Kenwood AT-50 Automatic antenna tuner for Kenwood TS-50. Perfect condition with all original paperwork , packing , cables and box . Used 3 times. $250 firm. Includes shipping . Rob KB2VX

2323. Re: Assorted parts. Morese key, : J:38 sold

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Pedersen <n7bhc@gateway.net>
Message-ID: <70t03ousn1@server2.wans.net>
Source record: 128260
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

The J-38 has been sold. Thanks to all who responded.

Dave Pedersen wrote in message <70qdm5$h2r$1@server2.wans.net>...
>For Sale: Assorted general parts
>Morse key J-38 $3
>Diodes, High current. Westinghouse 1760-8936-6904 (2)
>GE 1780-8759-7739 (1)
>GE 1780-8767-7739(1) $3 all
>Fluke 27 case. Hard, with space for accessories. $10
>Aluminum cabibnets. Extrremely strong, RF gasket front and rear. 14.5&#65533;
/14.5&#65533;
>/15.5&#65533; hwd. $10 each
>Gas Regulator by Victor Equipment Co, with high (0-4000psi) and low (0-30
>psi) pressure guages $20
>
>Dave N7BHc
>n7bhc@gateway.net
>
>
>

2324. Re: ATU Parts Sold

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Pedersen <n7bhc@gateway.net>
Message-ID: <70svojurh1@server2.wans.net>
Source record: 128261
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Thanks to all who responded to the ad. The ATU items have been sold.

2325. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Carroll <w0ex@scan.missouri.org>
Message-ID: <70t1cv$hr6$0@208.207.71.174>
Source record: 128262
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

"Bill, KD0HG" wrote:
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> On 24 Oct 1998 15:16:45 GMT, Richard Carroll <w0ex@scan.missouri.org> wrote:
>
> >All that is required is that all parties know that when
> >conditions get so poor that SSB no longer is readable, they
> >automatically switch to CW on the same frequency, and
> >continue on until conditions improve enough to resume SSB
> >contact.
>
> Puuhleeze!. After 30+ years of hamming on HF through weak signal VHF work,
> I've found for all practical purposes, within maybe 3 db, SSB "gets through"
> as well as CW.

Puuhleeze! Only 3dB? Not significant or perhaps enough to
make the difference?

> If propagation on a band goes out, you ain't gonna get through on CW *or* SSB.
> The common sense thing to do is to QSY or change bands.

Absolutely, that's why most emergency situations demand
frequencies be set aside on both 40 and 75 meters-as is now
the case in Texas. BUT---let's just say that stormy
conditions are causing +20 dB static levels on 75, and
you're set up on 40 operating with emergency gear, low
power, static is no bargain here either, and conditions
fade.... You gonna just drop down to 75 when it gets rough
on 40? Think this doesn't happen? I'm afraid you've just
joined the 'No Problems' club.

Not switch in 200 HZ
> filters, put the headphones on, and try to find a marginal CW signal buried in
> the noise. No one has bothered explaining why the simple expedient of a
> frequency change cannot be accomplished, or why a clear frequency can't be
> found in the case of a bona-fide emergency.

Hey, you do whatever you can to make it work, of course.
But if you've never experienced situations where a mere
change of bands or frequencies won't do it, your 30 years
experience was somewhat limited. And what if one station
CAN'T change bands?

And we're not living in an era
> where Joe Ham uses crystal control and AM for voice transmission, in case
> you've haven't checked lately.

Well I *have* checked, and I'm not a backward "boatanchor"
maven-though I do have some of that type gear available. I
totally support using the best advanced modes and gear that
are available. That, I fear, is the problem. Not that many
HF hams have available these late modes, and contrary to all
the extensive claims from the theorists posting here, all is
NOT simple and so straighforward in the digital
communications world as it applies to ham radio.
My interest is to see that the code requirement is not
just dumped as "no longer of any communications value", as
so many no-coders insist. What's yours?

>
> As much as I support and use CW, I wish you FISTS guys would drop this
> ludicrous claim. You're embarrasing yourselves.

You don't suppose this reveals any shortcomings on your
part in the area of emergency communicatisons do you?? I'm
not embarassed that I have seen times when a CW capability
would have been very useful but was not available, nor by
the fact that I feel the need to point out that it is sure
to happen again.

Besides that, I only joined FISTS after I realized just
how much misinformation was being shoveled onto RRAP by
no-coders -exactly one year ago, in fact. My postion does
not represent that of the FISTS organization, and I will
refrain from posting my FISTS membership number so that you
will not be further confused by it.

Go play with your boatanchors.

Dick C

>
> -BK
> Ft. Collins

You must move around a lot--one time you're in Denver, next
in some other Colorado town, now in Ft Collins!

2326. For-Sale: TS-450S/AT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: KB0DSW <therrod@ndak.net>
Message-ID: <36320DB7.B43005C1@ndak.net>
Source record: 128263

Hello all,

I have a "MINT" Kenwood TS-450S/AT For Sale.
Never been mobile, and I have all the manuals
and boxes. It is also "MODIFIED" for "MARS" &
other Out of Band Frequencies.

Starting bids at: $900.00 FIRM.

An outstanding General Coverage Mobile/Base
rig with punch! [150 watts(+) SSB p.e.p.!]

All Digital with DSP support!

(Receive) : 30 kHz - 40 MHz
(Transmit) : 1.705.01KHz - 29.999.99MHz

Excellent for "MARS"/"Emergency Response"!

If you ever owned the TS-440S, you will Love this
rig! Contact:

KB0DSW
(701)-852-2587 or REPLY via E-Mail

Thanks in advance for reading this.....73's!

*** end of file ***

2327. Re: Motrola Radius

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Leong KC6IJM <seleong@gte.net>
Message-ID: <70t2t1$fn5$1@news-1.news.gte.net>
Source record: 128264

Hello Dave!

Please let me know if you get any replies. I have run into the same problem. I was told that there is some way to retune but it may require a service monitor.

Steve KC6IJM

David R. Hubbell wrote in message <3630F540.63CC@ptdprolog.net>...
>I have a Motorola Radius 208/6 60w low band mobile radio. I would like
>to modify the radio for use on the 6m band. I have changed the freqs. in
>the radio to the desired repeater freqs. but get a message on the
>software that the radio needs to be retuned. Has anyone made the
>necessary mods to the radio and if so youd you please respond here and
>by email to hubbell@ptdprolog.net
>Thanks Dave Hubbell N2KTO

2328. FS Dow Key relay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Asp <larry.asp@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <36320E44.6FC2@sympatico.ca>
Source record: 128265
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,

Dow Key coaxial relay, DK60 type with 6VAC relay coil. $20.00 plus postage.

2329. Re: IC-Q7A Need Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryng@ibm.net
Message-ID: <70t8cb$q76$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128266

In article <70p2mm$hr6$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
kb0vof@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> In article <36213962.4798E10D@nwlink.com>,
> Bruce A Shurtz <boingo1@nwlink.com> wrote:

... Incidentally, Icom and RT Systems, the software
> developer, are coming out with software for programming the Q7 and the
> yet-to-be-released R-2.
>
>

I hope your correct about being able to program the Q7 via a computer.
However, about a month ago I was talking to one of the Icom techs in
Washinton that has been around for a long time. He stated that the hardware
for a computer interface simply does not exist in the Q7. He was very
definite in his tone of voice and I dont believe there was anything to read
between the lines.

Barry N4IFE

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2330. WS-1000 hidden funtions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nicolas Seriot <nseriot@span.ch>
Message-ID: <363211E7.77349567@span.ch>
Source record: 128267

Please do somebody know something about WS-1000 hiden functions? If yes,

please send me the answer and especially what is the fifth secret
function name uSER used to, at

nseriot@hotmail.com

Thanks a lot

2331. Ten-tec 555 - Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Williams <ve7asr@islandnet.com>
Message-ID: <70t6j5$52s$1@news.islandnet.com>
Source record: 128268

I have recently acquired a Ten-tec 555 with 6 modules (80m through 15m) and the reports on all bands have been excellent. However, on the 2 upper frequencies 17 m and 15 m I cannot trigger the ALC indicator. On all other bands it is easily adjustable.

Any help would be appreciated.

Thanks in advance. 73 de Rick VE7ASR

2332. New FT-90

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: tuomi@sci.fi
Message-ID: <70t6hrbjg1@tron.sci.fi>
Source record: 128269

Does anyone know if the front panel of FT-90 is QUICKLY removable ?
When using remote kit which I suppose will be available.
I mean, that is it easy to take it away when leaving the car ?
(IC-207 has removable front panel but it needs some screws to uninstall... :)
I need it for thief protection.

And how about scanning speeds and memories, AM reception, any info ?
(I cannot understand those Japanese www pages...)

Pasi, oh2nps

2333. Re: Motrola Radius

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tony Szablowski <aszablowski@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <70t6u9$mn8@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 128270

David R. Hubbell wrote in message <3630F540.63CC@ptdprolog.net>...
>I have a Motorola Radius 208/6 60w low band mobile radio. I would
>like to modify the radio for use on the 6m band. I have changed the
>freqs. in the radio to the desired repeater freqs. but get a message
>on the software that the radio needs to be retuned. Has anyone >made
the necessary mods to the radio and if so youd you please >respond
here and by email to hubbell@ptdprolog.net

Dave, check out Batwing's site. This guy has got all sorts of info on
Motorola radios, such as maximizing # of channels, out-of-band-tuning,
etc.. His site is at www.batlabs.com. If you can't find the info
you need on his site, email him and though he sometimes takes a while
to get back to you, he usually responds to any questions. Good luck!
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Regards,
Tony

2334. EMP pulse wave?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gareth Crispell <gareth@capecod.net>
Message-ID: <363223C6.90A76E57@capecod.net>
Source record: 128271
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Would a nuclear driven EMP pulse wave shut down all these modern CPU
enhanced rigs? I think maybe the old glass rigs would fare better.

de ... N1MSV gary

Gareth http://www.capecod.net/~gareth

.....at the dawn of the New Age of Man,
they will abide with us.
Their glory and fire will burn like
sparks among the stubble!

2335. FS: National rack mount power supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: WA1DCP <vital@gate.net>
Message-ID: <01bdff86$5c670d80$0dadb5cd@jer>
Source record: 128272
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

National type CNA-20090 rack mount power supply 6.2v @ 3.4 amps & 240v dc @
70ma weight 22lbs
was used with a HRO5 ? $75 obo
Thanks Port
Please respond to all email at vital@gate.net
Email is not checked daily!

2336. Motorola F/S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: lcifelli@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981024155302.19500.00000621@ng-fb1.aol.com>
Source record: 128273

I have the following items available for sale

(1) Radius P100 w/ charger (2 batteries are old) $100
2 Freq Hi/Lo pwr

(1) HT-440 w/ charger (batt holds charge) $65
Spkr/ Mic w/ clip NMN6094A
4 ch
I have 5 batt cases for the HT440, the batts. are dead but the cases can be rebuilt, Iï¿½ll toss those in if anyone is interested

(1) GP350 UHF compact 2ch $240
(1) SP50 UHF w/ boom mike & chgr $200
2 ch

(2) Motorola Rapid Charger NLN7646A $20
(HT90/HT440)

(1) Spkr/ Mic w/ clip NMN6094A $20
(HT90/HT440)

Radios are in good clean working condition, I prefer M.O. or cashiers check.
Buyer pays shipping

(1) Megahertz 14.4 Fax/modem PCMCIA card $25

(1) PreMax 14.4 Fax/modem PCMCIA card $25

(1) Sharp PC4501 laptop dos based (not Windows) $100
720kb floppy drives
Internal Modem
CRT port
Parallel port

2337. Re: Dear Bored of YOUR BULL: I CONFESS !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bruce Starr <BassStar@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3632319D.B4947FC4@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 128274
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

"Hobby" so I was tired and hit a wrong key. It still true if the IRS determines that your business is a hobby then all the deductions will be disallowed. Now do you really want the IRS to have a post from you where you declare that your "Business" is a hobby? You should be careful what you say when in the open.

djw@unlinfo.unl.edu wrote:

> On Thu, 22 Oct 1998 18:53:17 -0700, Bruce Starr
> <BassStar@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
>
> >Did you really want to tell the IRS that this is a hooby not a business?
>
> What's a "hooby"?
>
> And stop overquoting!

2338. FS: Heath Monitor Scope

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: WA1DCP <vital@gate.net>
Message-ID: <01bdff8a$1f87b8c0$0dadb5cd@jer>
Source record: 128275
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

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Heath HO-10 Monitor scope in good shape..$100
Thanks Port
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Please reply to email at vital@gate.net
Email is not checked daily
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2339. FS case for 516F2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: WA1DCP <vital@gate.net>
Message-ID: <01bdff8b$b6a8e160$0dadb5cd@jer>
Source record: 128276
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

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FS VG case for a 516F2 WE photo at http://www.gate.net/~vital/Collins.jpg
$100
Thanks Port
--
Please reply to email at vital@gate.net
Email is not checked daily
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2340. FS HT32 xmitter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: WA1DCP <vital@gate.net>
Message-ID: <01bdff8c$29d57040$0dadb5cd@jer>
Source record: 128277
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

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FS HT32 transmitter in restorable condition , photo at
http://www.gate.net/~vital/HT32.JPG
$115 obo plus shipping.
Thanks Port
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Please reply to email at vital@gate.net
Email is not checked daily
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2341. Re: FS case for 516F2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: WA1DCP <vital@gate.net>
Message-ID: <01bdff8c$875d87c0$0dadb5cd@jer>
Source record: 128278
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

Correct URL http://www.gate.net/~vital/Collins.JPG

2342. Descrambling TV

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: btslfke@poboxes.com
Message-ID: <70tcks$p03@zook.lafn.org>
Source record: 128279

Hello:

As a fellow-travelling-but-inactive ham I have a question which is
not core ham activity but I hope folks here will give a shot.

I recently received a spam email suggesting that I send $5 for
an "internet guide to cable descrambling" together with a
"radio shack parts list" for $12 in parts.
According th the sender these parts and directions will allow
me to modify a cable TV box so that scrambled premium TV signals are
descrambled and made viewable. The email states that federal law
allows one to own such a box and thus modifying it is legal (by inference?).

I havn't viewed commercial TV for about 15 years and don't possess
cable, satellite or antenna for reception; but the message piqued
my curiosity. Stopped in at the local Radio Shack to ask what this
was all about. The guy there was quite alert to the question and
informed me as follows:

"A key capacitor in the list is not available anywhere and
it won't work even if you could find it."

An interesting answer but somehow not satisfying. Without getting
into the legality and ethic of descrambling, both interesting
questions in their own right, is it possible to end run
the cable TV companies? If one can do this with cable, which
one must presumably pay for even to have it CONNECTED to the house
for "basic" channels, how about satellite reception, which
we can't even pay to keep OUT?

Kindest Regards

2343. Swan250 SOLD!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Steven D. Desmarais" <n1ibcsteve@edgenet.net>
Message-ID: <36324083.5DFB45B9@edgenet.net>
Source record: 128280
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.misc,rec.radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

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This radio has been sold. Thanks to all
that inquired. Steve.N1IBC...
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2344. U want prices? Here they R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiobufff@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981024170720.11580.00000354@ng-fa1.aol.com>
Source record: 128281

http://www.aesham.com/newprice.txt

Radio in the Bufff
Co-ed Naked Radio
Support your local Oscillator

2345. NEW Kenwood Dualband handheld 2m/70cm with TNC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: TELCOM-GmbH.HV@t-online.de
Message-ID: <70tdkofdc1@news00.btx.dtag.de>
Source record: 128282

Hello Kenwood users,
here you can see the first picture of kenwood`s new dualband handheld
with included TNC for 1200 and 9600 Bd. Also the small transceiver
includs the GPS connection. More details soon...

http://www.telcom-gmbh.com/news.htm

enjoy it.... Best wishes from Germany

2346. Re: FS HT32 xmitter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: WA1DCP <vital@gate.net>
Message-ID: <01bdff92$048d0220$0dadb5cd@jer>
Source record: 128283
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

Sorry typo HT37

2347. FS Heathkit Twoer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Asp <larry.asp@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <36324412.13AB@sympatico.ca>
Source record: 128284
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Benton Harbor lunchbox. Heathkit Twoer, nice condition. This set would be as nice as you could find anywhere for its appearance, etc. EXCEPT - a small slide switch has been mounted on the front panel in the upper left hand corner. Knobs are original. $20.00 plus shipping.

2348. Re: FREE tower

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Donald H. Davis" <donalddavis@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <70r81c$5b9@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 128317

is it down?? how long are the sections??
Tim Lavarnway wrote in message <363116BE.45D2A638@nt.com>...
>Sorry, The tower is located in Raleigh, NC
>
>Tim Lavarnway wrote:
>>
>> 70' tower free to whom ever wants it.

2349. Re: IC-756 Tuning Direction

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark_Erbaugh@compuserve.com
Message-ID: <363423c7.48163858@news2.infinet.com>
Source record: 128318

On Fri, 23 Oct 1998 07:12:42 -0700, "Devon G. Crowe"
<dcrowe@lpl.arizona.edu> wrote:

>
> I briefly played with an IC-756 at a ham store yesterday, and I have a
>question for an IC-756 owner. The radio I tried was set up for frequency
>increase when the knob is rotated counterclockwise. Yet the "bandscope" is
>setup for frequency increasing toward the right (as it should be). The knob
>rotation seemed backwards to me in relation to the scope display. Can the
>sense of rotation be changed in the menus? Alternately (and less desirably),
>can the direction of the scope display be reversed?
>
>Thanks,
> Devon
> NN7AA
>

Devon,

I don't know of any way to setup a 756 for the VFO to increase
frequency with CCW revolution. Perhaps there is a problem with the VFO
encoding on the unit you played with. On mine, rotating the VFO
clockwise increases frequency, as it does on every other radio I've
played with (except an old analog Century/21).

Mark

2350. SM220 WORK WITH A TS-430S?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: fun4sume@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981023210406.07000.00000290@ng102.aol.com>
Source record: 128319

Hi,will a kenwood SM220 work with a TS-430s?

2351. Re: HTX202 er1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@astro.net
Message-ID: <70rb43$li5$1@supernews.com>
Source record: 128320

In article <zv9Y1.80$n7.180671@newse1.twcny.rr.com>, "John Merrill"
<jmerril1@twcny.rr.com> wrote:
>I think this has been asked before but what does er1 indicate?
>
>John N1JM

Internal Ram error. "Er1 indicates the transciever has detected an error in it's battery-backed up option memory". Caused by a low lithium battery, but can be casued by a shock or physical shock. To clear, reset by turning off the HT, hold down F+D while turning the HT back on. This will clear and reintialize the memory.

73,
Tom

Remove the "P" from the below address (spam blocker)

Tom Randall Amateur Radio - KB2SMS
Mt. Beacon Amateur Radio Club / ARRL / 10-10
tprandall@idsi.net QRV on 6m on 50.125 or 52.525 from FN31
Member: AAVSO Solar Division

My Astronomy/Ham radio site: http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html

Opinions herein are mine and may not be that of Idsi.Net!

2352. Hard Reset on FT-8500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John G. Gaskey" <jggaskey@salisbury.net>
Message-ID: <363130ce.0@news4.his.com>
Source record: 128321
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I'd like to perform a hard reset on my Yaesu FT-8500. Not the power-on key sequence--take the covers off and do it inside the unit.

Any instructions on how (or whether) to proceed would be greatly appreciated.

John, KF4WNC

2353. RAYTHEON QKK753

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: charles mccombs <c.e.mccombs@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01bdfecf$ca3ca7a0$8821420c@default>
Source record: 128322

I THINK THIS IS A MICRO WAVE TUBE BUT HOPE SOME CAN HELP ME OUT
<c.e.mccombs@worldnet.att.net>

2354. want antrnna and keyers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ahrens <William.Ahrens@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <70rdo6$6iv@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 128323

I am looking for a mobile antenna for 40m
I am looking for a good semi weighted iambic keyer and a TiCK chip.
Email me if you want to sell

I also am looking for military keys. any kind

tick-tac@geocities.com

2355. FS: Yaesu FT-8500/MH-39 & FS-10 Plus Accessories!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Ottria <Gottria@Inreach.com>
Message-ID: <e%aY1.36314$D5.20388093@news.inreach.com>
Source record: 128324
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I have a 10 month old Yaesu FT-8500 with both the MH-39 mic and the FS-10 mic. The radio also comes with the tone decoder board and the extension kit (YSK-8500). I have all documentation for both mics and the box. The radio is excellent condition. E-Mail for further details.

Asking $430

--
Greg Ottria KE6PTP
Castro Valley, California
Gottria@Inreach.com

2356. WTB PRC 104

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeepguy@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <36354226.5657062@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 128325

need prc 104 any condition
thx
Tom

2357. FS: Manuals- Simpson, Triplett

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: k6sde@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <70rmjj$u0i$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128326

Original Instruction/Operator's Manuals for all practical purposes as new.

Each $7.50 mailed USPS UNINSURED.

Simpson 260, 32 pages, Has an unobtrusive owner's stamp inside front cover.

Simpson 269, 40 pages

Triplett Model 630-NA, 36 pages

Ian, K6SDE

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2358. Re: Radar Gun for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jjtrainor <jjtrainor@interworldnet.net>
Message-ID: <70rv5iabh1@supernews.com>
Source record: 128327
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.misc, sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

If all you "safe" law and order types don't like the way us "fast movers"
drive STAY OFF THE SIDEWALK and leave us alone !

2359. FS:ICOM W31A Dual Band HT W/Acc..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cliff <ccedar@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <c2eY1.119$n7.342189@newse1.twcny.rr.com>
Source record: 128328

This Dual Band HT is in mint condition.Its comes with a nice form fitted case,2 batteries (1) 7.2 v.., 600mah and (1) 7.2v..,1000mah also it comes with all paper work,original box, the factory slow charger, and a bc-601 quick drop in charger which will charge the batteries in 1 hour...and it comes with a car cig. adapter...The mods that were done were ext. trans. and ext. receive.....Everything is like new...Iam asking $249 or B.O. plus shipping..Email me at ccedar@yahoo.com ...Thanks ....Cliff (KC2DNH)...

2360. Re: Mod Needed for Alinco DJ-191

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Todd <tyler@nightowl.net>
Message-ID: <3631883F.C333C9FE@nightowl.net>
Source record: 128329

Subject: EXPANDED TX ON THE ALINCO DJ-191

Here's how to do it!

To enable the expanded TX (MARS / CAP) on the Alinco DJ-191 Ht you must perform the following: Remove the ant. and the battery. Remove (4) screws from the back cover. Remove the back cover. This is a bit tricky as the front half of the HT is connected to the RF deck via a flex circuit opposite the PTT button. Also the dust caps on the BNC conn. and under the Tuning knob will cause the case to be difficult to separate. Be patient. Once opened you will see a short blue jumper wire marked "J1" on the silkscreen to the right of the large (approx. 1" square) surface mount chip on the front half of the HT. Cut this wire. Dress the ends so that they don't short to something else and smoke you rig! Use some heat shrink tubing or electrical tape to protect the ends. Re-assemble the HT. Re-attach the battery and ant. Perform a reset by pressing and holding the function button while powering on the unit. This will reset and wipe out any programming that was previously stored. Sorry, but that's what you have to do! The unit should now TX on the MARS /CAP freq.'s. I had to do two resets before the extd. TX worked.

JNG2000 wrote:
>
> I need the extended TX mod for and Alinco DJ-191. If you know how to do it
> please e-mail me the mod. Much appericated!
>
> Jeff
> JNG2000@AOL.COM

2361. Re: Mod Needed for Alinco DJ-191

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Todd <tyler@nightowl.net>
Message-ID: <36318874.1FCD96F1@nightowl.net>
Source record: 128330

Subject: EXPANDED TX ON THE ALINCO DJ-191

Here's how to do it!

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>
> I need the extended TX mod for and Alinco DJ-191. If you know how to do it
> please e-mail me the mod. Much appericated!
>
> Jeff
> JNG2000@AOL.COM

2362. FT-5200-swap for AT-450

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: marijimc8381@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <70s3gd$d2t$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128331

I have for trade an FT-5200 with mic and I want an AT-450 Kenwood internal Automatic Antennae Tuner for the TS-450/TS-690. marijimc@juno.com

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2363. Re: IC-Q7A Need Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: eric_fre@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <70s8ku$m42$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128332

Yea the mods been out for about 3-4 months now I.
I've had the radio for about 6 months and I posted the mods I found (complete)
in late july I think so do a search for my entries in the Dejanews Archeive.
Cheers Mate
ERIC.

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http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2364. Re: WTB: RS DX440 Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: JPD <jdanter@i-america.net>
Message-ID: <3631D3E8.4EF7@i-america.net>
Source record: 128333

Found info. Thanks.
--
Remove "NOSPAM" from email address to reply

2365. Re: IC-756 Tuning Direction

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jsm@n4vu.dyn.ml.org
Message-ID: <70scgs$a4s$1@n4vu.dyn.ml.org>
Source record: 128334

Mark Erbaugh (Mark_Erbaugh@compuserve.com) wrote:

> I don't know of any way to setup a 756 for the VFO to increase
> frequency with CCW revolution.

I'm guessing here, but if (as is common these days) the VFO knob
drives a quadrature-type opto-chopper, then you can swap direction by
swapping leads.

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John Miller, N4VU Linux! Offense should be in
'96 base model MCA #70258 short supply; so much
"Shiroi Kuruma" DoD #1942 more is taken than given

2366. KW 731A, ALinco DJ-560,100T, Patch and more for sale.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: magallon@panama.ml.org
Message-ID: <36336A88.1F98AD42@panama.ml.org>
Source record: 127985

I am selling all my equipment.

This is what I have:

Alinco DJ-100T $70
Alinco DJ-560 144/440MHZ Dual Bander in box. $235
Kenwood TM731A 144/440MHZ in box w/ schematics and tone microphone $300
firm.
RF Concepts 2-23 , 143-149 MHX 2in-30out Power Amplifier $75
CES Personal Patch $100 firm
MACO Precision Regulsted Power Supply 12 AMP with Surge Protection.
$30
MFJ 624D Deluxe Hibrid Phone Path for HF $30
HF Qual Comp SWR & Power Meter $30
VHF/UHF Micronta SWR & Power Meter $15
Home 2m/70cm Dual band Antenna...About 6 Feet tall by itself. $80
firm.

Answer by email
KB5UEE

2367. Dentron GLT 1000c question??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: drradio1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981025174503.18843.00001314@ng135.aol.com>
Source record: 128035

Can anyone tell me if the Dentron GLT 1000C antenna tuner cover 10/160 meters or 10/80 meters???

Robert

2368. For Sale New 55ft Tower

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Anderson <bill-anderson.ke4vop@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3633ABE0.1FA0CBC4@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 128036

Brand New never installed TX-455 US Tower 55ft 3 section self supporting
crank-up tower with TRX-80 Tower raising winch, CX-3 coax arms set, 10
ft 2"o.d. antenna
mast. anchor bolts
Location NE Georgia. Free Delivery within 500mi
Never installed- still in packaging materials - ordered by a friend just

before he became a silent key.

Inquiries (706) 778-1588 Peggy Eash N4ZUI
E-Mail inquiries can be made to bill-anderson.ke4VOP@worldnet.att.net

2369. Re: FS: Kenwood TS940SAT 160 thru 10mtrs.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiobufff@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981025175641.27527.00001119@ng42.aol.com>
Source record: 128037

Too bad it's on e-crap, otherwise i might be interested

Radio in the Bufff
Co-ed Naked Radio
Support your local Oscillator

2370. Re: EMP pulse wave?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: DGC <mqt00703@up.net>
Message-ID: <710a4s$lml@btc3.up.net>
Source record: 128038
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Well, gentlemen
I can tell you as a 13 year Army NBC officer that if EMP and TREE is no major deal than we sure have been pissing away billions of dollars over the years to shield our equipment from it.
Part of the warfighting senerios is the simutaneous detonations of 2 or more SLBM'S over mid continent in conjunction with the main strike on the east and west coasts by SLBM'S and then the big hit over the polar route.
We have figured that those high airbursts would take down most of the civilian communications and power even before the EAS can get the word out.

Regards,
AAR5AC / MI

2371. FS: Mitrek VHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: dinod@deltanet.com
Message-ID: <71099v$6om$1@birch.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 128039

Hello,

I have three (3) Motorola Mitrek VHF radios for sale. They
are complete with accessories (minus the speakers). This
includes the cables, mics, heads, 4 transmit and 4 receive
elements per radio. They are in excellent shape!

The model number is T43JJA3900DK.

Originall bought for 9600 baud packet and a pair for a
VHF repeater. I have scrapped that idea. The radios
are in the original shape and have NOT been modified at all.

I also have the repair manual for this model.

I paid $150.00 each for the three, I'm blowing them out
for $100.00 each. Remember, they each have 8 channel
elements.

Thanks...

Dino...K6RIX

2372. FS: MORE GP 68'S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: rgold1161@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981025181808.28524.00001137@ng99.aol.com>
Source record: 128040

Just received a new stock of GP 68's. Have both
V and U. Come with high capacity battery, antenna,
rapid charger and programming instructions. Also
have accessories. Order today, have tomorrow!!

********* $ 265.00 EA. PLUS SHIPPING **********

Rich
RF Technologies

2373. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: temporarily@dimensional.com
Message-ID: <36389dc1.861811509@news.frii.com>
Source record: 128041
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On 25 Oct 1998 02:50:00 GMT, Richard Carroll <w0ex@scan.missouri.org> wrote:

> I'm puzzled by your self-conflicting posturing. Just what
>is it you're trying to say? CW is great but actually it's
>worthless?

There is no conflict.
Read my figurative lips. Richard. I'll write it out o-n-e more, and one final time:

In my opinion and experience, any technical advantages CW might have over other modes under adverse conditions are extremely limited and most hams will never find themselves in the situation where your so-called solution is the only communications option. To use the possibility of communicating on CW while other modes absolutely won't work as a linchpin argument for the retention of CW is not compelling. Not to me, and not to many others. Since you would like to keep CW as an integral part of the amateur examination, you would be wise to understand the argument isn't selling very well. Just as any other promoter of a political opinion should.

I wouldn't buy a magazine subscription from you, thanks to your personable style and diplomacy.

>Or it's just not "Cool" to support retention of a CW test?
An incorrect assumption. Since you've obviously read my past posts on r.r.a.b and elsewhere, you would have noticed that I personally support the existence of the CW requirements as the price of admission, but for different reasons other than this one you're so adamant about....And I've stated any easing of the CW requirements...if inevitable... *must* be balanced by a corresponding alteration in the written or technical tests.

I've written nowhere in this thread that CW should not be retained, have I? Do not under any circumstances publicly attribute points of view to myself that were not made. It's not going to be my problem that you cannot comprehend and respect the opinions of others in this forum.

>If you're acting alike a 'Grownup', I'll just remain a kid,
>thanks!

No sale, Richard. Try the next house down the road.

-BK
Berthoud, Colo.

2374. Re: Mods?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Vlack <k2dv@rochester.rr.com>
Message-ID: <3633B609.73D76556@rochester.rr.com>
Source record: 128042

check www.qrz.com
--

73 from
Don Vlack K2DV

2375. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3681b09f.727178915@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 128043

On Sun, 25 Oct 1998 15:48:59 -0500, Jay Craswell <73016.27@CompuServe.COM> wrote:
>The electronic effect of Nuclear weapons were described in (I
>think) 1975 issues of QST magazine. The main difference between
>EMP and lightning is the speed. Thus Lightning protection is not
>enough. You CAN emp protect equipment. Even solid state
>gear. No one can say if it's worth doing but I suspect that's
>been the problem in all preperations for disaster.

The current generation of gas discharge suppressors are NEMP
rated. So if you use them for lightning protection, you are also
protecting against NEMP. (Note that there's a lot more involved
than just screwing a suppressor onto the coax. Lightning mitigation
design is a serious business where every detail counts.)

Since year in and year out lightning is the number one weather
related killer, and since it causes millions of dollars of property
damage a year, and since amateurs are particularly vulnerable,
it makes sense to take strong protective measures against
lightning strikes. If you do that with modern suppressors, you
are also protecting against NEMP.

>The comments about everyone being dead after a nuclear exhange
>are all well and good but in every simulation I've heard of a
>certain percentage survives. I do agree that having a working
>Short Wave set is not the only thing you should prepare if your
>really interested in this sort of thing.

Yeah, 100% casualties are completely out of the question. Even
if, for some crazy reason, the US and the Soviet Union, before
the current nuclear build down, decided to take out Japan with
their combined nuclear arsenals, the chance of killing every
Japanese would be infinitesimal. With the vastly larger areas
of the two (then) superpowers, the task of killing each other off
totally is impossible. There are just too many square miles, and
too few bombs.

One thing is sure, however, having a shortwave capability would be
of no use for quite a while. A full exchange would disturb the ionosphere
so strongly that SW would be useless for months at least. ELF and UHF
would be basically unaffected (which is why we depend on them for
command and control).

But communications isn't likely to be high on your list anyway.
Who you gonna call? Everyone is going to be in a pickle, and
no one is likely to rush to your aid. You're on your own with your
own resources for quite a while like it or not. So you'd better be

prepared to survive on your own initiative.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

2376. FS KENWOOD 2M HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: wades@ptd.net
Message-ID: <ZDOY1.443$M8.392@nnrp1.ptd.net>
Source record: 128044

FOR SALE KENWOOD 215A 2M HT GOOD CONDITION HAS 10 MEMMORIES, TONE RECEIVES
141.000 TO 163.000 NO MANUAL OR CHARGER, BATTERY IN GOOD SHAPE $85.00 I SHIP.
EMAIL ME IF INTERESTED (wades@ptd.net)

2377. Re: Descrambling TV

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3682b787.728947134@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 128045

On Sun, 25 Oct 1998 11:31:58 -0800, Jones <Jones@nomail.com> wrote:
>> Modifying the box is legal, using it to steal common carrier signals is not.
>> That's called theft of services, and is a crime.
>----------
>> Mere possession of a hacked box
>> may be treated the same way as possession of an illegal CB amp, IE the
>> same as possession of burglar tools, and taken as intent to commit a crime.
>----------
>> Gary Coffman KE4ZV
>
>So it's legal to modify the box, but not possess it after you modified
>it ?

That's the Catch 22 of our legal system.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

2378. WTB Collins

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: xxx@nb.net
Message-ID: <363427CA.1FE57FA8@nb.net>
Source record: 128046

Hi guys:

I am looking for a KWM2-A in good working condition.

Walt.

2379. ***icom w21AT DEAD HELP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: kable guy minn <n0mnb@minn.net>
Message-ID: <710ebk$r71$1@news.minn.net>
Source record: 128047
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.repair,slac.rec.ham_radio

HELLO
NEED HELP OR ANY INFO ON WHAT COULD BE WRONG WITH MY ICOM W21AT. BATTERY
GOOD. POWER SUPPLY GOOD,

ITS JUST DEAD. WON'T POWER UP. HAVEN'T DROPED IT,
HAVEN'T USED IT FOR A FEW MONTHS JUSTED CHARGED
THE BATTERY WITH THE ADAPTER. FOR 24 HOURS.

BUT JUST WON'T POWER UP..??????

THANKS FOR ANY INFO..
PS/WONDER IF THERES SOME COMMON PROBLEM ?

n0mnb@minn.net

2380. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: DavidC <davidc@bit-net.com>
Message-ID: <01be0072$8f930000$d98492d0@davidc.bit-net.com>
Source record: 128048
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

> I don't think that's the case. According to the best estimates I've seen,
> we'd lose between 20 and 100 million Americans in a full scale nuclear
> war. (The variance is largely due to how stupidly or not the people will
> react when the war happens.) That's less than half the population worst
> case. If the survivors take sensible fallout precautions, the loss could
> be as low as that suffered by the former Soviet Union in WWII. That's
> survivable as a nation and culture. The world would be a less healthy
> place for some hundreds of years, but it wouldn't be armageddon.
>
> The estimate assumed the US and Soviet Union at peak nuclear
> strength. With current levels of disarmament, nuclear war has
> become much more thinkable than just a few years ago. Instead
> of having to absorb 20,000 nuclear explosions, today either side
> would only have to deal with less than a thousand. And today's
> bombs are smaller too (average 150 KT). That's a somewhat
> scary trend. It is making nuclear war fighting look like a winnable
> proposition to a leadership willing to take large losses.
>
> Gary

As always, your information is quite thorough and well presented, thanks!

It is a concern to me that I have rarely, if ever, seen a good assessment of collateral damage.

The targets of a big exchange would be major cities and industrial sites. The resultant loss of sewer treatment plants, water treatment facilities, biological and chemical containment and neutralizing systems, law enforcement, firefighting and governmental infrastructure would seem to indicate much greater loss of life and social anarchy (or the declaration of a national and state-level state(s)-of-emergency unlikely to result in a return to democracy). The seeds of anarchy and dictatorship are already well established here, though carefully camouflaged.

A likely scenario may be a network of chemical and/or biological attacks to which we respond aggressively, that sets off a series of ever-widening responses and counter-responses which then triggers a nuclear barrage from multiple sources. The complex nature of initial blast death and damage, fallout, firestorms, polluted air, water and soil, lost infrastructure (described above) may geometrically magnify losses. We may also consider that the bombs that we drop elsewhere in the world will deposit garbage in the atmosphere that, together with what we receive, likely drift over us and alter for decades the world's weather system ... eco-Chicken-Little Al Gore would be in his glory!

BTW: You do make a good argument to relocate to Wyoming or Montana! :-)

73, DavidC AA1FA

2381. Re: dumb question from a new Ham re: 10m and CB.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa8ulx@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981025185723.04668.00000405@ngol06.aol.com>
Source record: 128049

In article <PzNY1.69$pv5.237@news14.ispnews.com>, "Christopher Zeman, KB9RHA"
<zman@iwc.net> writes:

>You must be one of those hams that hates no-code techs.
>You, sir, are one of the pitiful amateur radio operators, not the person
>asking the question regarding propagation.
>
>Christopher Zeman, KB9RHA
>

Another CBplusser Jerk

2382. FC Kenwood SWC-200,-2,-3

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Peter F. Christensen" <christep@cadvision.com>
Message-ID: <3633CC25.3CE8@cadvision.com>
Source record: 128050

To settle the estate of a silent key I have the following meter for sale; Kinwood SWC-2000 with SWC-2 and SWC-3. the price is $100.00 US plus shipping costs.
Please Email Peter Christensen christep@cadvision.com
Thank you. Peter.

2383. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <3633BECC.12D5@ibm.net>
Source record: 128051
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

DavidC wrote:
>
> > I'm talking about atomic weapons deliberately exploded high in the
> > atmosphere for the purpose of knocking out most of the electronics
> > with EMP but sparing the population.
> > --
> Is there a strategy in China, the former Soviet Union, or other nuclear
> powers that suggests this as their plan?

This was a big concern a few years ago before the Soviet Union collapsed.
There was even a TV mini-series, "Amerika", based on the premise. The
Soviets exploded their nukes far up in the atmosphere and took over the
country before we realized what was happening because almost all
electronics and communications had been destroyed.
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73, Cecil, W6RCA http://people.delphi.com/CecilMoore

2384. Re: FS Estate Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Peter F. Christensen" <christep@cadvision.com>
Message-ID: <3633CEF8.5132@cadvision.com>
Source record: 128052

Peter F. Christensen wrote:
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> >
> > I have the following Kenwood equiptment for sale from an estate sale.
> > TS-940S.............$730.00 US plus shipping costs.
> > TS-940 speaker.......$95.00 US plus shipping costs.
> > Kenwood SWC-2000 plus SWC-2 and SWC-3..$125.00 US plus shipping costs.
> > Kenwood MC-80 Microphone.....$50.00 US plus shipping costs.
> > Please Email Peter Christensen christep@cadvision.com
> > Thank you.
> The Kenwood TS-940s, SWC-2000 and MC-80 are all sold.
> Thank you for all the inquiries. Peter.
The MC-80, TS-940 speaker and TS-940S transcever have been sold.
The SWC-2000 with SWC-2 and SWC-3 is still for sale at $100.00 US.
Thank you.

2385. For Sale: Hammarlund HQ-100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert <rc123@globe-net.net>
Message-ID: <3633C1FA.82ED64DB@globe-net.net>
Source record: 128053

I'm selling my Hammarlund HQ-100 Shortwave Receiver
If you are interested, follow this link:
http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=37965967

Thanks,
Robert
http://dune.globe-net.net/~rc123/Robert/

2386. WTB Kenwood VFO520

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: k.stover@ibm.net
Message-ID: <3633C3CA.268AA51B@ibm.net>
Source record: 128054

Let me know if anybody has one for sale. I'm trying to complete
the set for a 520.
TIA, Kevin, N0RKX

2387. Re: dumb question from a new Ham re: 10m and CB.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan K Nelson <kf6knb@usa.net>
Message-ID: <710hj1goc1@news-2.news.gte.net>
Source record: 128055

Christopher Zeman, KB9RHA wrote in message ...
>
>WA8ULX wrote in message <19981025104433.03423.00000412@ngol02.aol.com>...
>>
>>In article <36336C47.5A95@1st.net>, duane olexa <do@1st.net> writes:
>>
>>>so instead of trying to drive away hams that are new to the hobby, how
>>>about a little understanding.
>>>
>>>duane wm8n in ohio
>>>
>>
>>How about a little effort on there part to learn some Basic Skills, and I
>dont
>>mean learning to memorize a bunch of questions that have no meaning to
>them.
>
>You must be one of those hams that hates no-code techs.
>You, sir, are one of the pitiful amateur radio operators, not the person
>asking the question regarding propagation.
>
>Christopher Zeman, KB9RHA
>
>

Even a no-code Tech should knows about basic radio propagation.
Additionally, all the information needed to answer his question is easily
obtainable from severaI web sites and can be located by a simple keyword
search. I suspect the original post was a troll from the 11 meter crowd.

73 de KF6KNB

2388. FS***Three NOS 6LF6 tubes $60.00***

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: KF6IKC@webtv.net
Message-ID: <11680-3633BD61-30@newsd-131.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 128056
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap

Have three NOS 6LF6 tubes.Boxes are ruff but the tubes are perfect.
Price is $25.00 apiece or all three for $60.00 + shipping.

73's
Stan (530)241-0843

2389. Re: FS***Three NOS 6LF6 tubes $60.00***

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ipo Camacho <ac137@iwvisp.com>
Message-ID: <710ir4igo1@supernews.com>
Source record: 128057
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap

I'll take it. Email me ac137@iwvisp.com .

Thanx!

137... Downtown MohaveCAL got down!!!

KF6IKC@webtv.net wrote in message
<11680-3633BD61-30@newsd-131.iap.bryant.webtv.net>...
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2390. Re: EMP pulse wave?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stormhound <stormhnd@sound.net>
Message-ID: <3633CD30.9D33DA64@sound.net>
Source record: 128058
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Gary,

Could you point out some sources of NEMP protection equipment, for those of us unfamiliar with it? Thanks. :)

Dave (Tech+ test in 5 days...)
--
Stormhound
DNRC Ombudsman for Induhvidual Affairs, Holder of Past Knowledge
Come visit my web page at http://www.sound.net/~stormhnd

2391. Re: Recommend a 2m mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bruce Nolte <brucenol@abs.net>
Message-ID: <3633D01F.9AD13076@abs.net>
Source record: 128059

A Kenwood 241 or Icom 228A will fill the bill nicely. Both have PL and DTMF, and are modern radios compact in size. As more people get dual-banders, the price on the single band radios has come down in price, I have seen these radios, and others of their ilk, go for as little as a 100 bucks or so used.
I have had a used 228A in my vehicles for over 200,000 miles and the only non self-inflicted problem I had was a scratchy speaker (I dropped the radio once from the toolbox of my truck onto asphalt , the dial lights went out but the radio survived) It had extended receive from 138 to 174, PL encode, keypad, adjustable dial lights may reduce battery drain if that is a key problem. The Kenwood 241 has a few more bells and whistles and has been around a while, and there are tons of them around. There are other similar models floating around, and weigh performance features, price, and condition before making a decision.
Bruce N3LSY

perkins@nome.net wrote:

> Am in the market for a mobile 2 meter rig to use as a base station at camp. It
> will be powered with a 12 volt battery supplied by a solar panel. I want a
> dependable rig, 2 meter, dtmf capabilities, selectable power output. Tone
> decode, AM receive and 70cm RX are nice features if available, but not
> necessary for my needs.
>
> Would like to hear from Hams as to whats out there that is a good buy and
> would serve my purposes. Would like to stay with one of the Big 4. (Yaesu,
> Icom, Kenwood or Alinco) Thanks for your input.
>
> Nate, KL0DI
> perkins@nome.net
>
> -----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2392. FS: ALINCO HF SYSTEM, OTHER ITEMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Robert G. Carter" <dc2light@radix.net>
Message-ID: <710jgm$e1l$1@news1.Radix.Net>
Source record: 128060

******DO NOT REPLY TO ORIGINATOR OF THIS MESSAGE - SEND REPLY
TO EMAIL ADDRESS NEAR THE END OF THIS POSTING******

Gentlemen:

B.J. Drury, Jr., N3RVX, has the following items for sale:

HF SYSTEM, CONSISTING OF:
Alinco DX-70, 160-6 meters (good condition, 2.5 years old, little use)
Alinco Desk Mic EMS-14
MFJ Deluxe Versa Tuner II, Model # MFJ-949E
G5RV Dipole Antenna w/ 60 feet RG-8X coax
Manuals Included
Package price: USD850.00

FOLLOWING ITEMS AVAILABLE INDIVIDUALLY:

Daiwa CN-460, SWR Power Meter
140-150 MHZ, 15/150 W
USD30.00

MFJ HF/VHF SWR Analyzer, Model # MFJ-259
1.8-170 MHZ
USD100.00

Interested parties should contact Mr. Drury direct at: ecstma@erols.com

Regards,

BOB CARTER W5BTC

2393. Re: dumb question from a new Ham re: 10m and CB.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Siegfried Rambaum <siram@adore.lightlink.com>
Message-ID: <Pine.SUN.3.95.981025204342.2907D-100000@adore.lightlink.com>
Source record: 128061

On Sun, 25 Oct 1998 pat@nospam.com wrote:

> That leads to my next question. Why bother learning code you I can
> buy a CB radio?

CB is the hf privilege band for nocoders. CB stands for "Code ? Baaaaah!",
or more politically correct as of recent, it should be called "NCHF" (No
code hf) instead of "CB". Which also would be more appropriate, as CB can
be used by non-citizens, too.

2394. FS: Collins Radio KWM-2A REALLY LOADED - Ebay Auction

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Terry Muncey <tsm@electrosys.com>
Message-ID: <710kp2fel1@news.onramp.net>
Source record: 128062

See: http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=37978458

2395. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Sampson <ssampson@access.usa-site.net>
Message-ID: <quRY1.317$MY4.2488070@news.goodnet.com>
Source record: 128063
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

That's not really true.

1. Get them to surrender.
2. Make them impotent.
3. Non-Lethal Means
4. Lethal Means.

The military, and its soldiers have one goal: win the battle. In the old days of
frontal attack, this leads to victory. Non-Frontal warfare is another story. Winning
all the battles doesn't mean you win the war (look at Vietnam and Iraq wars).

General Patton bypassed a whole German Army in the southwest of France. They
just assigned troops to effectively neuter them. They were still fighting skirmishes
when the US Army was completely inside Germany.

Item 3 is an area where intensive research is being conducted. Even police use
some of the simpler methods, such as stun guns (hand held, or fired at range).
It's actually better to not kill the enemy, as it requires a whole Division to clean up
the battlefield. From bulldozing the bodies, to caring for the wounded. It would
be nice if everyone would just die, but some of the bastards live on for months
and years that require huge resources.

Same with fighters. The USAF is looking at various means of disabling aircraft.
Rather than blast it out of the sky, getting it's engine to quit, or it's canopy
sandblasted is just as effective. This probably won't be very effective, as the
capability of BVR kill (beyond visual range) has increased dramatically, and
was used in the Iraq war. The electronic fingerprint of an SU or MIG is very
pronounced and you can see them from engine start to kill as a little track on
your scope. There's no sense getting in close, if you didn't make them
impotent while still on the ground.

The trouble with high altitude nukes, is that all those test in Nevada, showed
that we can't make EMP proof systems very well. If we burst a nuke high in a
battle, the chances are good we will break a lot of our own stuff.

DavidC wrote

>I could see a mix of explosion levels, but seriously doubt a plan that is
>worried about population harm ... warriors tend not to be humanitarians ...
>one fellow said "Our job is to break things and kill people

2396. WTB: AM2060/grc-160 adaptor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gerry Zell <puccini@erols.com>
Message-ID: <3633E6D0.3155D3AC@erols.com>
Source record: 128064
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I'm looking for a functional AM2060 vehicle adaptor for the PRC-77
Radio. Got any?

Gerry at: puccini@erols.com

2397. Re: dumb question from a new Ham re: 10m and CB.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Headrick <bobh@proaxis.com>
Message-ID: <3633E6FF.80D11E7@proaxis.com>
Source record: 128065

WA8ULX wrote:

> >So go take those easy ole exams again, whydoncha?
> Im not about to, dont have to prove anything to you or anyone like you

I think you already have.

- Bob

2398. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Sampson <ssampson@access.usa-site.net>
Message-ID: <xSRY1.319$MY4.2499795@news.goodnet.com>
Source record: 128066
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Using the sunk ship scenario: say you collided with a whale and found yourself
in the water with dead bodies, broken bodies and yourself floating in the
debris?

Do you want to hold a conversation? or, do you want the nearest ship or
helicopter to come and get you out of the water.

I've been in the water at survival school. I have to tell you, it gets real
cold
real fast! Even though 80 degree water feels good when you first hit it,
the fact that it is 16 degrees below your body temperature means bad
things are going to happen.

Does the information one has about dead bodies or wounded survivors
help anyone? No. An emergency rescue assumes that people are
injured or will be shortly. Otherwise it's not an emergency.

All they want is location, so they can turn a ship, or vector an airplane.

One of the reasons the USAF gave us "poopie-suits" (rubber coveralls)
was so that our body would float after death, and Mom and Dad would
get the body back instead of a "lost at Sea" letter. So the best thing to
do early on is to make the bodies float. That way thousands of bucks
don't have to be wasted tracking the shark school up the coast...

Bill Sohl wrote in message <3633d54d.3369404@news.planet.net>...
>On 25 Oct 1998 15:22:42 GMT, Richard Carroll <w0ex@scan.missouri.org>
>wrote:
>
>> Whoa. So the rescuers know the location. Until they know
>>the details of what happened at that location, they are
>>still in the dark as to what the need is and how to best
>>handle the response to that need.
>
>Bull, if it is an emergency beacon, the response is
>simple: (1) Locate, (2) respond to the specific
>location (3) assess the location's need.
>

2399. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <3633EE7E.69A0@ibm.net>
Source record: 128067
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Gary Coffman wrote:
> I'm not a doomster, and I doubt I'll see a nuclear war in my lifetime.
> But I did choose to live more than 30 miles from the nearest target,
> and behind a ridge from it too.

IMO, a much bigger threat than nuclear weapons is biological
terrorism. We already know that containers of anthrax and
bubonic plague have been smuggled into this country. They
are likely to be released for the millennium. The US
government has a list of 120 cities likely to be hit.
That's one reason I retired early. To survive such an
attack, one needs to live far from a target area and
have a pressurized room among other items.
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73, Cecil, W6RCA http://people.delphi.com/CecilMoore

2400. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Lewis <aa4pb@erols.com>
Message-ID: <3633F164.FF7A1628@erols.com>
Source record: 128068
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I thought the purpose of the high altitude burst was to maximize spread of radiation and kill as many people as possible.

DavidC wrote:

> > I'm talking about atomic weapons deliberately exploded high in the
> > atmosphere for the purpose of knocking out most of the electronics
> > with EMP but sparing the population.
> > --
> > 73, Cecil, W6RCA http://people.delphi.com/CecilMoore
>
> Is there a strategy in China, the former Soviet Union, or other nuclear
> powers that suggests this as their plan?
>
> I could see a mix of explosion levels, but seriously doubt a plan that is
> worried about population harm ... warriors tend not to be humanitarians ...
> one fellow said "Our job is to break things and kill people!" Lots of
> population losses has always been key to early surrender, witness WWII
> versus Germany and Japan. The inability to impose massive population
> damage was the reason Germany was racing for the nuke, the bombing of
> England mostly harmed infrastructure ... and failed.
>
> IMHO ... 73, DavidC AA1FA

2401. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Lewis <aa4pb@erols.com>
Message-ID: <3633F196.6C4FAC7C@erols.com>
Source record: 128069
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Well if you saw it on TV it must be true :-)

W6RCecilA wrote:

> DavidC wrote:
> >
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> > > atmosphere for the purpose of knocking out most of the electronics
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> > > --
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> electronics and communications had been destroyed.
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> 73, Cecil, W6RCA http://people.delphi.com/CecilMoore

2402. FS: Yaesu Ft 900 CAT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: alan <clairopt@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <710pquniv1@oak.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 128070

For Sale: Yaesu FT 900 CAT
With remote mounting Kit.

$875.00

2403. Re: EMP pulse wave?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <3633EF9B.78B7@ibm.net>
Source record: 128071
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Casey wrote:
> Would this include all the modern cars using computers?

Theory is that the car chassis, which is tied to the computer
ground, would be EM hot and disable most of the solid-state
electronics.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://people.delphi.com/CecilMoore

2404. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Harvey Babb <harveyb@testengeer.com>
Message-ID: <3633E44A.3844777C@testengeer.com>
Source record: 128072
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

As one of the guys at "ground zero" in the recent Texas floods I'd like to give you something to chew on. The use of CW was never even considered because it (a) wasn't necessary (SSB worked fine) and (b) nobody had TIME to play with keys. When real emergency communication is needed, it's needed NOW. When the NWS is asking for local readings of river height (because their satellite links take several HOURS to update) you don't have time to PLAY radio, you have to USE the radio. If the band doesn't work, you try another one. If that doesn't work, you start hollering on the VHF and UHF linked systems to see who you can raise who CAN get through. You don't use the internet because the phones quit working 3 hours before the emergency because half the circuits are trying to give dial tones to lines submerged in the river and the other half are tied up by everyone in town calline everyone else in town to ask "did you hear about the FLOOD?". (Why do you think there's a communications emergency! If officials COULD use the phone they WOULD use the phone! The local servers were working just fine, IF you could connect to them and hold the connection.)

What we DID have due to the code requirement was a SEVERE shortage of HF operators in the flooded area. I was one of the three operators in Victoria Texas who could help with communications and who had a high enough license class to use an HF rig.

I was literally turning Tech operators away who wanted to help because I had no place to use them while we did a (very poor) job of keeping the HF side of things going. The net result was that most of the useful information going into/out of the area during the height of the emergency did so on tenuous 2 meter and linked systems while the HF band sat virtually idle because of the current rules structure. We were feeding "ground truth" to NWS Corpus via the local 2 meter machine (when the guy in Corpus could hit it with his beam) and via a recently expanded linked VHF/UHF system when he couldn't get in direct. Sometimes he couldn't work either and we relayed to him via outside operators on HF. On the occasions when I was on HF I could relay to him. One of our other HF operators was upstream in Cuero in his own (much worse!) hell night and the only other HF op was at the EOC with a handheld because he was the contact man. We didn't HAVE time to set up an HF rig at the local EOC until two days into the fracus (and then only because someone remembered there was a 10 year old antenna on the roof), so ALL communications originated and terminated on 2 meters until then. Even after the HF station was set up, its use had to be limited because of interference with the 911 system.

With even HALF of my available tech resources licensed on HF we could have covered this thing like a blanket from start to finish.

N5NAV and the rest of the Texas Emergency Net did one HELL of good job of keeping the net going and keeping in touch with Department of Public Safety headquarters in Austin, but 90% of the time they didn't have anyone to talk to in Victoria because of the code requirement to get onto the HF bands.

Before this I was undecided on the "code vs. no-code" issue. This polarized me totally toward getting RID of this anachronism!

Harvey, WB5MCT
harveyb@testengeer.com

2405. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Sampson <ssampson@access.usa-site.net>
Message-ID: <fFSY1.322$MY4.2525063@news.goodnet.com>
Source record: 128073
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

No, you want a ground burst for that, so it pulls all the dirt into the
air and drops it all around. Much more lethal.

Bob Lewis wrote in message <3633F164.FF7A1628@erols.com>...

>I thought the purpose of the high altitude burst was to maximize spread of
>radiation and kill as many people as possible.

2406. Re: How to filter distance repeaters?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: kf2ti@planet.net
Message-ID: <MPG.109dbd45cc4b3ff09896bb@news.planet.net>
Source record: 128074
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <3633c275.17547752@news.earthlink.net>, linda@nospam.com says...
> Hi,
>
> my friend just put up a 15' vertical dual band (2m & 70cm) base
> antenna on the top of my roof. I live on top of a mountain. The good
> news is that the antenna works good. Maybe too good!?
>
> Not only do I pick up all our local repeaters, I now also pickup the
> repeaters that's on the same frequency 60 miles, 120+ miles away!
> When I tried to listen to our local repeaters frequency, I get a lot
> of traffic and I cannot tell who is on which repeater.
>
> Question: How does one filter out distance repeaters with the same
> frequency (if some don't have PL output)?
>
> I have this problem with almost all the local repeaters I use?!! I am
> currently using a Yaesu mobile as a base.
>
> Linda
>
> Please post your replies here as I do not yet have e-mail.
>

Assuming you don't want to buy another antenna, try this

(1), turn down your power to the lowest possible to reduce "activating" the distant machines

(2) turn you squelch up (if those machines aren't full scale) as high as possible to receive the local repeaters and filter out the distant

Really other than moving or getting a different antenna system you are a perfect example of a great location working against you

Good luck

--
Steve - KF2TI Landing, NJ
http://www.planet.net/adell

2407. WTB: UHF ASTRO SABER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al <K6DJP@postoffice.pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <3633F552.E079484F@postoffice.pacbell.net>
Source record: 128075
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I am looking to buy a uhf Astro Saber III that covers the 440 mhz split.

Al

2408. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Sampson <ssampson@access.usa-site.net>
Message-ID: <AMSY1.324$MY4.2528882@news.goodnet.com>
Source record: 128076
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In reading your story, I see one big glaring hole:

Zero Disaster Preparedness

What the hell are you guys doing down there? You can't all run to
Red Cross or Salvation Army when the disaster hits, you need to practice
and build infrastructure.

I don't see it as a no-code problem, I see it as a nobody gives a shit
problem. Maybe now you guys will sit down and think about communications
requirements and who's going to do what, BEFORE the next disaster.

Harvey Babb wrote in message <3633E44A.3844777C@testengeer.com>...
>As one of the guys at "ground zero" in the recent Texas floods I'd like
>to give you something to chew on.

2409. Step Attenuator

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Benko <benko@aztek-eng.com>
Message-ID: <3633F77F.E11F17EC@aztek-eng.com>
Source record: 128077

I am looking for a small RF (<500MHz) step attenuator
similar to products by Kay etc. Would like upwards
of 60dB attenuation in 1-2db steps. I periodically
see these products surplus but now need to buy one
and can't find any. I found a Vectronics VEC-862
steo attenuator but it is rather large and couldn't
find any specs on it which makes me rather cautious.
I would appreciate any ideas for sources.

Thanks in advance,
Larry Benko, AC0B

2410. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <3633FF75.5051@ibm.net>
Source record: 128078
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Harvey Babb wrote:
> What we DID have due to the code requirement was a SEVERE shortage of HF
> operators in the flooded area.

Harvey, hate to say I told them so, but I told them this was happening.
The code requirement is limiting the number of HF operators available
for emergencies. If we are not careful, the code requirement will wind
up costing lives instead of saving lives.

> With even HALF of my available tech resources licensed on HF we could
> have covered this thing like a blanket from start to finish.

Hopefully, the proposed 5wpm General will help solve the problem.

> Before this I was undecided on the "code vs. no-code" issue. This
> polarized me totally toward getting RID of this anachronism!

"This anachronism" is of course the Morse code test, not CW, the mode.
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73, Cecil, W6RCA http://people.delphi.com/CecilMoore

2411. Re: How to filter distance repeaters?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan K Nelson <kf6knb@usa.net>
Message-ID: <7110kk$rk8$1@news-1.news.gte.net>
Source record: 128079
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

linda@nospam.com wrote in message <3633c275.17547752@news.earthlink.net>...
>Hi,
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>my friend just put up a 15' vertical dual band (2m & 70cm) base
>antenna on the top of my roof. I live on top of a mountain. The good
>news is that the antenna works good. Maybe too good!?
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>Not only do I pick up all our local repeaters, I now also pickup the
>repeaters that's on the same frequency 60 miles, 120+ miles away!
>When I tried to listen to our local repeaters frequency, I get a lot
>of traffic and I cannot tell who is on which repeater.
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>Question: How does one filter out distance repeaters with the same
>frequency (if some don't have PL output)?
>
>I have this problem with almost all the local repeaters I use?!! I am
>currently using a Yaesu mobile as a base.
>
>Linda
>
>Please post your replies here as I do not yet have e-mail.

Some of the things that I have done to help with this common problem:

If you have receive decode ability, you can set your rig for encode/decode for the machines that use a PL tone. For those that do not you can try 1) setting your squelch just low enough that the local repeater will break it, or 2) switch to a directional antenna and point it at the machine of interest.

73 de KF6KNB

2412. Re: dumb question from a new Ham re: 10m and CB.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Smith <n3ued@desupernet.net>
Message-ID: <3633FBF9.10991E3D@desupernet.net>
Source record: 128080

I for one never owned a CB, however you should be wary that the guy on the CB may someday save your life when you are in a automobile accident, while your radio sits there beyond use and you are unconscious..... Just food for thought....

If you are such a big time hot shot at Ham Radio... Tell me did you start at the top and work your way down?? I don't mean to criticize your operations because I don't know you from Jack, however it was not a stupid question... If you feel that the person is such a burden to Amateur Radio - - Why don't YOU get out of the hobby and not be bothered by Amateurs that actually want to learn!!!

WA8ULX wrote:

> In article <PzNY1.69$pv5.237@news14.ispnews.com>, "Christopher Zeman, KB9RHA"
> <zman@iwc.net> writes:
>
> >You must be one of those hams that hates no-code techs.
> >You, sir, are one of the pitiful amateur radio operators, not the person
> >asking the question regarding propagation.
> >
> >Christopher Zeman, KB9RHA
> >
>
> Another CBplusser Jerk

2413. WTB: 2 meter multimode

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Bennett <jasonb@alaska.net>
Message-ID: <3634027C.3529@alaska.net>
Source record: 128081

Hi, wanted to buy a 2 meter multimode. To be used for a beacon project for Alaska. Looking for a 10 to 20 watt, digital/analog okay, but would prefer to stay below $300. If you have something in the corner, stashed away and collecting dust, let me put it to a practical use. Many thanks.

Mike
WL7U

email:
jasonb@alaska.net

or work email is
mbennett@jpo.doi.gov

Thanks

Mike

2414. Re: ***icom w21AT DEAD HELP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Michael G. Obermeier" <ifindem@fea.net>
Message-ID: <3633B494.190D@fea.net>
Source record: 128082
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.repair,slac.rec.ham_radio

kable guy minn wrote:
>
> HELLO
> NEED HELP OR ANY INFO ON WHAT COULD BE WRONG WITH MY ICOM W21AT. BATTERY
> GOOD. POWER SUPPLY GOOD,
>
> ITS JUST DEAD. WON'T POWER UP. HAVEN'T DROPED IT,
> HAVEN'T USED IT FOR A FEW MONTHS JUSTED CHARGED
> THE BATTERY WITH THE ADAPTER. FOR 24 HOURS.
>
> BUT JUST WON'T POWER UP..??????

Mine too! Same Circumstances....Just about ready to send it to ICOM.

2415. Agrelo Engineering DFjr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Toe Jam <toejam@remove.all.except.bga.com>
Message-ID: <3633CAC3.B11D5E16@remove.all.except.bga.com>
Source record: 128083

> > We have been trying to contact Agrelo Engineering [with negative results]
(snip)

> This came up on fox-list. Joe had some health problems over the last few
> months and this affected the business operations a bit. Joe Moell K0OV
> (author of the popular RDF book) has the full story, you can write him at
> homingin@aol.com.

Joe must be fairly busy, as I have written him with the same lack of reply I experienced from Agrelo Engineering. Furthermore, I have heard of some people with the DFjr product who have experienced problems with the unit's operation.

Realizing that Joe's health problems may put an end to new purchases of the DFjr, certainly there are some used ones to be found. I wonder if anyone reading this thread who has one (or knows someone who has one) can comment on their satisfaction of the unit? $400 is a lot of money to be spending on a product that will not perform reliably or as advertised, so perhaps someone can either dispell the myths or point me in another direction of a comparible product.

Many thanks...

2416. FOR SALE: Tempo 2020

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Toe Jam <toejam@remove.all.except.bga.com>
Message-ID: <3633D9DE.5AB3879D@remove.all.except.bga.com>
Source record: 128084

I have a used Tempo 2020 that has been collecting dust in the closet,
and am certain that someone out there has a good spot for it on their
bench. It even comes with a Turner Super Sidekick mic :-)

All reasonable offers considered, noting that I have no idea what
the thing could possibly be worth anyway. I only know what I
paid for it, and certainly don't expect to recover nearly that much ;-)

Email privately if interested - I won't hold my breath :-)~

Chris
(just remove everything except the bga.com part for the email)

2417. Re: FS:Leader LBO-325 60-MHZ dual trace scope

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <363354a1.12201528@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 128085
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On 25 Oct 1998 16:27:03 GMT, bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net (Kin Ho) wrote:

>This is a like new portable dual trace modern scope. The plastic
>protective film is still wrapped around the entire scope. The scope
>has a built-in tilt stand and comes with one probe. There are
>absolutely no scratches or blemishes on this scope. Sorry, no manual,
>but its easily obtainable through Leader. Would like to sell this for
>$250 shipped/insured within lower 48 States.

2418. FS: 5 watt 4 ch uhf portables

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pursuit <75313.1154@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <etGVgRDA#GA.303@nih2naab.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 128086
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Check out are used radio page at http://www.pursuitmic.com
We also have specials on new radio equipment.

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2419. FS: Collectors' Phillips minature digital world-band radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <36335ab7.13759792@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 128087
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

This radio was feature inside the front cover of the 1992 issue of the "Passport to worldband radio." This is truely a collector's item in show-room condition. It was only used for 30 minutes.

The receiver covers 170KHZ-30MHZ. It is a dual coversion PLL quartz tuning receiver with a built-in world clock/sleep timer, direct freq entry, 18 memories, built-in speaker, and uses 2 "AAA" batteries. The radio is the size of a pack of cigarettes.

It comes with a fitted leather presentation case which holds the receiver, manual, and all of its accessories. The receiver even has its own real leather carrying case, and an external antenna. The entire package also comes in yet another very nice presentation box.

This is a rare receiver for a collector or a traveler with a need for a tiny quality SW radio. I am asking $350 or best offer to ship this beautiful package within the USA. Will also see overseas for additional shipping costs.

2420. WTB: Yaesu FT-101ZD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3bj@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <70vqjbqer1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128088
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchor,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Wanted: Yaesu FT-101ZD, unit needing some work considered.
Please let me know what you have.

Alan, N3BJ

-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2421. Re: Descrambling TV

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "my ham call"
Message-ID: <3633b46a.306249441@news.bna.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 128089

On Sun, 25 Oct 1998 06:34:29 GMT, ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman)
wrote:
>Since you can synthesize any value capacitor you might need by appropriate
>series and parallel combinations of standard value capacitors,
>that part of his answer is nonsense. His claim that it wouldn't
>work anyway is likely more accurate.

Well, it does call for a *variable* capacitor, I don't think you'd be
able to reach the right value by combining fixed values unless you
were REALLY lucky<g>.. Unfortunately, I haven't seen any variable
caps at RS in quite awhile. The 75-100pF called for in the spam I
received this morning (see end of post...) does seem a bit large for a
VHF trap...

>Often, the audio channel was scrambled too, and that's harder to undo.

In most of the sync-suppression and video-inversion systems I saw, the
audio wasn't really scrambled, but carried on a subcarrier of the
regular audio signal. (the regular audio was either dead air, or a
"barker channel" telling you what you were missing & who to call to
get it) This is actually probably easier to decode than the
sync-suppressed/video-inverted picture - FM radio SCA decoders would
do the trick. But as you say in the next paragraphs, none of these
analog systems is in widespread use anymore:
>Today, most scrambling systems digitally reorder the scan lines of the picture.
>DSS signals are even more complicated to descramble. They are compressed

BTW, it looks like a spammer in this business is reading this thread.
I received what appears to be the exact same spam
"btslfke@poboxes.com" received this morning. (even after I posted a
message in which I make it clear I know this is a scam...) Spam scum,
if you're actually reading this message content (and actually I'm sure
you aren't...) be aware copies of your scam are being forwarded to
appropriate NYC authorities.

73 Doug

Doug Smith (ham call W9WI) - EM66 nr. Nashville, TN, USA
real email address is:
{my ham call} @ b e l l s o u t h . n e t (kill the spaces!)

2422. Re: Routing HF antenna coax and power on Ford Explorer?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tony Szablowski <aszablowski@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <70vpnd$dha@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 128090
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Rudi Wiedemann wrote in message
>I recommend you DON'T bumper mount, as this creates a lousy >ground plane to radiate off of. Definitely roof mount if possible, and >the mag mount (3 big pancake magnets) is the way to go.

I've gotten excellent results from one of those trunk-lip mounts. Provides good ground plane and is sturdy enough. I didn't want to scuff up the new Honda with a mag mount and sure as hell wasn't going to use a permanent. Glass mounts are lousy, IMHO, so the only other way to go was the trunk-lip mount. I'm very pleased with it.
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Regards,
Tony

2423. FS:BIRD THRULINE WATTMETER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: KB6LUE <kb6lue@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <3633E4AF.3A8@pacbell.net>
Source record: 128091

For sale
Bird thruline wattmeter model 4118. Freq 400-512Mhz, Fwd 150W Rfl 15W
Good condition $50 shipped.

2424. Re: Motrola Radius

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tony Szablowski <aszablowski@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <70vpj7$cv6@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 128092

Dan wrote in message <70vaulnem1@news.xmission.com>...
>I actually had a Maxtrac that we put on 6m. Evereything was ok,
>except the power was reduced by about 50%, and no amount of >tuning
could bring it back. Propably needed some physical >component changes
in the transmitter/pa section.

Exactly my point. A commercial\business radio is a lot more precise,
usually, than a Ham radio. I would say the max you should really go
out-of-band from the rated split is 2-3MHz, but some people go about
5MHz and stretch things a little more. Of course, as you saw with
your setup, you definitely will lose some Tx/Rx. Some people can live
with that much power lose just to work the desired freq.
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Regards,
Tony

2425. Anyone Know about GREG GOLDA K2GKG-Lexinton, SC ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Murray Neece" <kc5mdm@iglobal.net>
Message-ID: <3633744C.F9C95699@iglobal.net>
Source record: 128093
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Had a deal going with him, sent my part, he didnt send his, was
wondering if something happened to him....was hardly a big enough deal
to be a scam....Thought he might have been hurt or the like....Anyone in
Lexinton ,.S.C. know him? Lives at 116 Willow Forks rd. Lexington
SC....some one go by and see if his house burned down please...73
Murray

2426. Re: Routing HF antenna coax and power on Ford Explorer?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Lewis <aa4pb@erols.com>
Message-ID: <36336A66.12E7E86F@erols.com>
Source record: 128094
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

100 watts is a lot of power to pull from a lighter socket. Have you ever measured the voltage at the rig with it key-down?

Rudi Wiedemann wrote:

> I've been running my TS-50 from the cigarette lighter with a ground strap
> under the dash, and a coax thru the window to a hamstick on a mag mount on
> the roof of my pickup.
>
> I've worked GREAT DX this way with typically 5x7 and 5x9 signal reports.
>
> I recommend you DON'T bumper mount, as this creates a lousy ground plane to
> radiate off of. Definitely roof mount if possible, and the mag mount (3 big
> pancake magnets) is the way to go.
>
> IMHO - Rudi - KF6RLQ

2427. Kenwood PS-52 power supply mint.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michel Morin <morinm@csdgs.qc.ca>
Message-ID: <RiKY1.184$dB4.13621@carnaval.risq.qc.ca>
Source record: 128095

I have a Kenwood PS-52 power supply in absolute mint condition. It matches
all Kenwood rigs that work on 13.8 volts and is normally sold with the
TS-850
or TS- 870 rigs. It currently sells for $269.95 new.

Asking $175. U.S. including shipping and insurance.

Inquire by email if interested.

73 de VE2CJW.
Michel Morin
Quebec, Canada.

2428. Re: manual schema of Yaesu FT 277

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rabbit <mastermind@ip.pt>
Message-ID: <70vs04$a0i$1@duke.telepac.pt>
Source record: 128096

A colleague from Portugal, who doesn't have acess to internet, ask me if any of you have the manual and schema for the Yaesu FT 277. In any format it will be welcome (pdf, ex)
Thanks
CT1APL

2429. Re: dumb question from a new Ham re: 10m and CB.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan K Nelson <kf6knb@usa.net>
Message-ID: <70vsj1$6t8$1@news-2.news.gte.net>
Source record: 128097

John Miles wrote in message <3632CD87.33B6@pop.removethistomailme.net>...
>Bill wrote:
>>
>> pat@replyhere.please.com wrote:
>> >
>> > Hi,
>> >
>> > I am a new HAM. I have a dumb question:
>> >
>> > Since the 10 Meter HF band is so close to the CB band. Does the CB
>> > radios also do skip and radio wave propagation?
>> >
>> > Pls. post replies here.
>>
>> How did you get a license?
>>
>
>I get the impression they don't worry too much about making people study
>things like basic propagation anymore.
>
>-- jm KE5FX

Actually, it's part of the license exams, you notice that "new ham" didn't post a callsign... and was asking about CB propagation...

73 de KF6KNB

2430. Re: 75W too much for car?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jones <Jones@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <3633786D.69F0@nomail.com>
Source record: 128098

> I figure that I'm probably drawing 12 amps thru the heavy duty lighter
> adapter. Rudi - KF6RLQ

I use the cigarette lighter also. In my 95 Taurus the lighter line is fused for 15 amps. This is the limiting factor. My TS50 draws close to 20 amps peak at 100 watts. Since SSB will average lower current I might get by running a 100 watts on a slow blow fuse, but I don't think that would be a good idea. Further since I run mostly CW mobile, key down gives me the full current so this is not an option. So I simply run the TS50 at 50 watts which is about 11 amps peak. Well within the fuse rating and only 3db down from 100 watts, hardly noticeable on the other end. When you factor in actual total time average current: 4 amps on receive, 11 peak/probably 6 amps average on transmit, the overall average current (using 50/50 transmit receive time) will probably be in the neighborhood of 5 amps. This is the equilivent of the parking lights so the car system can easily handle it. I have QSOed with the engine off for over an hour with no noticeable effect on the battery when starting the car.

2431. Re: dumb question from a new Ham re: 10m and CB.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill <whagen@NOREPLY.inreach.com>
Message-ID: <36338643.2BF7@NOREPLY.inreach.com>
Source record: 128099

pat@nospam.com wrote:
>
> That leads to my next question. Why bother learning code you I can
> buy a CB radio?
>
>
ok, I will bite,
If you read the regulations concerning CB you will see that it is
illegal to communicate more than 100 miles even if propogation allows
you to do so.
kc6ufe

2432. WTB:Micor Channel Elements

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bruce Nolte <brucenol@abs.net>
Message-ID: <36337993.FE2F43C3@abs.net>
Source record: 128100
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

A friend of mine is looking for Micor Transmitting Channel elements KXN-1052A. These are used in a Micor UHF repeater/base station unit. If you have some you can spare call me at 410-429-3985 or by E-mail.

2433. ---->MOTOROLA $205 GP300 COMPLETE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: sourcebook@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <7100o4$21u$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128101

$205.00 + $8(Cont. US) shipping. I have a 1992 GP300 that comes complete with a rapid charger and antenna. It's a 4 watt two channel UHF unit. This unit doesn't include a battery but you can find one cheap on this NG. No bids, low and FIRM price. Please e-mail me only. Thank You.

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2434. (/\/\)OTOROLA P50+ UHF $100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: sourcebook@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <7100qj$229$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128102

MOTOROLA P50+ UHF $100. MODEL NUMBER: H44GNU7120AN. INCLUDES ANTENNA AND BATTERY. SHIPPING IS $8 IN THE CONTINENTAL UNITED STATES. PLEASE E-MAIL ME IF YOUR INTERESTED. THANK YOU.

-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2435. WTT: NEC 860 LASER FOR 2 GP350/GP300/HT1000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: sourcebook@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <7100sg$27b$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128103

This is an 8ppm printer that includes a barely used toner cartridge and the manual and drivers. I want 2 complete GP350/GP300/HT1000/P1225 UHF. THANKS.

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2436. /\/\OTOROLA P110S $180 UHF COMPLETE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: sourcebook@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <7100v9$2gj$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128104

These are UHF P110s some as new as 1994. Each radio includes a battery, standard charger, and antenna. The radios are 4 watts and two channels. These are priced to sell at $180 each. Please e-mail me IMMEDIATELY if your interested. Thank You.

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2437. MOTOROLA P200 $172.99 VHF COMPLETE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: sourcebook@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <71013l$2hi$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128105

I have a Motorola VHF P200 6 channel radio. This radio includes a rapid charger, antenna, *TWO* rapid batteries which are both in excellent condition and a belt clip! The P200 radio is a programmable two way radio that accepts PL codes. The band split is 155-175 and the radio is 5 watts. $172.99 each, E-MAIL me if your interested. Continental US Shipping is only $10.

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2438. WTB: Yaesu FT-901/902DM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3bj@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <710161$2je$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128106
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchor

Wanted: Yaesu FT-901 or 902 model. Please let me know what you have that you are not using. Units that need work may be considered.

Alan, N3BJ

-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2439. --->(/\/\)OTOROLA BASE STATION $350 L@@K

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: sourcebook@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <7100k0$1pv$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128107

This is an excellent condition M120 that looks new. It includes a MOTOROLA base station mic, standard mic, ASTRON RS-12A Power Supply which is also in excellent condition, wires to connect radio to the power supply and the radio! The Motorola model number is M44GMC20A3AA. This is a UHF base station that includes two channels. Please e-mail me if your interested. The price is $350. Thank You.

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2440. Re: Routing HF antenna coax and power on Ford Explorer?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <36337C88.7A2C@ibm.net>
Source record: 128108
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Bob Lewis wrote:
>
> 100 watts is a lot of power to pull from a lighter socket. Have you ever
> measured the voltage at the rig with it key-down?

My GMC pickup has three cigarette lighter sockets. I run 100w out of
one of them with no problem. It must be fused for about 20 amps.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://people.delphi.com/CecilMoore

2441. Re: Descrambling TV

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jones <Jones@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <36337CAE.3405@nomail.com>
Source record: 128109

> Modifying the box is legal, using it to steal common carrier signals is not.
> That's called theft of services, and is a crime.

> Mere possession of a hacked box
> may be treated the same way as possession of an illegal CB amp, IE the
> same as possession of burglar tools, and taken as intent to commit a crime.

> Gary Coffman KE4ZV

So it's legal to modify the box, but not possess it after you modified
it ?

2442. Re: Ebay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: seebody@toreply.com
Message-ID: <363480d4.6445868@news.ncal.verio.com>
Source record: 128110

Umm.. ebay is what you make of it. It's a PERSON to PERSON auction.
Which means ebay isn't to blame, it's the person selling the radio.

On Sat, 24 Oct 1998 21:55:27 -0400, "JOHN WARD" <HITECH@EROLS.COM>
wrote:

>you know I agree with you I agree with you I agree to purchase things from
>them but after checking the prices they were outrageous so I refuse to waste
>hard earn money on ebay.

2443. Re: dumb question from a new Ham re: 10m and CB.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0dg@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981025151538.13561.00001031@ng20.aol.com>
Source record: 128111

yes

2444. Re: Kenwood PS30 Info Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0dg@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981025151742.13561.00001033@ng20.aol.com>
Source record: 128112

this is a 20 amp power supply however it is not for continous operation at 20 amps as it has no fan for the pass transistors and they do get warm.
hope this helps
Nï¿½DG

2445. FS:Icom IC-706 and AT-180

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Garrett Waltrip <garrett@relia.net>
Message-ID: <36338b35.0@news.relia.net>
Source record: 128113
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

I have for sale-
Icom IC-706 (Original) with HM-95 Touch Tone Hand mic.
Matching AT-180 auto antenna tuner for the 706.
The 706 has the CR-502 High stability oscillator,
UT-102 Voice synth. and
FL-223 1.9 kHz IF SSB filter installed.
Radio has the MARS/CAP Mods.

$925.00 shipped Con U.S.
Will not separate! Price is firm!

I can send digital pictures if interested.
I am looking for a Swan 250 in good condition.
Also looking for a 5 pin DIN to fit a Microwave Modules Transverter.

Garrett B. Waltrip
N7QWT
garrett@relia.net

By US Code Title 47, Sec.227(a)(2)(B), a computer/modem/printer
meets the definition of a telephone fax machine. By Sec.227(b)
(1)(C), it is unlawful to send any unsolicited advertisement to
such equipment, punishable by action to recover actual monetary
loss, or $500, whichever is greater, for EACH violation.

2446. FT1000D - USB distortion?? - help!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Valentine <tde@ntplx.net>
Message-ID: <36338B65.794C@ntplx.net>
Source record: 128114

-- USB DISTORTION --
The USB on my FT1000D has somewhat distorted audio when compared to LSB. The pitch is right, but it just has some distortion, albeit kind of slight. It is noticeably better on LSB. The only thing I thought of checking was the TCXO. Tweaking the TCXO can make either USB or LSB sound deeper or higher, depending, and there is 2 nulls. I have it adjusted "even" toned for both sidebands now, and it's on freq, but no matter how it's tweaked (I've had it in every concievable spot) the LSB always has the cleaner sound. Do you think there's a fix for this??
Thanks for any help - Rick, N1SQJ

2447. Re: DRAKE RV75 SYNTHESIZED VFO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jay Craswell <73016.27@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <OxxQCgFA#GA.56@nih2naac.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 128115

I agree! $600 for a VFO? One of the reasons I designed the
DigiVFO and DigiBrain for a QST article. Amazing and crazy. Of
course if it was a little more rare. <grin>

73 - Jay W0VNE

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73, Jay WB0VNE - AAV5TH

2448. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jay Craswell <73016.27@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <OBavkjFA#GA.56@nih2naac.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 128116

The electronic effect of Nuclear weapons were described in (I think) 1975 issues of QST magazine. The main difference between EMP and lightning is the speed. Thus Lightning protection is not enough. You CAN emp protect equipment. Even solid state gear. No one can say if it's worth doing but I suspect that's been the problem in all preperations for disaster.

The comments about everyone being dead after a nuclear exhange are all well and good but in every simulation I've heard of a certain percentage survives. I do agree that having a working Short Wave set is not the only thing you should prepare if your really interested in this sort of thing.

73 - Jay W0VNE

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73, Jay WB0VNE - AAV5TH

2449. HQ-180 with 10" spkr forsale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: terrybu@newman.ens.tek.com
Message-ID: <71049h$4vo@newman.ens.tek.com>
Source record: 128117

I have a Hammarlund HQ-180 with speaker forsale. I estimate it to be a 7-7.5 out of 10. It works but I believe a good alignment would do world of good for it. Front panel is very good but the frame around it is a little rough. I believe the case has been repainted but I'm not sure. Make offer. I have only seen one other HQ-180 forsale and I know these tripple conversion rigs are considered amoung the best Hammarlunds with the SP600's so I'm guessing about $300 with the speaker isn't too much to expect. Shipping to be paid by buyer. Make offer.

Terry
KI7M
Keizer, OR 97303
(503) 393-0545

2450. Wanted: Scanner Realistic PRO-2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jay Wade <jwade@wilkshire.net>
Message-ID: <XAMY1.225$OK1.2101947@iagnews.iagnet.net>
Source record: 128118

I am looking for a Realistic PRO-2006. I had one but it was destroyed by lightning in Aug 98. If you have one and are willing to part with it email me at jwade@wilkshire.net

Thanks
Jay Wade
KB8UTM

2451. FS**** 5CX1500 tube $200.00 ****

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: KF6IKC@webtv.net
Message-ID: <13531-36338C9F-44@newsd-133.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 128119
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Have a full output 5CX1500 tube.This is the oe Henry used in there 4K export amp. Price is $200.00 + shipping.

73's
Stan

2452. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <367d8b3e.717608534@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 128120
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On 23 Oct 1998 23:30:36 GMT, "DavidC" <davidc@bit-net.com> wrote:
>This begs an obvious question. Can anyone list any Amateur Radio
>transceiver or rx/tx combo, connected to an antenna, that is likely to
>survive a 100+ mile away nuclear attack? Tube and/or semiconductor. Or
>are we assuming a rig would really need to have been stored in a specially
>shielded container?

Virtually any amateur rig should survive a ground burst or low air burst
100 miles away. That's well outside the range of the prompt effects of
a nuclear weapon. Of course if the burst is 100 miles up, then that's a
somewhat different story. Then there will be a NEMP effect that extends
beyond the blast and flash burn radius of the device. There's very little
NEMP for a low burst because the atmosphere is sufficiently dense to
rapidly absorb the X-rays from the detonation and convert them to heat.
So you don't get NEMP effects beyond the flash burn radius. Since the
latter is more serious, the former can be considered moot.

At 100 miles up, however, the atmosphere is sufficiently thin that the
X-rays can travel large distances, and accelerate Compton electrons
to generate a large electromagnetic pulse. This effect will spread over
an area of several thousand square miles. Fortunately, the inverse
square law comes into play. The field intensity from the NEMP of a
20 MT device detonated 100 miles up to a point on the surface will be
roughly equal to the field intensity 8 miles from a lightning strike (in
every direction). That's not of much concern to electronic equipment
directly. We don't need to seal our equipment in a Faraday cage to
protect it from direct effects of NEMP.

However, long exposed conductors will suffer an induction equivalent
to having a lightning EMP 8 miles from *every point* along the conductor.
So extended conductors such as the power or telephone grid are very
vulnerable to NEMP, as is anything connected to them at the time. The
cumulative surge on these conductors can reach huge values. There
is some concern with unprotected long HF antennas too. So you should
have NEMP rated surge suppressors on power and antenna leads to
avoid *indirect* damage to your equipment.

If you've engineered your station to tolerate direct lightning strikes,
and you can, then you needn't worry about NEMP. NEMP won't present
you with voltages or currents in excess of what you'd see in a direct
strike. The pulse risetime is a bit quicker, however, so you need fast
gas discharge devices. Those which are fast enough will have a NEMP
rating. (Polyphaser has them.)

>Is there a military or commercial surplus rig that is available to Hams for
>use on Ham bands that would meet the survivability specs?

As noted, even Radio Shack radios should survive if ordinary precautions
are taken to protect them from surge.

>BTW: Must we not assume that the operator is less resiliant than the rig?
>Is there not a several hundred mile minimum before the rig will have a
>living operator ... especially within a few days?

That depends on where you are with respect to a target zone, which way
the wind is blowing, and whether you have taken any fallout protective
steps. The following estimates are from The Effects of Nuclear Weapons
and assume a 20 MT device. Most devices aren't that large today.

In general, unless you're in a hardened shelter (like Cheyenne
Mtn), inside 3 miles you're toast due to blast and heat pulse effects.
Inside 10 miles you still need to be sheltered from the direct blast, but
an ordinary concrete and steel building will suffice, and you'll need
independent oxygen to survive the following fire storm (about an hour's
worth). But at 30 miles you're outside the horizon of direct blast and
heat pulse effects, and you have between 15 minutes and 3 hours to
find shelter from the fallout (depending on which way the wind is blowing).
At 100 miles, you aren't likely to be directly aware that anything is
happening, and will have from a couple of hours to a day or two to
seek shelter from the fallout.

Immediate life threatening levels of fallout will decay within 2 weeks of
the blast. If you can shelter that long, you'll have a good chance of surviving
the war. You'll have to start decontaminating the areas where you work and
live immediately, of course, or long term radiation exposure effects may still
get you. Realize that a majority of the inhabitants of Hiroshima and Nagasaki
did survive the war, and that there are flourishing cities there again. The
weapons today are bigger, but our country is much bigger too.

>I'm still of the opinion that once a nuke war starts, unless a localized
>terrorist attack, that we will all be dead (or well on the way there) so
>quickly that we won't care about radios! Depending on what the
>fraud-in-chief gave away to get his wanna-be-jimmy-carter middle east
>accord we may be well on our way to a huge explosion in that region that
>could rapidly spread.

I don't think that's the case. According to the best estimates I've seen,
we'd lose between 20 and 100 million Americans in a full scale nuclear
war. (The variance is largely due to how stupidly or not the people will
react when the war happens.) That's less than half the population worst
case. If the survivors take sensible fallout precautions, the loss could
be as low as that suffered by the former Soviet Union in WWII. That's
survivable as a nation and culture. The world would be a less healthy
place for some hundreds of years, but it wouldn't be armageddon.

The estimate assumed the US and Soviet Union at peak nuclear
strength. With current levels of disarmament, nuclear war has
become much more thinkable than just a few years ago. Instead

of having to absorb 20,000 nuclear explosions, today either side would only have to deal with less than a thousand. And today's bombs are smaller too (average 150 KT). That's a somewhat scary trend. It is making nuclear war fighting look like a winnable proposition to a leadership willing to take large losses.

Gary

Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

2453. 40 Mtr. dipole traps

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Butch Magee <butchkay@netdoor.com>
Message-ID: <36339B1B.CCCBB8D5@netdoor.com>
Source record: 128121

I have B&W 40 Mtr. traps for sale. 35.00 shipped

Butch KF5DE

2454. Pointer to Ham Radio.FAQ

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: john@wd1v.mv.com
Message-ID: <john-2510981656280001@bnh-1-45.mv.com>
Source record: 128122

The New and Expanding Ham Radio.FAQ is at

http://www.mv.com/ipusers/wd1v/hamradio.faq.html

Please share the URL with your friends that might
have an interest in amateur radio.

Its the wireless internet!

2455. Singer CSM-1 info needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Melland <badger@vbe.com>
Message-ID: <36339FF5.9FE@vbe.com>
Source record: 128123

Looking for anyone who has info on the Singer CSM-1 service monitor. I need some general spec's and info and could call after 5pm CST to speak with anyone having info.

73
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Michael Melland, KB9QHU
Winneconne, Wisconsin, USA
FISTS #4387, 10-10 #69281, QRP-L #1656
CW, SSB, and Electronics
List Administrator: grundig@qth.net
http://www.vbe.com/~badger
http://www.qsl.net/kb9qhu

2456. Yaesu FT-1000D Station FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jjbayne@spambait.net
Message-ID: <3634a273.14957936@news3.ibm.net>
Source record: 128124

I have the following equipment for sale:

Yaesu FT-1000D $3575 MINT (Honest)
(With Manual - Hand Mic)

Two Optional Filters Installed:
XF-455MC $125
YF-110CN $125

SP5 Speaker $125
LL-5 Phone Patch Installed $110

MD-1 Microphone $70

DVS-2 Digital Voice Unit $190

$4320 OBO Takes it all. E-mail me at nospam-jjbayne@ibm.net
(remove "nospam-" for valid email address.) Or, call me at
904-677-8520.

Thanks,

John N4EEB

2457. Re: EMP pulse wave?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <367fa426.723985426@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 128125
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On 25 Oct 1998 14:48:53 GMT, Richard Carroll <w0ex@scan.missouri.org> wrote
> I had always thought the best way to mitigate an EMP was
>the same as lightning mitigation--unhook all equipment from
>all associated wiring--both antennas and power mains, as
>well as ground. Of course it can't be used unhooked, and
>vastly more sophisticated means of mitigation for lightning
>and EMP must be employed for gear that is kept in service.
>But it means that your backup rig sitting unhooked and idle
>on the closet shelf should be pretty well immune and will
>survive to be placed into service.

Yep, there's no need to put it in a steel box and bury it in
the ground. That's just uninformed paranoia.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

2458. Motorola Radius P200 For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jjbayne@spambait.net
Message-ID: <3636a43f.15418502@news3.ibm.net>
Source record: 128126

Very good condition Radius P200 UHF 2-Channel.
Asking $185 with extra battery included.

John N4EEB
qbfan@ibm.net
(904) 677-8520

2459. Re: dumb question from a new Ham re: 10m and CB.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Christopher Zeman, KB9RHA" <zman@iwc.net>
Message-ID: <PzNY1.69$pv5.237@news14.ispnews.com>
Source record: 128127

WA8ULX wrote in message <19981025104433.03423.00000412@ngol02.aol.com>...
>
>In article <36336C47.5A95@1st.net>, duane olexa <do@1st.net> writes:
>
>>so instead of trying to drive away hams that are new to the hobby, how
>>about a little understanding.
>>
>>duane wm8n in ohio
>>
>
>How about a little effort on there part to learn some Basic Skills, and I
dont
>mean learning to memorize a bunch of questions that have no meaning to
them.

You must be one of those hams that hates no-code techs.
You, sir, are one of the pitiful amateur radio operators, not the person
asking the question regarding propagation.

Christopher Zeman, KB9RHA

2460. Re: Motrola Radius

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: frog207lillypads@juno.com
Message-ID: <7108k4$ko7$3@news.ncal.verio.com>
Source record: 128128

>> Although my experience is only with VHF HI and UHF Radius radios,
>(M208), I
>>find that you can generally ignore this message as the preset factory
>tuning
>>for the band doesn't degrade performance in the adjacent ham bands.

>If you only go about 1-5MHz out, but after that you're probably not
>going to get the same Tx/Rx quality. Usually.

My UHF M216's work fine all the way down to 440.025 MHz. That's 10 MHz
below the commercial band edge. My VHF M208's work fine down to 144.5 MHz,
that's 5.5 MHz below the commercial band edge. On low band, the FM portion
of 6M band lies entirely within 2MHz of the edge of the commercial band.

Ed

REPLY INFO:
==
Return address modified to prevent automatic SPAM response.
TO REPLY: remove the "lillypads" from my return address.
==

2461. FS:EPROMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Kalamas <tkalamas@northnet.org>
Message-ID: <7108m8$8fg$1@news.clarkson.edu>
Source record: 128129

Hello,
I Have 16 TI 27C128-2JL EPROM's

Forsale
Make me any offer

Thomas Kalamas
E-mail Address(es):
tkalamas@northnet.org

2462. Re: dumb question from a new Ham re: 10m and CB.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: brianburke@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <710b5sfan1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128130

In article <19981025091832.03391.00000308@ngol07.aol.com>,
wa8ulx@aol.com (WA8ULX) wrote:
>
> In article <3632CD87.33B6@pop.removethistomailme.net>, John Miles
> <jmiles@pop.removethistomailme.net> writes:
>
> >I get the impression they don't worry too much about making people study
> >things like basic propagation anymore.
> >
> >-- jm KE5FX
> >
>
> You got that right, only thing they do is Memorize a Bunch of Questions that
> dont mean anything to them, now were going to make it even simpler by getting
> rid of CW Testing, GOOD BYE HAM RADIO HELLO CB
>

So go take those easy ole exams again, whydoncha?

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2463. Re: dumb question from a new Ham re: 10m and CB.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: brianburke@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <710bu0$g6b$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128131

In article <363326B6.FC3@worldnet.att.net>,
tom.currie@att.net wrote:
> pat@replyhere.please.com wrote:
> >
> > Hi,
> >
> > I am a new HAM. I have a dumb question:
> >
> > Since the 10 Meter HF band is so close to the CB band. Does the CB
> > radios also do skip and radio wave propagation?
> >
> > Pls. post replies here.
>
> There is a saying that "the only dumb question is the one that isn't
> asked" -- that old saying is wrong -- you are right. It IS a "dumb
> question".

Then again, the only dumb answer is the one that WA8ULX offers.

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2464. Re: dumb question from a new Ham re: 10m and CB.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: brianburke@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <710cvphgt1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128132

In article <19981025104433.03423.00000412@ngol02.aol.com>,
wa8ulx@aol.com (WA8ULX) wrote:
>
> In article <36336C47.5A95@1st.net>, duane olexa <do@1st.net> writes:
>
> >so instead of trying to drive away hams that are new to the hobby, how
> >about a little understanding.
> >
> >duane wm8n in ohio
> >
>
> How about a little effort on there part to learn some Basic Skills, and I dont
> mean learning to memorize a bunch of questions that have no meaning to them.
>
Perhaps a little effort should be made in "Basic Skills," such learning which
"there, their, or they're," to use, or where to put the apostrophe on a
contraction, or even putting a question mark at the end of a question.

Bruce, its a good thing for you that the FCC doesn't require literacy for
licensing.

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2465. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Carroll <w0ex@scan.missouri.org>
Message-ID: <7109a3$2bi$0@208.207.71.167>
Source record: 128133
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Richard Plourde wrote:
> >
> You don't suppose this is just one more attempt at your favorite ploy of
> trying to alienate people for sport.

No, Dick I don't do that...it's just that my attempts to
cause some folks to take a more objective look at their
positions are sometimes interpreted as such.

> Dick, please, don't say that I 'sound' like MM... I feel I'm much more
> coherent and I find it impossible to agree with him most of the time.

I have no quarrel with Mark but I really believe he's
"paranoided" himself into a corner from which he finds it
impossible to back out.

Dick C

2466. FS: TNC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Kalamas <tkalamas@northnet.org>
Message-ID: <710955$8g1$1@news.clarkson.edu>
Source record: 128134

Hello,
I have a MFJ TNC forsale with Tiny Two Chip Set..
$40.00 with Manuals

Thomas Kalamas
E-mail Address(es):
tkalamas@northnet.org

2467. Re: EMP pulse wave?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Carroll <w0ex@scan.missouri.org>
Message-ID: <70u9f4$432$0@208.207.71.169>
Source record: 128135
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

if a small nuclear weapon were to be detonated at a high
altitude
> over the center of the U.S...it would be enough to wipe out most electronic
> equipment over the North american continent

So where does that leave all the "latest digital"
equipment? Dead in the water, right along with all the SS
analog stuff, if this is true.
If anything would survive to be usable, it'd be tube type
gear (You'd have to replace all solid state rectifiers and
signal diodes) and whatever SS gear that was inside proper
Faraday shielding.

Dick C

2468. Re: EMP pulse wave?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <366eb265.662086435@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 128136
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Sun, 25 Oct 1998 03:02:47 GMT, "Jeff" <eprom@uscom.com> wrote:
>BTW - if a small nuclear weapon were to be detonated at a high altitude
>over the center of the U.S...it would be enough to wipe out most electronic
>equipment over the North american continent

That's something of a myth. As we've learned more about the nature of NEMP, and ways of dealing with it, the NEMP threat is less than it at first appeared. NEMP isn't very different from lightning EMP. If a 20 MT device were exploded at an altitude of 100 miles, the field strength delivered to the ground would be about equivalent to that delivered by a lightning strike 8 miles away (inverse square law at work). We've all experienced that, and most times our equipment has survived unharmed.

The hazard is to equipment connected to long exposed conductors. While the field strength delivered by NEMP isn't that great at any single point, it is great when accumulated over a long distance. That 8 mile distant lightning strike doesn't seem like much until you consider it is equivalent to a a strike 8 miles distant from *every point* along a conductor on a continental scale. So it presents a severe hazard to the power grid and to the telephone grid because the cummulative effect becomes huge.

We've developed effective ways to deal with NEMP surge, however. The conductors *inside* modern solid state equipment are so short that NEMP surge pickup is essentially nil. We can basically ignore that issue. What we have to worry about is surge conducted to the equipment from external wiring. The same modern gas discharge protectors we use for lightning strike protection also work for NEMP. And many of the same RFI suppression steps we take to meet RFI emission limits also work in the other direction to mitigate the effects of NEMP.

If we engineer our stations to withstand lightning strikes to antennas and mains power, and we can, then we need not be concerned about NEMP. Most broadcast stations today are all solid state, and most of them take lightning strikes in every storm, yet it is rare for them to sustain any damage. That's because they have taken the proper layout and suppression steps to mitigate the effects of the strike. We can do the same thing for our amateur stations. (Many of us *don't*, but that's a separate issue.)

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2469. Re: dumb question from a new Ham re: 10m and CB.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: pat@nospam.com
Message-ID: <3634909c.9846478@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 128137

That leads to my next question. Why bother learning code you I can
buy a CB radio?

On Sun, 25 Oct 1998 04:16:32 GMT, Bill <whagen@NOREPLY.inreach.com>
wrote:

>pat@replyhere.please.com wrote:
>>
>> Hi,
>
>> I am a new HAM. I have a dumb question:
>>
>> Since the 10 Meter HF band is so close to the CB band. Does the CB
>> radios also do skip and radio wave propagation?
>>
>> Pls. post replies here.
>How did you get a license?
>
>yes, it also skips, on a good day 4 watts goes forever.
>I have heard of people monitoring the cb bands for a particular sound
>that tells them when the 11 meter band is skipping. Then they turn on
>the 10 meter rig.

2470. Re: TEN-TEC SCOUT 555

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <366ca2ad.658061258@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 128138

On Sat, 24 Oct 1998 20:05:53 -0500, "Bradley S. Stone" <nb9m@reliable-net.net> wrote:
>I couldn't help but comment on the Scout. I used it during the last field
>day, and don't understand all the "hubub" about this little plastiky,
>stripped-down radio. I thought the days of plug-in bandswitching went away
>with the National HRO! The receiver was OK, but certainly not any better
>than the nearby Yaesu 757. Image rejection was poor.
>
>For over 500 bucks, one could do better with a used Kenwood or Icom. Or
>better yet, a good used Hallicrafters :)
> -Brad, NB9M
>Hallicrafters Collectors Association webmaster, www.qsl.net/hca/Default.htm

That's a little harsh, but basically accurate. The radio *is* extremely stripped down. By the time you add the band units, the noise blanker, and a microphone (all of which come standard with most of today's rigs), you've spent about as much as for a IC706 or DX70TH. All TenTec radios look and feel like cheap plastic, but that doesn't seem to detract from their operational qualities. The Scout is more attractive than a number of other TenTec rigs, but it is hardly an esthetic winner compared to some of the other radios on the market.

The major claim to fame of the Scout is that it uses an analog VFO. That's supposed to reduce phase noise compared to a synthesized rig. But the synthesizers in most of today's rigs have already addressed that problem (which was acute in first generation synthesized equipment, but is basically gone with more modern rigs). The frequency hopping of the Scout's AFC system is merely annoying for CW and SSB operation, but it is devastating for data operation. (Not that you're likely to use a Scout for data operation given the poor heatsinking of the PA.)

The plug in coils do give the Scout a sort of retro appeal, but they're a real hassle for mobile or portable operation. You have to store them somewhere, so the small size of the radio is deceptive. When you allow room for the band units, it winds up being a bulky package. When you consider that the Argonaut manged to fit all the coils and bandswitching into a box little bigger than the Scout (and the Argonaut box was mostly empty space), and when you look at a IC706 or DX70TH, the size advantage of the Scout seems to melt away in the same way that its price advantage seems to melt away when you add up all the things which are extra cost for it which are standard equipment in other radios.

I think that if the Scout had been offered as a *kit*, it might have more appeal. The way it is built lends itself to kit construction, and one might overlook some of its shortcomings in return for the pleasure of saying one built it for himself. But as a ready built radio, it doesn't offer much compared to some of its competitors.

That's especially true when you look at the used market. You can get a very nice used Icom/Kenwood/Yaesu for the price of a Scout. For example, a used

IC735 goes for about the same price as the Scout, but the IC735 is a much better radio. (Given its astonishingly long production run, the IC735 is an amazing radio anyway. Icom got it right the first time, and couldn't top it for over a decade and a half. That's pretty amazing in today's era of model of the month rigs.)

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2471. Re: EMP pulse wave?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <366db02e.661519098@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 128139
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Sat, 24 Oct 1998 15:00:22 -0400, Gareth Crispell <gareth@capecod.net> wrote:
>Would a nuclear driven EMP pulse wave shut down all these modern CPU
>enhanced rigs? I think maybe the old glass rigs would fare better.

According to the ARRL test data in the Navy's NEMP simulator, that's not the case. The real hazard is to radios connected to long exposed unprotected conductors, IE mains power or HF antennas. In the tests, tube type HF rigs sustained damage to the front end coil assemblies. Battery powered VHF solid state radios sustained no damage. HF radios, solid state or tube, protected by suitable NEMP suppression (properly installed) suffered no damage. And no disconnected radio suffered any damage.

The high impedance of tube equipment tends to make it more susceptable to flashovers in the input circuitry. Since that's harder to change than a tube, the advantage of tubes is moot. NEMP protection is available today, and with that properly installed, there is no reason to fear NEMP.

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2472. Re: Yaesu FT-100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: user66@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981025011057.05400.00000886@ng145.aol.com>
Source record: 128140

>ovember.
>Does anybody know if ICOM is going to release an IC-706 mark III

YES !
Icom ic 706 mk II- G

440 incl + qro on vhf

2473. Re: FT-50RD Battery questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: marc_k@walrus.com
Message-ID: <70uenvshe1@alice.walrus.com>
Source record: 128141

Mike-M (mmorrow@companet.net) wrote:
: Dave Martindale wrote:

: > The FBA-15 has no protective devices. They aren't really needed with
: > alkaline cells, whose internal resistance limits the short-circuit
: > current.

: <snip>

: > Finally, the voltage is lower. The FBA-15 with NiCd cells is 4.8 V,
: > while the Yaesu packs are all 6 V or more. The radio works to below
: > 4 V, but power will be reduced.
:

: I've had real good luck with the rechargable alkaline cells made by
: Raytheon as the "Renewal" brand. In the FBA-15, you get a regular 6
: volts, higher capacity over NiMH or NiCD, and defacto short circuit
: protection. Of course, you'll need a special charger, such as the wall
: charger they make for four AA cells for about $14. These cells do not
: like to be repeatedly deep-discharged, so recharge them before they get
: too low.

: > MAHA makes a fast charger that can be equipped with custom cups
: > for various radios, including the FT-50.

: Actually, the Maha charger for the FT-50-type batteries is the
: MH-101-Y3, and it is custom made for those type batteries only. It
: seems to work reasonably well for NiCd and NiMH packs of 6, 7.2, and 9.6
: volts, from 600 mA-hr to 1800 mA-hr capacity. The only problem I've had
: with mine is an overheating of one of the contact pins which melted the
: case plastic away from the pin (it's still usable). It charges a pack
: in 1 to 2 hours. I think it's well worth the $50 typical price, which
: is less than the cost of one battery pack.

: 73 Mike / KK5F
Personally, as far as chargers go, I like the W & W Associates Master
Chargers.
Not too costly, and if you change radios, the top "cup" that the battery
drops into swaps out in about a minute.

2474. Re: Descrambling TV

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <366fba04.664037724@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 128142

On 24 Oct 1998 20:17:32 GMT, btslfke@poboxes.com wrote:
> As a fellow-travelling-but-inactive ham I have a question which is
>not core ham activity but I hope folks here will give a shot.
>
> I recently received a spam email suggesting that I send $5 for
>an "internet guide to cable descrambling" together with a
>"radio shack parts list" for $12 in parts.
>According th the sender these parts and directions will allow
>me to modify a cable TV box so that scrambled premium TV signals are
>descrambled and made viewable. The email states that federal law
>allows one to own such a box and thus modifying it is legal (by inference?).

Modifying the box is legal, using it to steal common carrier signals is not.
That's called theft of services, and is a crime.

> I havn't viewed commercial TV for about 15 years and don't possess
>cable, satellite or antenna for reception; but the message piqued
>my curiosity. Stopped in at the local Radio Shack to ask what this
>was all about. The guy there was quite alert to the question and
>informed me as follows:
>
> "A key capacitor in the list is not available anywhere and
> it won't work even if you could find it."
>
> An interesting answer but somehow not satisfying.

Just remember that the average Radio Shack employee was
asking "You want fries with that?" last week. Since you can
synthesize any value capacitor you might need by appropriate
series and parallel combinations of standard value capacitors,
that part of his answer is nonsense. His claim that it wouldn't
work anyway is likely more accurate.

>Without getting
>into the legality and ethic of descrambling, both interesting
>questions in their own right, is it possible to end run
>the cable TV companies? If one can do this with cable, which
>one must presumably pay for even to have it CONNECTED to the house
>for "basic" channels, how about satellite reception, which
>we can't even pay to keep OUT?

In the somewhat distant past, cable companies "scrambled" their
premium channels by inserting an interfering carrier on the cable
channel. To "descramble" it, a trap filter was installed to suck out
the offending carrier. Very few, if any, cable systems still do this.
A simple trap filter would "descramble" these signals.

A more modern technique used suppressed sync. Signal amplitude
was reduced sharply during sync pulse transmission. This prevented
you from getting a stable image on an ordinary receiver. Use of a
keyed AGC amp in the cable box would restore sync. This is still
done on some cable systems. This is also a simple system to beat.

In conjunction with suppressed sync, some systems also used inverted
video polarity. A single inverting amplifier stage undoes this sort of scrambling.
This must be done at baseband, IE between the cable tuner and the remodulator
to channel 3 or 4 going to the TV set. There were a number of popular schemes
circulating for modifying a cable box to descramble this sort of signal. This
method is still used in some cable systems, and on some C band satellite
signals. Often, the audio channel was scrambled too, and that's harder to
undo.

Today, most scrambling systems digitally reorder the scan lines of the picture.
There's no simple way of undoing this sort of scrambling. You have to trick the
descrambler box into thinking that you are authorized to receive the signal and
let it descramble the signal. The early boxes were fairly simple to fool. Newer
boxes have taken steps to make that harder. Some people have figured out ways
to beat it, but it isn't simple, and it isn't cheap. You have to mill away a protective
epoxy layer and do modifications to the circuitry. You also generally need at
least one legitimately authorized premium service for the box.

DSS signals are even more complicated to descramble. They are compressed
digital bit streams with actual encryption using keys which are changed periodically
and are updated using a telephone connection to the box. These have been hacked
too. Most of the hacks revolve around the use of a "test card", and having at least
one premium service legitimately authorized for the box. It isn't a matter of a few
parts from Radio Shack. There's also a danger that the box will report you via
the telephone connection. (I don't know that current firmware can actually do
this, but it would easily be possible.)

Remember, theft of services is a crime. The FBI does conduct raids against
pirates from time to time. Your chance of getting caught may be small, but it
isn't negligible. The penalties can be stiff. Mere possession of a hacked box
may be treated the same way as possession of an illegal CB amp, IE the
same as possession of burglar tools, and taken as intent to commit a crime.
Most people caught are charged with conspiracy to commit fraud, and that's
a hard charge to disprove if you have the tools to commit fraud in your
possession.

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2475. Re: Yaesu FT-100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3670c88f.667761461@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 128143

On Sat, 24 Oct 1998 22:21:17 -0500, "Dan Elekman" <elekman@interaccess.com> wrote:
>I understand that the Yaesu FT-100 will be available for sale in November.
>Does anybody know if ICOM is going to release an IC-706 mark III that will
>compete with this radio?

It is called the IC706MkIIG. You can see it on the Icom Japan website.

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2476. Re: dumb question from a new Ham re: 10m and CB.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Miles <jmiles@pop.removethistomailme.net>
Message-ID: <3632CD87.33B6@pop.removethistomailme.net>
Source record: 128144

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Bill wrote:
>
> pat@replyhere.please.com wrote:
> >
> > Hi,
> >
> > I am a new HAM. I have a dumb question:
> >
> > Since the 10 Meter HF band is so close to the CB band. Does the CB
> > radios also do skip and radio wave propagation?
> >
> > Pls. post replies here.
>
> How did you get a license?
>

I get the impression they don't worry too much about making people study
things like basic propagation anymore.

-- jm KE5FX

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Note: My E-mail address has been altered to avoid spam
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2477. Help How to Mod a FT51R?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: OMK <omk4@sprynet.com>
Message-ID: <70ujlqlgb1@juliana.sprynet.com>
Source record: 128145

Hi.... Can I do some Mod on FT51R and how can I do it ? and how far.

Thank you in advance .
Omar K.

2478. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
Message-ID: <363346E0.2DB6@cats-net.com>
Source record: 128146
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

W6RCecilA wrote:

> Richard Carroll wrote:
> > I have seen times when a CW capability
> > would have been very useful but was not available, ...

> I've seen times when a helicopter capability would have
> been bery useful but was not available. It's all a matter
> of Return On Investment, Dick.

> I've seen times when a crash helmet would have been very
> useful in an automobile wreck. Why aren't you advocating
> crash helmets for automobiles? That would save a heck of
> a lot more lives in a year than CW ever has or will.

...in the amateur radio policy newsgroup? I'm not saving whales here either, Cecil. Are you wearing a crash helmet as you post? Wouldn't want you getting hurt toppling from your chair.

Dave 5H3US, K8MN
only amateur radio -- no basketball dunking, no "men having babies", no crash helmet advocates.

2479. Quick dual band vertial base antenna question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: yung@NOSPAM.lansol.com
Message-ID: <3632dd56.23375922@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 128147
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On a dual band (2m/70cm) vertical base ground plane type anteann:

Does it matter if the 3 radial elements is situated above or below the
top of the mast pole?

thanks for the info.

*** remove "nospam" for e-mail replies ***

2480. FS Icom IC821H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: stu <stu@harborcom.net>
Message-ID: <3632E8C1.2C0E94C9@harborcom.net>
Source record: 128148
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Greetings,
For sale Icom IC821H 2 meter 70 cm all mode. Sat. ready. 9600 packet out of the box. Non smoking environment. In brand new condition. No scratches etc. Purchased 06/97 from HRO. Box/ manual/ tone board installed. $1100.00 shipped. 440-352-7787 or stu@harborcom.net Thanks in advance. 73, Stuart KB8VIY

2481. IC-Q7, clone, 0-30MHz, here it is.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ingra-Beton@t-online.de
Message-ID: <70uon5mbc1@news00.btx.dtag.de>
Source record: 128149

Since 02.08.98 we all know that the IC-Q7 is PC Programmable,
a great thank to OK1OMX, and his page http://www.hamradio.cz

The Interface is a simple OPC478 compatible interface that ICOM
Uses for all radios, you can use also the interface for the YAESU
FT51/FT50/VX1 or any other HALFDUPLEX RS232 to TTL converter, there
are many variations on the web.

You can find a VERY simple one at http://www.hamradio.cz
The parts are not more then 3 US$ or 5 DM.

So here is the first complete Software solution, with this
Software you can do everything that is allowed by the Firmware,
and beyond.

You can download from http://home.t-online.de/home/Ingra-Beton
the current 0.99 beta version.

The most interesting thing is entering Frequencies below 30MHz,
Yes, yes, the IC-Q7 is complete capable receiving down to 0.5MHz
and below, it has the same (or almost the same) receiver part
as the IC-R2.

The IC-Q7 has excellent sensitivity in the 0-30MHz.

The current Software only demonstrates this capability, full
Implementation to up/download 0-1599MHz Frequencies and opening
a WideRXMode do dial from 0-1599MHz (without gaps) will be
implemented in the version 1.00 (in a couple of weeks), after
clearing bugs and solving some little problems :)

Bugs, suggestions,... to my Email please.

Greetings, ...

Thanks to: Riku Kalinen (OH2LWO), Eric Free and OK1OMX
Hey Riku, I have vorgotten you in the readme.txt, sorry :)

2482. F.S. TUBES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: BOB BIEKER <n9tew@jorsm.com>
Message-ID: <363314D2.D6BB8C1D@jorsm.com>
Source record: 128150
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.shortwave

NOS TUBES
MATCHED PAIR OF 6JS6C TUBES PLUS A 12BY7A DRIVER (BULK PACK RCA SILVERTONE) 64.00 (32.00 EACH). MATCHED PAIR OF 6146W OR 6JB6A PLUS A 12BY7A (RCA BULK PACK SILVER TONE) 36.00 (18.00 EACH). 6LQ6 32.00 ,6LR6 25.00 , 6KD6 30.00 , 6JG6 25.00 ,6LF6 OR 20LF6 40.00, GE 8908 75.00 .OTHER TUBES ARE AVAILABLE .USED TUBES ARE ALSO AVAILABLE FOR 50% OFF. ALL TUBES ARE TESTED . BEST TO EMAIL ME AT n9tew@jorsm.com

2483. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Plourde <n1sjm@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <#nKIiMBA#GA.210@upnetnews03>
Source record: 128151
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Dave Heil wrote in message <363346E0.2DB6@cats-net.com>...
|only amateur radio -- no basketball dunking, no "men having babies", no
|crash helmet advocates.

Only real men here, hey Dave? What a narrow-minded view; if the newbies aren't 'created in our image' we, as real hams, don't want them. Reminds me of the intolerance of a cerain political party. Maybe there will be hope in the next millenium.

73 de Dick, N1SJM

2484. Uniden Parts Phone number

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: xhacker@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981025072242.16533.00001037@ng111.aol.com>
Source record: 128152

Does anyone had the phone number for Uniden Parts. I have a HR2600 in need of a new microphone.

Thanks

Lewis Hipkins

Xhacker@aol.com
"Better Living via Social Engineering!"

2485. Re: FREE tower

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: commengrs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981025073210.15121.00000922@ng128.aol.com>
Source record: 128153

what model and where are you om ?
commengrs@aol.com

2486. WTB: /\/\otorola GTX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: klo1937@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981025080020.29075.00000887@ng22.aol.com>
Source record: 128154

I am looking for a Motorola GTX Portable
Please Reply
klo1937@aol.com

2487. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
Message-ID: <36338BEB.B75@cats-net.com>
Source record: 128155
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Richard Plourde wrote:
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> Dave Heil wrote in message <363346E0.2DB6@cats-net.com>...
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> |crash helmet advocates.
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> Only real men here, hey Dave? What a narrow-minded view; if the newbies
> aren't 'created in our image' we, as real hams, don't want them. Reminds me
> of the intolerance of a cerain political party. Maybe there will be hope in
> the next millenium.
>
> 73 de Dick, N1SJM

Naw, Dick, only references to some of Cecil's past stretches of the
imagination. Which political party do you refer to...our own radical
left, the party of political correctness?

Dave 5H3US

2488. Re: Motrola Radius

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tony Szablowski <aszablowski@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <70v8r0$1jg@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 128156

Ed G. wrote in message <70u1q6$22$2@news.ncal.verio.com>...
>x-no-archive: yes
> Although my experience is only with VHF HI and UHF Radius radios,
(M208), I
>find that you can generally ignore this message as the preset factory
tuning
>for the band doesn't degrade performance in the adjacent ham bands.

If you only go about 1-5MHz out, but after that you're probably not
going to get the same Tx/Rx quality. Usually.
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Regards,
Tony

2489. Re: dumb question from a new Ham re: 10m and CB.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Currie <tom.currie@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <363326B6.FC3@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 128157

pat@replyhere.please.com wrote:
>
> Hi,
>
> I am a new HAM. I have a dumb question:
>
> Since the 10 Meter HF band is so close to the CB band. Does the CB
> radios also do skip and radio wave propagation?
>
> Pls. post replies here.

There is a saying that "the only dumb question is the one that isn't asked" -- that old saying is wrong -- you are right. It IS a "dumb question".

It is a question that you should absolutely have learned the answer to if you had bothered learning enough to pass the written exam for the ham license you claim to hold (even at the Novice level).

Why don't you come back when you are serious, instead of just typing to see your message in the newsgroup?

2490. Re: Yaesu FT-100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: brianburke@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <70vbit$8pj$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128158

In article <19981025011057.05400.00000886@ng145.aol.com>,
user66@aol.com (User 66) wrote:
> >ovember.
> >Does anybody know if ICOM is going to release an IC-706 mark III
>
> YES !
> Icom ic 706 mk II- G
>
> 440 incl + qro on vhf
>
Any chance they'll get the repeater offsets right?

-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2491. Re: Routing HF antenna coax and power on Ford Explorer?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rudi Wiedemann <wiedemann@home.com>
Message-ID: <%IGY1.337$ps1.1859352@news.rdc1.sfba.home.com>
Source record: 128159
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I've been running my TS-50 from the cigarette lighter with a ground strap under the dash, and a coax thru the window to a hamstick on a mag mount on the roof of my pickup.

I've worked GREAT DX this way with typically 5x7 and 5x9 signal reports.

I recommend you DON'T bumper mount, as this creates a lousy ground plane to radiate off of. Definitely roof mount if possible, and the mag mount (3 big pancake magnets) is the way to go.

IMHO - Rudi - KF6RLQ

2492. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Plourde <n1sjm@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <eyceTBCA#GA.212@upnetnews03>
Source record: 128160
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Dave Heil wrote in message <36338BEB.B75@cats-net.com>...

| Which political party do you refer to...our own radical
|left, the party of political correctness?

It's more, which of all the choices do I polarize with most... yes, that's the 'self-rightious brothers' who BELEEEEVE they know what's good for everyone and are unafraid to DICTATE behavior and mold everyone into their own image.

73 de Dick, N1SJM

2493. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Carroll <w0ex@scan.missouri.org>
Message-ID: <70vb83$5oh$0@208.207.71.158>
Source record: 128161
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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> of the intolerance of a cerain political party. Maybe there will be hope in
> the next millenium.
>
> 73 de Dick, N1SJM

Dick, you're beginning to sound almost as pitiful as Mark
Morgan

2494. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Sampson <ssampson@access.usa-site.net>
Message-ID: <xIGY1.275$MY4.2103341@news.goodnet.com>
Source record: 128162
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

If you want reliable communications down into the noise where humans
can't decipher it, then get a Clover card. The measurement is bits per
second decoded. The CW words per minute decoded is a fraction of
the Clover capability. If I was at sea in a life raft, I'd rather have a beacon
on Guard then a CW key in my survival kit. The most important thing is
location ("It's the location stupid"), location, location... Rescue groups
don't really care about anything else. Once they arrive on scene, they
will have more communications available than required. Then they can
take on the reports of dead, missing, or medical requirements.

The best things Hams can do, is set aside a disaster frequency in each
band, and design a Clover beacon to transmit a Flash stored beacon
when it detects salt water, or is engaged manually. Hey, if the ARRL can
allocate itself broadcast frequencies, they should be able to allocate a
beacon frequency in each band as well.

Where the internet can come in handy, is in a worldwide network of
stations listening for beacons, and networked together. Each node can
provide to each other node, the beacon heard, the frequency, the signal
strength, etc. Then a Web page can be mirrored at each site and
anyone can view it. For example a map of the world, with dB circles
around each site, and a symbol that shows whether the site has detected
a beacon, or not. If a beacon has Lat/Long then that can be shown.

During non-emergency the system would have great value as a
propagation tool. As each node goes through its self-test phase, it
transmits a callsign, lat/long, power level, and current minutes and seconds.
It would cycle through each band at three power levels (1, 5, and 20 Watts).

I think each node could be built for the price of a good HF rig, and be more
valuable to the countries that license us as a "service."

Hams still have assets that most governments do not. Number of
emergency listening stations is one of them.

Steve
"No FEC means: no throughput"

2495. Re: Motrola Radius

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan <n7wpd@xxmission.com>
Message-ID: <70vaulnem1@news.xmission.com>
Source record: 128163

I actually had a Maxtrac that we put on 6m. Evereything was ok, except the
power was reduced by about 50%, and no amount of tuning could bring it back.
Propably needed some physical component changes in the transmitter/pa
section.

Tony Szablowski wrote in message <70v8r0$1jg@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>...
>Ed G. wrote in message <70u1q6$22$2@news.ncal.verio.com>...
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>>for the band doesn't degrade performance in the adjacent ham bands.
>
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>If you only go about 1-5MHz out, but after that you're probably not
>going to get the same Tx/Rx quality. Usually.
>--
>Regards,
>Tony
>
>

2496. Re: 75W too much for car?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rudi Wiedemann <wiedemann@home.com>
Message-ID: <0hGY1.336$ps1.1857148@news.rdc1.sfba.home.com>
Source record: 128164

I have been getting GREAT DX with my Kenwood TS-50 plugged into just a cigarette lighter outlet and a ground strap. I load up a Lakewood "Hamstick" on a mag mount on the roof of my pickup, and have had absolutely NO problems with power or vehicle systems. Probably the fact that the vertical is radiating above the engine compartment helps.

I figure that I'm probably drawing 12 amps thru the heavy duty lighter adapter. My alternator is rated at 75 amps and I don't use a special or secondary battery either.

Rudi - KF6RLQ

2497. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Sampson <ssampson@access.usa-site.net>
Message-ID: <noGY1.276$MY4.2104829@news.goodnet.com>
Source record: 128165
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Ed G. wrote:

> Actually, the above is incorrect. High level nuclear explosions put
>electronics at risk for EMP (electroMotive Pulse) damage, not radiation
>damage

Arghh...

It's Electro-Magnetic Pulse, as in the Wave-Front from Hell...

You're thinking of EMF...

Steve

2498. Re: dumb question from a new Ham re: 10m and CB.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa8ulx@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981025091832.03391.00000308@ngol07.aol.com>
Source record: 128166

In article <3632CD87.33B6@pop.removethistomailme.net>, John Miles
<jmiles@pop.removethistomailme.net> writes:

>I get the impression they don't worry too much about making people study
>things like basic propagation anymore.
>
>-- jm KE5FX
>

You got that right, only thing they do is Memorize a Bunch of Questions that
dont mean anything to them, now were going to make it even simpler by getting
rid of CW Testing, GOOD BYE HAM RADIO HELLO CB

2499. Re: Routing HF antenna coax and power on Ford Explorer?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <36333A4B.5BD9@ibm.net>
Source record: 128167
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Rudi Wiedemann wrote:
> Definitely roof mount if possible, and the mag mount (3 big
> pancake magnets) is the way to go.

But it is very important to have a ground strap directly to the chassis when using a mag mount. Those magnets are not enough capacitance to ground to function well on the lower frequency bands. W8JI has reported arcing without the ground strap.
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73, Cecil, W6RCA http://people.delphi.com/CecilMoore

2500. WTB Motorola Mitrek VHF Radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stephanie Steele <kc7dba@NOSPAMprimenet.com>
Message-ID: <70vd4n$1a8$1@nnrp02.primenet.com>
Source record: 128168
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I need several Motorola Mitrek radios. Please send details on what you may have and your terms to me at:

kc7dba@primenet.com
Stephanie

2501. Re: EMP pulse wave?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <36333847.B53@ibm.net>
Source record: 128169
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Richard Carroll wrote:
> If anything would survive to be usable, it'd be tube type
> gear ...

Most tube type gear runs on AC power. There wouldn't be any
of that coming out of the wall sockets. Your AC generator
probably has solid state controls and wouldn't work.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://people.delphi.com/CecilMoore

2502. Re: EMP pulse wave?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Carroll <w0ex@scan.missouri.org>
Message-ID: <70vdol$b29$0@208.207.71.158>
Source record: 128170
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Gary Coffman wrote:
>
> On Sun, 25 Oct 1998 03:02:47 GMT, "Jeff" <eprom@uscom.com> wrote:
> >BTW - if a small nuclear weapon were to be detonated at a high altitude
> >over the center of the U.S...it would be enough to wipe out most electronic
> >equipment over the North american continent
>
> That's something of a myth. As we've learned more about the nature of
> NEMP, and ways of dealing with it, the NEMP threat is less than it at first
> appeared. NEMP isn't very different from lightning EMP. If a 20 MT device
> were exploded at an altitude of 100 miles, the field strength delivered to
> the ground would be about equivalent to that delivered by a lightning strike
> 8 miles away (inverse square law at work). We've all experienced that,
> and most times our equipment has survived unharmed.
>

Thanks for the very good information, Gary. I've thought
that EMP would almost surely have similar characteristics to
lightning, IE being a huge transformer primary to every
conductor within range of the EM pulse acting as secondary
windings and inducing voltage, each acording to it's
proximity, length and orientation to the EMP wave. What was
missing was any information as to the intensity of the EM
pulse generate-could it really be that much more intense
than a lightning superstrike? Information on this was
elusive to say the least. You have shown that research says
it is NOT as devastating as once thought.
This clears the way to mitigate its effects.

> The hazard is to equipment connected to long exposed conductors. While
> the field strength delivered by NEMP isn't that great at any single point,
> it is great when accumulated over a long distance. That 8 mile distant
> lightning strike doesn't seem like much until you consider it is equivalent
> to a a strike 8 miles distant from *every point* along a conductor on a
> continental scale. So it presents a severe hazard to the power grid and
> to the telephone grid because the cummulative effect becomes huge.
>

I had always thought the best way to mitigate an EMP was
the same as lightning mitigation--unhook all equipment from
all associated wiring--both antennas and power mains, as
well as ground. Of course it can't be used unhooked, and
vastly more sophisticated means of mitigation for lightning
and EMP must be employed for gear that is kept in service.

But it means that your backup rig sitting unhooked and idle
on the closet shelf should be pretty well immune and will
survive to be placed into service.

> We've developed effective ways to deal with NEMP surge, however.
> The conductors *inside* modern solid state equipment are so short that
> NEMP surge pickup is essentially nil. We can basically ignore that issue.
> What we have to worry about is surge conducted to the equipment from
> external wiring. The same modern gas discharge protectors we use for
> lightning strike protection also work for NEMP. And many of the same
> RFI suppression steps we take to meet RFI emission limits also work
> in the other direction to mitigate the effects of NEMP.
>
> If we engineer our stations to withstand lightning strikes to antennas
> and mains power, and we can, then we need not be concerned about
> NEMP.

Thanks, Gary, for a very pertinent piece of information.

Dick C W0EX

2503. test

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Vasily <rx3afy@mtu.ru>
Message-ID: <01be002f$3c8eb180$4f3422c3@default>
Source record: 128171

GD! TEST from RX3AFY.73!

2504. WTB RS HTX-100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ralph M. Ferrara" <rmf218@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <ORcZ0fCA#GA.79@upnetnews03>
Source record: 128172

Looking for a nice to mint RS HTX-100 mobile rig. Please reply to rmf218@msn.com. Thanks WA2NTK Ralph

2505. FS HP70100A POWER METER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: KB6LUE <kb6lue@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <3633B9DB.7893@pacbell.net>
Source record: 128173

Have a for sale HP70100A Power meter module for 70000 series spectrum analyzer. $650 shipped.

2506. FS: Kenwood TS940SAT 160 thru 10mtrs.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: ww6q <ww6q@nospamgte.net>
Message-ID: <70venl$mk0$1@news-2.news.gte.net>
Source record: 128174

This is a very clean radio and in excellent operating condition.

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=37853607

73 de ww6q
Roy

2507. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Carroll <w0ex@scan.missouri.org>
Message-ID: <70vfo2$el9$0@208.207.71.158>
Source record: 128175
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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> the Clover capability. If I was at sea in a life raft, I'd rather have a beacon
> on Guard then a CW key in my survival kit. The most important thing is
> location ("It's the location stupid"), location, location... Rescue groups
> don't really care about anything else.

Whoa. So the rescuers know the location. Until they know
the details of what happened at that location, they are
still in the dark as to what the need is and how to best
handle the response to that need. Some means of on-site
communications is still vital for survivers to pass out to
rescuers this vital information. Errors or ommissions in
this area are ssometimes responsible for huge mistakes in
relief efforts, negating much that could have otherwise been
accomplished in a much more timely manner. In
disasters/emergencies, time is always of the essence.
Nothing is more vital to a relief effort than timely,
accurate detailed information as to the scope of what
happened, where and to whom the relief effort should be
first directed, and why. This information is difficult
enough to gather in such an event at best, and the lack of
communications to pass it to the proper officials is a huge
obstacle. Hams are well positioned to fill this need, with
VHF/UHF gear, repeaters and nets. HF must often be used to
then "get the word out".

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> will have more communications available than required. Then they can
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> emergency listening stations is one of them.
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> Steve
> "No FEC means: no throughput"

Good information, great idea.....coupled with GPS position
info, these beacons could serve any emergency location need.
Lots of details to iron out but those almost always prove to
be no insurmountable problem. Of course one could include
simple communications capabilities within the transmitted
signal so that those in distress could provide needed
details. What could be simpler than to add some sort of
Morse keying to the unit? With BPSK, FEC and the whole
works. No one says that OOK Morse is the livin' end, that's
just what we are continually accused of saying.
Of course it requires operators who have learned a minimal
level of skill at operating in Morse mode. Digitized voice
might be included in such a system instead. 'Whatever works,
when it works' is my motto. Of course, today CW is what
works. Tomorrow may be a different story.

NO FEC= NO throughput? Well, not quite....just much less at
a lower rate.
Oh....that probably DOES apply if no one present knows the
code.

Dick C

2508. Re: dumb question from a new Ham re: 10m and CB.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: duane olexa <do@1st.net>
Message-ID: <36336C47.5A95@1st.net>
Source record: 128176

Tom Currie wrote:
>
> pat@replyhere.please.com wrote:
> >
> > Hi,
> >
> > I am a new HAM. I have a dumb question:
> >
> > Since the 10 Meter HF band is so close to the CB band. Does the CB
> > radios also do skip and radio wave propagation?
> >
> > Pls. post replies here.
>
> There is a saying that "the only dumb question is the one that isn't
> asked" -- that old saying is wrong -- you are right. It IS a "dumb
> question".
>
> It is a question that you should absolutely have learned the answer to
> if you had bothered learning enough to pass the written exam for the ham
> license you claim to hold (even at the Novice level).
>
> Why don't you come back when you are serious, instead of just typing to
> see your message in the newsgroup?

i know quite a few hams that become Techs so that they can communicate
with the serious "ham" in the family. these persons when getting
licensed,
have no interest at all in HF radio communications, and therefore would
probably not learn all about HF. and for those of you that have not
tested
lately (i am a regular at one of the local testing sesions) you do not
need to get a 100% perfect score to get a license and be perfect in your
knowledge of radio theory and propogation.

so instead of trying to drive away hams that are new to the hobby, how
about a little understanding.

duane wm8n in ohio

2509. Rotor Accessories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jackwy@clark.net
Message-ID: <70vgnj$595$1@callisto.clark.net>
Source record: 128177

Some where I remember seeing a company that sells accessories
for the HAM model rotors. In particular the automatic brake release
circuits and a kit to replace the connector block on the bottom
for the wires. Anyone have any info on that company? A web site?
Please reply via email.

John K3IC jackwy@clark.net

2510. Re: dumb question from a new Ham re: 10m and CB.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa8ulx@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981025104433.03423.00000412@ngol02.aol.com>
Source record: 128178

In article <36336C47.5A95@1st.net>, duane olexa <do@1st.net> writes:

>so instead of trying to drive away hams that are new to the hobby, how
>about a little understanding.
>
>duane wm8n in ohio
>

How about a little effort on there part to learn some Basic Skills, and I dont mean learning to memorize a bunch of questions that have no meaning to them.

2511. cal procedure for MFJ-209?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: &NM7U <&NM7U@hevanet.com>
Message-ID: <36334936.1DE7C294@hevanet.com>
Source record: 128179

Looking for cal procedure for a MFJ-209 swr analyzer. There are two
pots
that seem to do the same thing. What's the recommended calibration
procedure?
Also, It looks like the same board is used for many different models.
Looks like adding
another pair of pots and a switch would enable the function that
measures R (as apposed to SWR).
Anybody figured this out? There's probably a technical reference to
impedance measurement techinques
used in this analyzer published somewhere. Pointers?
thanks, miker

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Big list of WANTS and FORSALES at link below.
Return Address is Bogus.
TO REPLY CLICK HERE http://www.hevanet.com/nm7u
Or you can DELETE the & in the "from" address.

2512. FS/FT Yaesu FT-8500, MH-39, FS-10, Tone Board, Sep kit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Ottria <Gottria@Inreach.com>
Message-ID: <y1IY1.45594$D5.21139769@news.inreach.com>
Source record: 128180
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I have a 10 month old Yaesu FT-8500 with BOTH the MH-39 mic and the FS-10 mic. The radio also comes with the tone decoder board (TSU-22) and the extension kit (YSK-8500). Also I have the ADMS Programming software. I have all documentation for both mics and the box. The radio is excellent condition.

Willing to trade for an Icom 2710H in same condition or a Standard C5900 plus cash

E-Mail for further details.

Asking $430

Greg Ottria KE6PTP
Castro Valley, California
Gottria@Inreach.com

2513. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Plourde <n1sjm@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <eB5WQKDA#GA.243@upnetnews03>
Source record: 128181
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Richard Carroll wrote in message <70vb83$5oh$0@208.207.71.158>...
|
|Dick, you're beginning to sound almost as pitiful as Mark
|Morgan

You don't suppose this is just one more attempt at your favorite ploy of trying to alienate people for sport.

Dick, please, don't say that I 'sound' like MM... I feel I'm much more coherent and I find it impossible to agree with him most of the time.

Actually, you should have seen the first draft of my previous reply... I definitely had to edit it! (even I didn't agree with it) :-)

Dick, I've read your comment on the NPRM and I know that we both agree on the most important point... upgrade me to General Class. :->

I promise, I will not 'sound like Mark Morgan ever again...

73 de Dick, N1SJM

2514. Motorola radius line M120

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: ne2e@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981025111441.28213.00000836@ng69.aol.com>
Source record: 128182

Hello All

I have a question here..Is the Motorola Radius line Gm300/120 a true Fm radio or a Phase modulation radio??

2515. ADI AT-600, AR-146

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke6qmj@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <70vml0lpu1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128183

FOR SALE:

ADI AT-600HP Dualband Handheld asking $225 plus shipping
ADI AR-146 Two Meter Mobile asking $130 plus shipping

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2516. For Sale: TS-450S/AT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: KB0DSW <therrod@ndak.net>
Message-ID: <3633554D.2E9CA71E@ndak.net>
Source record: 128184

Hello all,

I have a "MINT" Kenwood TS-450S/AT For Sale.
Never been mobile, and I have all the manuals
and boxes. It is also "MODIFIED" for "MARS" &
other Out of Band Frequencies.

Starting bids at: $900.00 FIRM.

An outstanding General Coverage Mobile/Base
rig with punch! [150 watts(+) SSB p.e.p.!]

All Digital with DSP support!

(Receive) : 30KHz - 40MHz
(Transmit) : 1.705.01KHz - 29.999.99MHz

Excellent for "MARS"/"Emergency Response"!

If you ever owned the TS-440S, you will Love this
rig! Contact:

KB0DSW
(701)-852-2587 or REPLY via E-Mail

Thanks in advance for reading this.....73's!

*** end of file ***

2517. Re: Anyone assist with problem on valve linear - HF? Please.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: John@datasafe.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <363310c1.6945697@news.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 128218

Thanks to all who helped.

The problem does appear to be the faulty valve. I replaced the pair of them and when I switched on it was bang on 100ma IP as per manual. This appears to be 'fixed' at that level despite a variable on the rear panel!

Fortunately Dick, I did not/was not able to use the linear with the faulty valve and when I did try, I switched off the PTT immediately there was a sign of problems.

What sort of price would you expect to pay for a pair of 3-500Z? I understand that the 3-500ZG are slightly better! Are there any other alternatives?

Regards and thanks again

John

On 23 Oct 1998 15:28:17 GMT, Richard Carroll <w0ex@scan.missouri.org> wrote:

>John, if you don't get that arcing tube out of your amp
>you're likely to have a lot more than just it to replace
>before long.
>
>73, Dick W0EX
>
>John Cooper wrote:
>>
>> On 21 Oct 1998 19:39:30 GMT, n0dg@aol.com (N0DG) wrote:
>>
>> >John,
>> >a quick guess on the amp problem.
>> >Most tube amps are operated grounded grid.
>>
>> Thankyou Don for a very informative reply. Firstly, I am not
>> experienced at HV and do plan on running the beast with fingers
>> inside! Thanks for the warning - HV scares me silly!
>>
>> SInce my first post, I have identified that the flash/arc is coming
>> from ONE of the valves. Having established this I switched the linear
>> of and waited for the HV to discharge. I then removed the valves and
>> swapped their positions. The flash/arc moved with the valve
>> (associated with one of the valves).
>>

>> DO you think this idicates that a valve is faulty or would you still
>> suspect the zenor diode. As the valves are so pricey, perhaps I should
>> replace the zenor first?
>>
>> Regards
>>
>> John

2518. WTB: Pair of 3-500Zs or ZGs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: John@datasafe.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <36326c20.1284908@news.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 128219

I need a pair of 3-500Zs or ZGs!

Regards

John

2519. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: temporarily@dimensional.com
Message-ID: <36366312.777652825@news.frii.com>
Source record: 128220
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On 24 Oct 1998 17:05:35 GMT, Richard Carroll <w0ex@scan.missouri.org> wrote:

>> Puuhleeze!. After 30+ years of hamming on HF through weak signal VHF work,
>> I've found for all practical purposes, within maybe 3 db, SSB "gets through"
>> as well as CW.
>
> Puuhleeze! Only 3dB? Not significant or perhaps enough to
>make the difference?

As I previously mentioned, with the small practical difference, if that SSB
signal is even minimally below the noise level, CW won't work, either. You're
grasping at extremely isolated instances.

>> If propagation on a band goes out, you ain't gonna get through on CW *or* SSB.
>> The common sense thing to do is to QSY or change bands.
>
> Absolutely, that's why most emergency situations demand
>frequencies be set aside on both 40 and 75 meters-as is now
>the case in Texas. BUT---let's just say that stormy
>conditions are causing +20 dB static levels on 75, and
>you're set up on 40 operating with emergency gear, low
>power, static is no bargain here either, and conditions
>fade.... You gonna just drop down to 75 when it gets rough
>on 40? Think this doesn't happen? I'm afraid you've just
>joined the 'No Problems' club.

No, I'm a member of the reality club. Now you're giving us the "yadda, yadda"
routine of "...if this happened, while this was happening, and you couldn't do
this, etc, etc, All you left out was "...and if fire ants were crawling up
your ass, then..."
You know what? I'd tell that poor 40 meter low power op to grab a two meter
rig and talk to someone better equipped for emergency communications.

> Hey, you do whatever you can to make it work, of course.
>But if you've never experienced situations where a mere
>change of bands or frequencies won't do it, your 30 years
>experience was somewhat limited.

Only as a former member of RACES and a current member of MARS.
When area traffic handling during Desert Storm became almost extremely
difficult due to QRN on 4 Mhz and skip was out on the higher freqs, we
switched to VHF voice or packet and passed traffic to stations out state that
had better propagation.
We didn't switch the net over to CW. How ignorant of us.

> And what if one station
>CAN'T change bands?
Grasping at straws again? Like, how many one-band stations are there?

> My interest is to see that the code requirement is not
>just dumped as "no longer of any communications value", as
>so many no-coders insist. What's yours?
CW has *great* communcations value. About half of my hamming is on the mode.
Only it's not a cure-all for athelete's foot, baldness or bad breath as has
been claimed.

>As much as I support and use CW, I wish you FISTS guys would drop this
>> ludicrous claim. You're embarrasing yourselves.
>
> You don't suppose this reveals any shortcomings on your
>part in the area of emergency communicatisons do you??
Another incorrect assumption on your part.
See above. Even formal training and written exams on operating procedure from
Atilla the SMD.

What my statements should reveal is a difference of opinion with a number of
your assumptions, suppositions, statements and conclusions.

>Go play with your boatanchors.
Apparently, you're unhappy with my difference of opinion. Grow up. Live with
it.

BTW, I *do* plan to pick up my soldering gun right after posting this. Got a
new vintage CBS mic processor [Yowza!]

>> -BK
>> Ft. Collins
>
>You must move around a lot--one time you're in Denver, next
>in some other Colorado town, now in Ft Collins!

Thanks for worrying about which office I'm at today, mom. This evening, I'm
comfortably at home on the farm west of Berthoud, Colo.

-BK, KD0HG/AAR8CC
Somewhere west of the 100th parallel

2520. Re: HTX202 er1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Glenn J. Torres" <radioman@communique.net>
Message-ID: <01bdffb1$de18bf60$b258cccf@default>
Source record: 128221

John Merrill <jmerril1@twcny.rr.com> wrote in article
<zv9Y1.80$n7.180671@newse1.twcny.rr.com>...
> I think this has been asked before but what does er1 indicate?
>
> John N1JM
>
The following is from the on-line manuals at www.radioshack.com

> HTX-202 (190-1120) Error Codes Faxback Doc. #
15722

Your transceiver has two error code displays. Refer to the following for
an explanation of each error code.

Er1: INTERNAL RAM ERROR

Er1 indicates the transceiver has detected an error in its battery-backed
up operation memory. This is the most commonly caused by a low lithium
backup battery, but can also be caused by static discharge, or a physical
shock. To clear the error--

1. Turn off the unit.
2. Press FUNCTION and CLR (the D key).
3. While holding these keys, turn unit on.

This will reset unit and clear memories.

If the transceiver frequently displays the error, have the battery replaced
by an authorized Radio Shack service center.
>

2521. WTB: Motorola TLE8192A - 450-512MHz Preamplifier

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Gilligan <rickg@case.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.GSO.3.95.981024181545.14752A-100000@spork.callamer.com>
Source record: 128222

Wanted to buy:

Motorola TLE8192A - 450-512MHz Preamplifier

Must be in normal working condition.

Rick
N6NL
Trustee
Cal Poly Amateur Radio Club

2522. Re: WTB: MIcor rptr 2 recvr coupler & need pre-amp info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: rickg@callamer.com
Message-ID: <zrvY1.310$mg.2248833@twinkie.callamer.com>
Source record: 128223

In article <01bdfe2a$024b1b00$d2fe1f0a@ntsrv01>,
jim <n9wjk@NOSPAM.xnet.com> wrote:

>I am looking for a Micor UHF 2-reciever coupler, the model number is -
>TLE8340A.

Sorry, I don't have one.

>I'm also looking for info on installing a Micor reciever pre-amp, model
>number - TLE8192A. I've got the RF connections figured out (that was the
>easy part). But I don't know where to connect the A+ line. Any info on
>mounting, tuning, etc. is greatly appreciated.

I'm assuming you are hooking it up to a Micor base or repeater station
(not a mobile).

Hook it to P954 on the receiver interconnect board. It's near the orange,
red and black wires that go to the volume control.

Oh, I'm looking for a TLE8192A if you have a spare you'd like to sell.

73

Rick
N6NL

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Rick Gilligan
Senior Software Specialist
Computer And Software Enterprises, Inc.
E-mail: rick@case.net

2523. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: frog207lillypads@juno.com
Message-ID: <70u1jo$22$1@news.ncal.verio.com>
Source record: 128224
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

>> I disagree. A nuclear weapon dumps enormous amounts of energy all over
>the spectrum.
>> Your antenna resonates in several parts of the spectrum. More than
>likely, unless you
>> are several hundred miles away from ground zero, your tubes will easily
>exceed maximum
>> power dissipation in mere nanoseconds. In addition, what tubes are
>*actually* more
>> resistant too, is static electricity, not nuclear blast. Radiatian will
>have a much
>> worse effect on a tube than a radiation hardened semi device.

Actually, the above is incorrect. High level nuclear explosions put electronics at risk for EMP (electroMotive Pulse) damage, not radiation damage. There is little in the construction of conventional vacuum tubes that are at risk for this type of damage. This assumes the event takes place at some distance. If close enough to damage the tubes, the operators are also at risk. Also, though not an issue, fairly high radiation levels have little impact on vacuum tube technology.

REPLY INFO:
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Return address modified to prevent automatic SPAM response.
TO REPLY: remove the "lillypads" from my return address.
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2524. Kenwood PS30 Info Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Glenn J. Torres" <radioman@communique.net>
Message-ID: <01bdffbc$611a73e0$c158cccf@default>
Source record: 128225

What is the current rating for this power supply?
73,
Glenn

2525. Last Call for Offers.. HP1630D logic analyzer complete

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: joe@widind.com
Message-ID: <70u3mtrtl1@news.jump.net>
Source record: 128226
Cross-posted to:
misc.industry.electronics.marketplace,sci.electronics.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.repair

HP 1630D Logic Analyzer. Complete with all pods and leadsets
and in perfect operational condition. SN 2311A01476 No grabbers. 60 Day
warranty. Very sharp and bright CRT with no screen burns visible under any
conditions. 100 MHz timing and 25 MHz State analysis. Includes copy of
original instruction manual.

A $350 offer for this instrument is in hand. This instrument will be sold
to the best offer received by midnight Monday Nov 2, 1998.

For details see:

http://www.widind.com/auctions/hpgear.htm

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Thanks and Best Regards
Joe Westenhaver W4FEC joe@widind.com
http://www.widind.com/
http://www.widind.com/auctions/

2526. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Carroll <w0ex@scan.missouri.org>
Message-ID: <70u3kolnt0@208.207.71.141>
Source record: 128227
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

"Bill, KD0HG" wrote:

> with the small practical difference, if that SSB
> signal is even minimally below the noise level, CW won't work, either. You're
> grasping at extremely isolated instances.

Perhaps, but the idea is to maintain SOME type of
communications capability for as long as possible under the
most extreme conditions and circumstances. It is well known
that many emergencies accompany poor propagation conditions
such as cause this very situation. CW *WILL* work in low
signal levels and noise conditions where SSB won't-provided
operators are trained and experienced.

> >> If propagation on a band goes out, you ain't gonna get through on CW *or* SSB.
> >> The common sense thing to do is to QSY or change bands.

> > Absolutely, that's why most emergency situations demand
> >frequencies be set aside on both 40 and 75 meters-as is now
> >the case in Texas. BUT---let's just say that stormy
> >conditions are causing +20 dB static levels on 75, and
> >you're set up on 40 operating with emergency gear, low
> >power, static is no bargain here either, and conditions
> >fade.... You gonna just drop down to 75 when it gets rough
> >on 40? Think this doesn't happen? I'm afraid you've just
> >joined the 'No Problems' club.

> No, I'm a member of the reality club. Now you're giving us the "yadda, yadda"
> routine of "...if this happened, while this was happening, and you couldn't do
> this, etc, etc, All you left out was "...and if fire ants were crawling up
> your ass, then..."
> You know what? I'd tell that poor 40 meter low power op to grab a two meter
> rig and talk to someone better equipped for emergency communications.
>

Nothing like a little ranting to cover your insecurities
Bill?
You've never tried to go from 40 to 75 meters and
encountered the S9+20db static level? Maybe you don't have
that in Colorado.
If you had done serious thinking on the subject, and
perhaps worked with emergency comms in really severe
circumstances, your outlook might be a little more
broadened. Better stay with your structured MARS and RACES
nets, less problems that way. Hope no one ever tries to call

in on CW with a real live emergency. I know that that it's
not likely. Most disasters are not "likely" to happen.

> > Hey, you do whatever you can to make it work, of course.
> >But if you've never experienced situations where a mere
> >change of bands or frequencies won't do it, your 30 years
> >experience was somewhat limited.

> Only as a former member of RACES and a current member of MARS.
> When area traffic handling during Desert Storm became almost extremely
> difficult due to QRN on 4 Mhz and skip was out on the higher freqs, we
> switched to VHF voice or packet and passed traffic to stations out state that
> had better propagation.
> We didn't switch the net over to CW. How ignorant of us.
>

And you WERE NOT handling emergency communications, it is
quite necessary to point out. It's one thing to meet a
scheduled net, handle whatever they have to dispose of,
under whatever conditions and cicumstances exist, and quite
another to find oneself doing REAL TIME emergency
communications with lives at stake. Seems you have the two
situations confused.

> > And what if one station
> >CAN'T change bands?

> Grasping at straws again? Like, how many one-band stations are there?

How can you know who/what/where you'll be trying to
communicate with when you have no idea what the situation
will be??? You are clearly of the opinion that "if our
organized net type communications system won't handle it, it
just doesn't need to be handled." If a station called into
your net with emergecy traffic using low power on CW, would
he be ignored? Some of the structured situations get that
deeply into their rut.

>
> > My interest is to see that the code requirement is not
> >just dumped as "no longer of any communications value", as
> >so many no-coders insist. What's yours?

> CW has *great* communcations value. About half of my hamming is on the mode.

Oh. Another Cecil Moore, Mister "I love CW and it's a
great communications mode, but actually worthless." Where
the hell you guys get this nonsense? Did the real
communications capability of CW automatically die when more
advanced modes appeared???

> Only it's not a cure-all for athelete's foot, baldness or bad breath as has
> been claimed.

Add your name to the list of readers here who have a real,
serious problem with reading comprehension. To say nothing
of your thought process. If CW is a great communications
mode, why not keep it available for use as a backup to other
better, faster modes? You say we won't ever need it? After
the 'justification' that you've shown above?

>
> >As much as I support and use CW, I wish you FISTS guys would drop this
> >> ludicrous claim. You're embarrasing yourselves.
> >
> > You don't suppose this reveals any shortcomings on your
> >part in the area of emergency communicatisons do you??

> Another incorrect assumption on your part.
> See above. Even formal training and written exams on operating procedure from
> Atilla the SMD.
> What my statements should reveal is a difference of opinion with a number of
> your assumptions, suppositions, statements and conclusions.

Looks more like you disagree with your own opinions,
statements and conclusions. You say that CW is a "great
communications mode" but you evidently wouldn't use it at
all for communicating, nor plan to keep it available for use
when it may be the only mode available-if not to you, for
someone else with a serious emergency to resolve. You say
there's "only 3db" improvement in readability of CW over
SSB, but that's not enough to make any difference in austere
conditions. And you seem to think that you've seen it all
when it comes to emergency communications, despite no stated
experience in handling actual emergency communications. It
doesn't compute.

>
> >Go play with your boatanchors.

> Apparently, you're unhappy with my difference of opinion. Grow up. Live with
> it.

I'm puzzled by your self-conflicting posturing. Just what
is it you're trying to say? CW is great but actually it's
worthless?
Or it's just not "Cool" to support retention of a CW test?
If you're acting alike a 'Grownup', I'll just remain a kid,
thanks!

The hell with it, I'll use my FISTS number, I'm not ashamed
of it or of CW.

Dick W0EX FISTS #3939

2527. Re: Kenwood PS30 Info Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: mailfrmpa@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981024224534.22046.00000733@ng14.aol.com>
Source record: 128228

>What is the current rating for this power supply?

In the range of 15a continuous, 20a intermitant. I find it necessary to run a fan on mine when operating cw at 100w.

K&#65533;MB

2528. Re: EMP pulse wave?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff <eprom@uscom.com>
Message-ID: <01bdffc3$b29a3c80$251cbad1@hereiam>
Source record: 128229
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

More than likely, Yes, a nuclear driven EMP would fry
the CPU's.....and CMOS, JFETs, ect...

The best protection I can think of is to shield your equipment
in a faraday cage..you can inprovise one by, finding an ammunition box made
of metal, the kind the military uses..and line the inside with styrofoam
and place the radio inside (make sure the radio doesn't come in contact
with the sides)

BTW - if a small nuclear weapon were to be detonated at a high altitude
over the center of the U.S...it would be enough to wipe out most electronic
equipment over the North american continent

Gareth Crispell <gareth@capecod.net> wrote in article
<363223C6.90A76E57@capecod.net>...
| Would a nuclear driven EMP pulse wave shut down all these modern CPU
| enhanced rigs? I think maybe the old glass rigs would fare better.
|
| de ... N1MSV gary
|
| Gareth http://www.capecod.net/~gareth
|
|
| .....at the dawn of the New Age of Man,
| they will abide with us.
| Their glory and fire will burn like
| sparks among the stubble!
|

2529. Re: Anyone assist with problem on valve linear - HF? Please.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Carroll <w0ex@scan.missouri.org>
Message-ID: <70u58a$p5s$0@208.207.71.141>
Source record: 128230

John Cooper wrote:
>
> What sort of price would you expect to pay for a pair of 3-500Z? I
> understand that the 3-500ZG are slightly better! Are there any other
> alternatives?

I would be looking for the best deal on a pair of Amperex
3-500ZG graphite plate types. I believe that is the best
tube made today. I understand the Chinese are making some
good ones but that they have several factories and all do
not make equivalent tubes....It is said one shouldn't shop
price alone for Chinese tubes, and no one seems to know
which is which.

I'm not up to date on prices but probably $300 for a set of
the Amperex would be a pretty good deal.

73, Dick W0EX

2530. Re: Descrambling TV

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "my ham call"
Message-ID: <3632ee79.255577394@news.bna.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 128231

On 24 Oct 1998 20:17:32 GMT, btslfke@poboxes.com wrote:
> I recently received a spam email suggesting that I send $5 for
>an "internet guide to cable descrambling" together with a
>"radio shack parts list" for $12 in parts.
>According th the sender these parts and directions will allow
>me to modify a cable TV box so that scrambled premium TV signals are
>descrambled and made viewable. The email states that federal law
>allows one to own such a box and thus modifying it is legal (by inference?).

I'm almost certain K6LTS is right - the plans are for an adjustable trap. This did work back in the early 1980s; most premium channels weren't really scrambled, but the cable system inserted an interfering carrier. (basically, they TVI'd themselves...) If you subscribed, they sent a tech out to hook a trap in your line & trap out the interference.

The scheme had a number of problems. They had to send a technician to your house every time you wanted to add or delete a premium channel. (high labor costs..) Unauthorized hookups were easy & rampant. And videophiles (who were more likely to subscribe..) weren't happy with the notch in the video frequency response created by the trap.

I suppose there may be a few systems left doing it this way. Every one I've seen lately uses a more sophisticated digital addressable scrambling scheme. This descrambler will do nothing to descramble it. Both satellite systems (the big dish and the new digital minidishes) definitely use digital addressable systems - I don't believe the big dish systems ever used the interfering carrier scheme.

Was it legal to descramble it the old way? (or today, if you can figure out how) Good question. I am confident it's illegal to show the unauthorized reception to others.

The vast majority of the spam I receive are scams. This one is no different.

73 Doug
Doug Smith (ham call W9WI) - EM66 nr. Nashville, TN, USA
real email address is:
{my ham call} @ b e l l s o u t h . n e t (kill the spaces!)

2531. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <366ba123.657667886@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 128232

On 24 Oct 1998 13:51:12 GMT, wa8ulx@aol.com (WA8ULX) wrote:
>
>In article <3631CDC9.7EBA@ibm.net>, W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net> writes:
>
>>Was/is CW an integral part of your Hurricane plans?
>>--
>
>It was in La when georges came thru, Repeaters down, no internet service, and
>Batteries dont last long when using enough power to be heard when using SSB
>rig.

So what was your CW QTC during the storm?

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

2532. dumb question from a new Ham re: 10m and CB.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: pat@replyhere.please.com
Message-ID: <36328b76.8528383@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 128233

Hi,

I am a new HAM. I have a dumb question:

Since the 10 Meter HF band is so close to the CB band. Does the CB
radios also do skip and radio wave propagation?

Pls. post replies here.

2533. Re: dumb question from a new Ham re: 10m and CB.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill <whagen@NOREPLY.inreach.com>
Message-ID: <3632A68C.7EBD@NOREPLY.inreach.com>
Source record: 128234

pat@replyhere.please.com wrote:
>
> Hi,
>
> I am a new HAM. I have a dumb question:
>
> Since the 10 Meter HF band is so close to the CB band. Does the CB
> radios also do skip and radio wave propagation?
>
> Pls. post replies here.
How did you get a license?

yes, it also skips, on a good day 4 watts goes forever.
I have heard of people monitoring the cb bands for a particular sound
that tells them when the 11 meter band is skipping. Then they turn on
the 10 meter rig.

2534. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@planet.net
Message-ID: <363479b6.21037619@news.planet.net>
Source record: 127886
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Sun, 25 Oct 1998 21:49:57 -0700, W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net> wrote:

>Harvey Babb wrote:
>> What we DID have due to the code requirement was a SEVERE shortage of HF
>> operators in the flooded area.
>
>Harvey, hate to say I told them so, but I told them this was happening.
>The code requirement is limiting the number of HF operators available
>for emergencies. If we are not careful, the code requirement will wind
>up costing lives instead of saving lives.

But in any actual emergency, there is nothing wrong with
having techs operate on HF (assuming the equipment to do so
is there).

Cheers,
Bill K2UNK

2535. Re: D104 replacement cartridges

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Robert G. Schaffrath, N2JTX" <rschaffrath@acm.org>
Message-ID: <36347B2C.7D5D@acm.org>
Source record: 127887

AES carries the standard crystal replacement (part number MC-320 for $19.99 in their summer 1998 catalog). I am still using the original cartridge on my 21 year old D-104 with no problems. Just curious is the microphone not working or are you just looking to change to the ceramic model?

73,
Robert, N2JTX

Lordell wrote:
>
> Hi Group,
>
> Does anyone know of a source or sources for D104 microphone cartridges?
> I believe the ceramic ones are the most rugged.
>
> 73---Joe---W1PNH

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+-----------------------------------+-----------------------------------+
| Robert G. Schaffrath, N2JTX (RGS71) |
| (516) 759-4314 | mailto:rschaffrath@acm.org |
| http://tonto.netsurftech.com/rgs |
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2536. Re: How to filter distance repeaters?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: jder8745@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981026085155.26925.00001363@ng24.aol.com>
Source record: 127888

One method wud be to use an attenuator and set it so that the local rptr is just copiable.

Or get the rptr opertor to use a tone on his rptr's transmitted signal.

Tightening the squelch on ur rcvr may help, but if the problem is as you describe it, this solution probably isn't satisfactory.

PS: Mni wud love to have ur location!!

73 de Jack, K9CUN

2537. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <363484C1.516C@ibm.net>
Source record: 127889
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Bill Sohl wrote:
> But in any actual emergency, there is nothing wrong with
> having techs operate on HF (assuming the equipment to do so
> is there).

Doesn't the actual emergency have to be local to the tech?
Can a tech 100 miles away from the actual emergency operate
HF in assistance? Can a tech upstream from a flood who is giving
river depth rising water readings who is not in any danger himself,
operate on HF? I had always assumed the emergency had to be local
and immediate for a tech to operate on HF.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://people.delphi.com/CecilMoore

2538. IC-756

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: sac40@dimoni.com
Message-ID: <36348d4b.20406976@news.vlc.servicom.es>
Source record: 127890

I'd like to get pros and againsts about the Icom 756 rig....
Thanks in advance, 73!

Fidel Leon - EA3GIP
sac40@dimoni.com

2539. SALE: ALL M&TE 30 PERCENT OFF ALREADY LOW PRICES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: ValueRocket Labs <lab@valuerocket.com>
Message-ID: <ei0Z1.604$fl.8333119@audrey2.cais.com>
Source record: 127891

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------------------------------------------------------
VALUEROCKET LABS MEASUREMENT AND TEST EQUIPMENT
ALL GEAR ON OUR WWW SITE 30 PERCENT OFF !!!
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Reconditioned Measurement and Test Equipment: Hewlett Packard,
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M&TE: http://www.valuerocket.com/gear.html
MICROWAVE: http://www.valuerocket.com/microwave.html

As always, full refunds on all equipment within 30 days.
Prices do not include shipping, handling and insurance.
Best Regards and Thanks! - VR Labs

EMail lab@valuerocket.com
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2540. FS: Sherwood SE-3 MK III "Sync Detector"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: davez <davez@ticon.net>
Message-ID: <712466$752$1@galileo.ticon.net>
Source record: 127892
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

For Sale: A Brand New (only weeks old) Sherwood Enginerring SE-3 Mk III "Synchronous Detector". See the Sherwood site for more information on this device at http://www.sherweng.com/ . With AC power supply and instructions.

Will sell for $ 250.00 FIRM (new they are $ 500.00). I will pay the "Ground" UPS. Offer only valid in the USA (lower 48). Sorry NO COD's, will need payment before shippment.

Thank You for taking the time to read this message.

davez

2541. FS:Kenwood VFO-230

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Stuedemann <kf8ru@netonecom.net>
Message-ID: <363492C1.796@netonecom.net>
Source record: 127893
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale Kenwood VFO-230 in excellent condition. Complete with cable, manual and factory shipping box. Compatible with TS-530 and TS-830 radios.$225 shipped

2542. FA: LAST DAY!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jordan Arndt <jordana@nucleus.com>
Message-ID: <3634B45C.7AC0@nucleus.com>
Source record: 127894

Hi I have MANY Items for auction right now....

Kenwood MC-60A MIB, ICOM HM-14 MIB HEATH STUFF ,an ELE-KEY IAMBIC KEYER
A HI-MOUND BUG MANY B&W Items , A 80-10 Coil turret , 4:1 Balun,a Set of
Balun Coils a SWAN 350 working 100% MOTOROLA MANUALS , a .1 Mhz to 700
Mhz Dummy Load wattmeter with N connector and MANY more items.... if
you'd like to look go to:

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewListedItems&userid=jordana@nucleus.com&sort=3
&since=-1

thanks for looking and good luck.... 73 de Jordan...

2543. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <36349BAF.7A0E@ibm.net>
Source record: 127895
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Richard Carroll wrote:
> Cecil, Cecil!! No advance planning is ever needed to
> substitute CW for SSB as long as operators on each end KNOW
> and can USE CW!

That statement just shows your gross ignorance of emergency operations. Emergency operations REQUIRE advance planning. Without advance planning, emergency operations are useless. As an example: How many of these emergency SSB operators can still do CW at what speed? Or any speed for that matter?

"No advance planning is ever needed" to find out who can still do CW? RIDICULOUS!!! That is the weak link in your CW theories. Half the coded hams can't do CW anymore. That's what happens with the "Once-Morsed, Always-Morsed" approach. If Morse code skill is worth having, it is worth being re-tested for at renewal time.

> All that is required is that all parties know that when
> conditions get so poor that SSB no longer is readable, they
> automatically switch to CW on the same frequency, and
> continue on until conditions improve enough to resume SSB
> contact.

It is ridiculous to expect a ham who took his code test 40 years ago and never used CW to jump in and do CW at a useful speed during an emergency. The emergency link will collapse.

> What requires such intensive "Integral" planning??? Answer:
> NOTHING!

You are assuming that everyone is as good at CW as you. That's an extremely rash assumption and is indicative of poor planning and inexperience. Are you going to slow the emergency communications down to 10wpm so I can copy? Or to 3wpm so everybody can copy?
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://people.delphi.com/CecilMoore

2544. Re: Value of SIGNAL/ONE MILSPEC 1030CI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dean, Greg" <N9NWO@GTE.net>
Message-ID: <7127bqojm1@news-2.news.gte.net>
Source record: 127896

KB6LUE wrote in message <363485BE.6BF8@pacbell.net>...
>Anyone have any idea what a SIGNAL/ONE MILSPEC 1030CI is worth?
>It is good working condition.
>Thanks
>Jin KB6LUE

Well it is rapped around a iCOM IC-781 for starters. What is the going rate for those? Add in the rest of the features and you have an idea of what its worth is.

How did you get your hands on one? And what did you pay for it?

2545. Another SB-200 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: martyt@pobox.com
Message-ID: <36349fee.11649040@news.supernews.net>
Source record: 127897

Thinking of dropping a new set of Svetlana 572B's into my SB-200, and a local has told me that there are circuit mods that have to be made to accomodate the Svet tubes (of course, he offered no specifics as to what has to be done).

Fact or hogwash?

73,

-Marty KIï¿½LO
martyt@pobox.com

2546. FT7-B Schematic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: tleonard@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <712avh$mm8$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127898

Looking for a schematic for the Yaesu FT7-B.

tleonard@my-dejanews.com

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2547. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Plourde <n1sjm@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <OTuzDoPA#GA.84@upnetnews03>
Source record: 127899
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Harvey Babb wrote in message <3633E44A.3844777C@testengeer.com>...
|What we DID have due to the code requirement was a SEVERE shortage of HF
|operators in the flooded area. I was one of the three operators in
|Victoria Texas who could help with communications and who had a high
|enough license class to use an HF rig.

<snip>

|N5NAV and the rest of the Texas Emergency Net did one HELL of good job
|of keeping the net going and keeping in touch with Department of Public
|Safety headquarters in Austin, but 90% of the time they didn't have
|anyone to talk to in Victoria because of the code requirement to get
|onto the HF bands.
|
|Before this I was undecided on the "code vs. no-code" issue. This
|polarized me totally toward getting RID of this anachronism!
|
|Harvey, WB5MCT
|harveyb@testengeer.com

This is a real problem but, in the future, with a 5 wpm General Class we could up the General pool from 122,000 to 340,000. And on the oddball outside chance that only cw would get through 5 wpm would suffice. It isn't the total solution but it is a step in the right direction.

73 de Dick, N1SJM

2548. WTB 2m/220 Dual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: William Erhardt <erhardt@mt.net>
Message-ID: <cx1Z1.494$Gh.1031793@news2.randori.com>
Source record: 127900

Howdy From Helena, Montana - I am looking for a dual band rig 2 meters and 220 mhz with crossband and a 220 mhz rig. Want to use the dual bander for a voter receiver/xmiter and the 220 mhz for receiver up at the repeater site. 220 mhz will be linking freqs. Believe Kenwood made a 621 or 631 tht is dual band 2m/220 Bill KA7YAO erhardt@mt.net

2549. WTB KPC3 +

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: William Erhardt <erhardt@mt.net>
Message-ID: <az1Z1.495$Gh.1032980@news2.randori.com>
Source record: 127901

Howdy from Montana - Bill KA7YAO - looking for used KPC3 + TNC (two if possible) for APRS digipeaters here in Montana. Will upgrade to 8.2 firmware to use the APRS neat stuff if you have not upgraded. erhardt@mt.net

2550. FOR SALE : BEARCAT DX-1000 COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: James Glenn Jr <mousie@n-jcenter.com>
Message-ID: <01be00f9$b40166c0$66211ad1@default>
Source record: 127902

Bearcat DX - 1000 Communications Receiver

10khz - 30mhz

digital keypad entry

multiple filters

power cord, dipole antenna and nicad batteries included

unit is in great shape and works perfectly

$150 and I will pay shipping to anywhere in mainland USA.

Jim Glenn - KE4IZA

mousie@n-jcenter.com

2551. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <368dae5e.792147607@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 127903
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Mon, 26 Oct 1998 00:39:07 -0800, Jones <Jones@nomail.com> wrote:
>> Harvey, hate to say I told them so, but I told them this was happening.
>> The code requirement is limiting the number of HF operators available
>> for emergencies. If we are not careful, the code requirement will wind
>> up costing lives instead of saving lives. 73, Cecil, W6RCA
>
>Heck, why don't we just eliminate the whole test altogether. Then we
>would have even more HF ops and save even more lives....

Don't say that too loud. Army civil preparedness planning discounts
amateur radio as being too thin on the ground to be useful. They plan
to employ CB for ground truth augmentation because the operators
are thick enough on the ground. (Radio discipline ceases to be a
problem when you can line the troublemakers up against a wall
and shoot them.)

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

2552. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: DavidC <davidc@bit-net.com>
Message-ID: <01be0104$6b6487c0$f48492d0@davidc.bit-net.com>
Source record: 127904
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

> With even HALF of my available tech resources licensed on HF we could
> have covered this thing like a blanket from start to finish.
>
> N5NAV and the rest of the Texas Emergency Net did one HELL of good job
> of keeping the net going and keeping in touch with Department of Public
> Safety headquarters in Austin, but 90% of the time they didn't have
> anyone to talk to in Victoria because of the code requirement to get
> onto the HF bands.
>
> Before this I was undecided on the "code vs. no-code" issue. This
> polarized me totally toward getting RID of this anachronism!
>
> Harvey, WB5MCT
> harveyb@testengeer.com

Actually, Harvey, because it was an emergency you could have authorized the
Techs to run HF.
73, DavidC AA1FA

2553. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: dlpearce <dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu>
Message-ID: <3634AC83.B0235B0F@eos.ncsu.edu>
Source record: 127905
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

W6RCecilA wrote:

> DavidC wrote:
> > Is there a military or commercial surplus rig that is available to Hams for
> > use on Ham bands that would meet the survivability specs?
>
> It is my understanding that ham rigs stored in a pickup tool box or car trunk,
> for instance, are likely to survive the EMP. Somebody correct me if I'm wrong.

But what about particle radiation triggering high levels of secondary radiation in the tube itself? It seems this would cause some measure of improper operation within the tube. You are correct, however, a disconnected radio within a gaussian shield should survive, unless the shielding is poor, then some resonance could occur within the LC sections of the radio, creating havoc.

>
> It is my understanding that human beings can survive EMP that wipes out
> electronics. Somebody correct me if I'm wrong.

Probably shielded, otherwise you'll cook like a chicken in a microwave.

David

2554. WTB CUSHCRAFT R 7000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gabriel G melo <n1hhf@110.net>
Message-ID: <712aji$7dm$1@stalker.oem.net>
Source record: 127906

CALL 1-401-434-2606 OR n1hhf@110.net

2555. Re: Sherwood SE-3 MK III ..SOLD !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: davez <davez@ticon.net>
Message-ID: <712b1j$cc5$1@galileo.ticon.net>
Source record: 127907
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

This unit has been sold !!! Thanks

davez

davez wrote in message <712466$752$1@galileo.ticon.net>...
>For Sale: A Brand New (only weeks old) Sherwood Enginerring SE-3 Mk III
>"Synchronous Detector". See the Sherwood site for more information on this
>device at http://www.sherweng.com/ . With AC power supply and instructions.
>
>Will sell for $ 250.00 FIRM (new they are $ 500.00). I will pay the
"Ground"
>UPS. Offer only valid in the USA (lower 48). Sorry NO COD's, will need
>payment before shippment.
>
>Thank You for taking the time to read this message.
>
>davez
>
>

2556. Re: FT1000D - USB distortion?? - help!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R. Sherry" <RSherry@metricom.com>
Message-ID: <3634ACE5.2B05@metricom.com>
Source record: 127908

Richard Valentine wrote:
>
> -- USB DISTORTION --
> The USB on my FT1000D has somewhat distorted audio when compared to
> LSB. The pitch is right, but it just has some distortion, albeit kind
> of slight. It is noticeably better on LSB. The only thing I thought of
> checking was the TCXO. Tweaking the TCXO can make either USB or LSB
> sound deeper or higher, depending, and there is 2 nulls. I have it
> adjusted "even" toned for both sidebands now, and it's on freq, but no
> matter how it's tweaked (I've had it in every concievable spot) the LSB
> always has the cleaner sound. Do you think there's a fix for this??
> Thanks for any help - Rick, N1SQJ

Is the "distortion" lack of low frequency response from one sideband compared to the other? If so check and set the xmtt carrier oscillator (approx. 50 MHz, also requires AF oscillator, use internal power meter and no processing, S/B approx. -6 Db (20watts and 80 watts at 300 to 320 Hz. Any different requires alignment.)) then set the approx 8 MHz oscillator for proper USB, LSB receive pitch. The first thing that should be done if alignment is necessary is to set the TCXO on frequency. See below. I do not have the shop manual with me to properly give you the frequency information. To set this it is best to use an audio voltmeter and measure beat note response (AGC ON) and set USB and LSB to same AF level out for same frequency offset. I use 500 Hz as the reference and about 200 Hz at -3Db for USB and LSB levels and frequency. Do this after setting the TCXO to the proper frequency. An easy way to set the TCXO is to listen to WWV with the main Rx on USB and the aux. Rx on LSB. Offset the frequency by 20 Hz from WWV freq. and note the low frequency beat note. Offset on the other side of WWV and listen to beat note. They should be at same audio pitch when the TCXO is on frequency. You have to set the receivers up for dual receive and mix the audio so that you hear USB and LSB at same time. There are other ways to do this but they require test equipment. As a point of intrest the beat you hear is twice the frequency offset. 10 Hz offset works if the TCXO is close to the proper frequency.

I check and touch up the alignment about every 6 to 9 mon.
My TCXO was about 40 Hz off as received from the mfg. You can email me if you like.

If the distortion is actually harmonic distortion thun that has to be confirmed wirh a distortion Anl. I would at that point confirm that the filter response is reasonable etc.
73,
Russ, WA2GWV

2557. WTB CUSHCRAFT R 7000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gabriel G melo <n1hhf@110.net>
Message-ID: <712bau$7rb$1@stalker.oem.net>
Source record: 127909

CALL 1-401-434-2606 n1hhf@110.net

2558. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: markv@pixar.com
Message-ID: <712f3f$sc9$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127910
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In article <36347588.50FDFB3E@erols.com>,
aa4pb@erols.com wrote:
> > They [anamals] don't attack each other's mates and cubs to settle the
dispute. To
> > do so would be aberrant madness.
>
> Only humans do that!
>

That's a myth.

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2559. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: dlpearce <dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu>
Message-ID: <3634AFE9.F179F01D@eos.ncsu.edu>
Source record: 127911
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"Ed G." wrote:

> >> I disagree. A nuclear weapon dumps enormous amounts of energy all over
> >the spectrum.
> >> Your antenna resonates in several parts of the spectrum. More than
> >likely, unless you
> >> are several hundred miles away from ground zero, your tubes will easily
> >exceed maximum
> >> power dissipation in mere nanoseconds. In addition, what tubes are
> >*actually* more
> >> resistant too, is static electricity, not nuclear blast. Radiatian will
> >have a much
> >> worse effect on a tube than a radiation hardened semi device.
>
> Actually, the above is incorrect. High level nuclear explosions put
> electronics at risk for EMP (electroMotive Pulse) damage, not radiation
> damage. There is little in the construction of conventional vacuum tubes that
> are at risk for this type of damage. This assumes the event takes place at
> some distance. If close enough to damage the tubes, the operators are also at
> risk. Also, though not an issue, fairly high radiation levels have little
> impact on vacuum tube technology.

A tube is a capacitor, and in the onslaught of its antenna in a EMP storm, the plate, grid, and cathode connections will be overstressed in the current that results. Also, your high level weapon is illegal for any country to product. Designs currently available, even if detonated at high atmospheric levels, will still more than likely kill a population, or it will not be effective enough to trully devestate electronic infrastructure. Its much the same in theory of operation as a neutron bomb. Nice on paper, not wonder in the real world.

David

2560. FS: Yaseu FT-920 w/ options

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pat Armstrong <Pat_Armstrong@ccm.ra.intel.com>
Message-ID: <3634B0CE.5CF6@ccm.ra.intel.com>
Source record: 127912

I offer for sale a Yaseu FT-920 160-6 meter DSP transceiver in excellent condition. The radio had a built-in antenna tuner, CW keyer and voice recorder. I have installed the optional high stability crystal osc and 400Hz IR CW filter. The radio has low transmit hours and includes mic, original box, manual, etc. I would like $1200.00 for the rig...

Thanks, Pat - AA7FG, Oregon

2561. Re: For Sale Cleaning Shack

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: sigintman@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981026125212.19496.00001565@ng-fb1.aol.com>
Source record: 127913

The Azden PCS 4000 and 5000...are they mobiles or ht's??? Two meter??? Could you tell me a little about them??
Ed N3KEX

2562. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Kane <nospam@abuse.com>
Message-ID: <cuvyxnarpbzzynjpragrepbz.f1fuf82.pminews@nntp1.ba.best.com>
Source record: 127914
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Mon, 26 Oct 1998 07:18:41 -0700, W6RCecilA wrote:

> Bill Sohl wrote:
> > But in any actual emergency, there is nothing wrong with
> > having techs operate on HF (assuming the equipment to do so
> > is there).
>
> Doesn't the actual emergency have to be local to the tech?
> Can a tech 100 miles away from the actual emergency operate
> HF in assistance? Can a tech upstream from a flood who is giving
> river depth rising water readings who is not in any danger himself,
> operate on HF? I had always assumed the emergency had to be local
> and immediate for a tech to operate on HF.

A Tech, or a Novice, or an Unlicensed Person can operate on HF
all s/he wants, just as long as a properly-licensed control
operator is supervising said operation.

73 de Phil Kane - K2ASP
== Harmonize with CEPT ==

2563. WTB: TSU-8 SUB AUDIO UNIT !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cees B <pa3fce@bigfoot.com>
Message-ID: <909426208.516341@tango.news.big-orange.net>
Source record: 127915

Hello there,

I am looking for a TSU-8 Sub Audio Unit for a TH79 Porto.
If You have or know something Please let me know !!

73'sssssss <> PA3FCE <> Cees

2564. FT50R YAESU MARS/CAP mod problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcfriver1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981026133819.14867.00001607@ng136.aol.com>
Source record: 127916

I am having some problem with my new ft 50r with changing my radio`s bands.

My serial starts with 8C261...

1) Do You know if sw mod (ADMS 1C) can work with my radio? (I already tried all the hw mod but they don`t work)

2) If the answer to the 1st question is yes or maybe where can I find the adms 1c sw (is there in internet)?

Thanks for Your help

IK5VQI Giorgio (visiting US for work)

2565. Re: TEN-TEC SCOUT 555

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: bdiaz@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <712ml3$r5c$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127917

In article <70ttmbknb1@news.indy.net>,
"Bradley S. Stone" <nb9mNOSPAM@reliable-net.net> wrote:
> I couldn't help but comment on the Scout. I used it during the last field
> day, and don't understand all the "hubub" about this little plastiky,
> stripped-down radio. I thought the days of plug-in bandswitching went away
> with the National HRO! The receiver was OK, but certainly not any better
> than the nearby Yaesu 757. Image rejection was poor.
>
> For over 500 bucks, one could do better with a used Kenwood or Icom. Or
> better yet, a good used Hallicrafters :)
> -Brad, NB9M

There does not exist one radio that will make all Hams happy. Different
people view things different ways. For me, changing modules to change
bands is no big deal. However I can understand if it bugs others.

When selecting an HF radio, there are many factors and trade-offs that a
Ham should consider. In my case, I chose the Scout, because I wanted
a new radio that worked OK and I didn't want to spend a lot of money.
What was the correct choice for me, isn't the correct choice for all Hams.

My friend Bill (W6DIV) wanted more features than what the Scout offered
AND he didn't want to spend a lot of money. He purchased a used rig for
a little more than what I paid for my Scout. Was Bill's puschase a
mistake? No, because his wants were different than mine.

OK, if you don't undersatnd why others are so happy with their Scouts,
it's because we all see things a little different. This is a hobby,
so it shouln't be a big deal if we'll are happy running different rigs.

73,

Bob
KQ6WQ

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2566. Low Tx Power on Yaesu FT-7B?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: parkerp@alphalink.com.au
Message-ID: <712n2srth1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127918

I have a Yaesu FT-7B that has low transmit power out on all bands (1-2w approx).

Would anybody have any ideas as to if this is common with the FT7-B and what the fix is (damaged PA could be a possibility).

I am applying power to the top right and the bottom right pins on the rear panel Jones Plug only. Should power be applied to other pins as well. Also, I am using only 3 of the four pins in the mic socket. Is this correct.

Any assistance would be appreciated.

73,

Peter VK3YE

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2567. FS: Drake 2NT and 2C

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Randy Fish <fish@microlink.net>
Message-ID: <01be011b$7fba1980$66daa0d1@randyfis>
Source record: 127919

For Sale: Drake 2NT CW transmitter, good condition, original manual.
Matching 2C receiver, original manual, face plate is good, smaller knobs
are non-original, case is good, about 50% of the copper plating is removed
from the chassis from the rear. The 2C still works 100%, just looks rough
from the rear.
$85 for both and you ship from KCMO.
73
N0SAH

2568. FS/TRADE IC756

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: #fleet@mbl.edu
Message-ID: <#fleet-2610981559260001@pom1.mbl.edu>
Source record: 127920

I have an absolutely mint 756 w/FL223 and FL222 filters installed, 1600.00
shipped or trade for 575H in similiar condition plus cash.

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Do not autoreply, remove # sign from email address to respond

Barry Fleet K1SWR
Cape Cod MA

2569. mars/cap modification on yaesu ft50r

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcfriver1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981026151807.29555.00001475@ng21.aol.com>
Source record: 127921

I have a new ft50r by yaesu s/n. 8C26..... and I would like to extend the band
I have already done the HD modification but seems don't work
Is there someone that can help me?

IK5VQI Giorgio (visiting USA for work)

2570. Re: Another SB-200 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: al.dolgosh@hamradio.org
Message-ID: <8F98362.002B00685F.uuout@hamradio.org>
Source record: 127922

I, too, have heard about "all" the modifications that have to be made to use Svetlana or Sovtek replacement tubes in various pieces of gear. I have never had any details on any of them.

For the moment, I believe it is "hogwash". I hope these aren't purposeful rumors. We are NOT at "war" with the Russians anymore - they are barely able to keep going financially. How much circuit differences can there be on 80-10 meters? If these tubes were being used at UHF, then I might more easily believe some of the comments.

If they ae going to be the only source for glass tubes to keep our BA equipment running, we have an interest in seeing them succeed.

Al - K8EUR

-> Thinking of dropping a new set of Svetlana 572B's into my SB-200, and a
-> local has told me that there are circuit mods that have to be made to
-> accomodate the Svet tubes (of course, he offered no specifics as to what has
-> to be done).
->
-> Fact or hogwash?
->
-> 73,
->
-> -Marty KI+LO
-> martyt@pobox.com

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2571. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <3634DE0B.7E74@ibm.net>
Source record: 127923
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Phil Kane wrote:
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> On Mon, 26 Oct 1998 07:18:41 -0700, W6RCecilA wrote:
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> > Bill Sohl wrote:
> > > But in any actual emergency, there is nothing wrong with
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> > operate on HF? I had always assumed the emergency had to be local
> > and immediate for a tech to operate on HF.
>
> A Tech, or a Novice, or an Unlicensed Person can operate on HF
> all s/he wants, just as long as a properly-licensed control
> operator is supervising said operation.

Hi Phil, by operating, I meant unsupervised operation. Assuming
unsupervised operation by a tech, how close to the tech does
the emergency have to be before he is authorized to operate on
HF all by himself?
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://people.delphi.com/CecilMoore

2572. WTB:Icom IC-746

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb9sikk@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981026154111.23434.00001553@ng01.aol.com>
Source record: 127924

Looking for a excellent condition 746 with or without options. Please let me know what you have and price.

73,
K-K
KB9SI

2573. Re: FT50R YAESU MARS/CAP mod problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@groucho.cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <712mvn$lg7@groucho.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 127925

bcfriver1@aol.com (BCFriver1) writes:
>1) Do You know if sw mod (ADMS 1C) can work with my radio? (I already tried all
>the hw mod but they don`t work)

What are you trying to get? The new radios apparently cannot be modified
to receive celphone frequencies, so you're out of luck if that's what you
want. But according to what I've read, the MARS/CAP mod still works.
That requires removing one solder jumper, and expands the transmit range
on both VHF and UHF. What hardware mods have you tried?

>2) If the answer to the 1st question is yes or maybe where can I find the adms
>1c sw (is there in internet)?

It's sold by Yaesu, so you probably won't find it available for FTP
anywhere.

Dave

2574. Re: FT50R YAESU MARS/CAP mod problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcfriver1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981026155507.29555.00001488@ng21.aol.com>
Source record: 127926

Thanks Dave for your replay
I made these two things:
1) I removed the jumper 1
2) I removerd the resistor over jumper 1

I would like to have the band in mode free
122-231 and 309-502 MHz in TX
I need 475.000 MHx in TX for my work
Thanks again
IK5VQI Giorgio

2575. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: DavidC <davidc@bit-net.com>
Message-ID: <01be0124$6edd4d40$f48492d0@davidc.bit-net.com>
Source record: 127927
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

> Total war is too dangerous to fight, and the rewards of victory are too
> small. That's why nations have worked so hard to rein in the instruments
> of mass destruction. They're trying to make it safe, and profitable, to
fight
> wars again.
>
> Sure, they make mealy mouthed noises about peace and justice, but that's
> just a cover. Peace is an aberration, just as total war is an aberration.
The
> natural order is tooth and claw. When animals of the same species fight,
> they rarely fight to the death. When one gains dominance, or gains the
> territory of the other, the fight is over. They don't attack each other's
mates
> and cubs to settle the dispute. To do so would be aberrant madness.
>
> Gary

The problem here is that man is unlike the animals in an essential way, he can conjecture all manner of reasons for genocide, we have lots of history of that ... some of it is visible in action today.

Some radical religious groups in the world promote the extermination of their opponents, and some of them have organized here in America. Hitler certainly promoted the extermination of certain peoples in WWII. Others are just plain mad and yet are bright enough to acquire or create biological and chemical weapons. The threat is profound, and more so since the Clintonian religion of selfishness and hyper-narcissism has swept this nation and others.

We are in real trouble and the old rules are largely null and void.

DavidC

2576. WTB HF QRP RIG

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: ktk182@bse.bg
Message-ID: <3.0.5.32.19981026231244.007c57c0@bse.bse.bg>
Source record: 127928

I am looking for HF QRP Rig.
If anyone have one for sale, please e-mail me.
73 and GL.

LZ1QZ KOLYO

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2577. Re: FS**** 5CX1500 tube $200.00 ****

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: John@datasafe.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <3633adb6.17725241@news.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 127929

Can this valve be used as an alternative to others? Does it share the same base as 4cx etc?

Regards

John

2578. Re: WTB:Icom IC-746

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: axel <dstump1@gte.net>
Message-ID: <712qe2sgb1@news-1.news.gte.net>
Source record: 127930

Have I have a 757GXII with a FP757HD will take 775.00 Thanks dave.
Kb9sikk wrote in message <19981026154111.23434.00001553@ng01.aol.com>...
>Looking for a excellent condition 746 with or without options. Please let
me
>know what you have and price.
>
>73,
>K-K
>KB9SI

2579. Re: Another SB-200 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Branch <k4nr@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <01be012d$10abc040$3fae1b26@default>
Source record: 127931

Marty,

I've used the Svetlana's in my SB-200 with no problems. Right now I'm using Cetron's (US Made). The older FL series amplifier had to be modified to use the higher Mu Svetlana tubes.

73 de Tom, K4NR

Marty Tippin <martyt@pobox.com> wrote in article <36349fee.11649040@news.supernews.net>...
> Thinking of dropping a new set of Svetlana 572B's into my SB-200, and
> a local has told me that there are circuit mods that have to be made
> to accomodate the Svet tubes (of course, he offered no specifics as to
> what has to be done).

2580. Re: FS: Drake 2NT and 2C

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: k6dpzhal@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981026172655.28626.00001540@ng23.aol.com>
Source record: 127932

I would like to buy the radios please call me at 718-8473090 name is Hal

2581. Homebrew amplifier for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: be <w5kft@nts-online.net>
Message-ID: <3634F4F2.99CA260D@nts-online.net>
Source record: 127933
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.cb

Homebrew linear amp with FOUR 811A tubes in the final. Complete unit with
power supply. This amp was built by a local ham that only worked 75 and 40
meters so the final tank coil is only tapped for those two bands. Good winter
project for someone to work this over and put it on all bands. $150 plus UPS

Bryan Edwards W5KFT
5135-69th St
Lubbock, Texas 79424

2582. Homebrew amplifier for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: be <w5kft@nts-online.net>
Message-ID: <3634F4CB.7B77A7DA@nts-online.net>
Source record: 127934
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.cb

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2583. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: brianburke@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7131ks$cq2$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127935
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <3633FF75.5051@ibm.net>,
w6rca@ibm.net wrote:
> Harvey Babb wrote:
> > What we DID have due to the code requirement was a SEVERE shortage of HF
> > operators in the flooded area.
>
> Harvey, hate to say I told them so, but I told them this was happening.
> The code requirement is limiting the number of HF operators available
> for emergencies. If we are not careful, the code requirement will wind
> up costing lives instead of saving lives.
>
> > With even HALF of my available tech resources licensed on HF we could
> > have covered this thing like a blanket from start to finish.
>
> Hopefully, the proposed 5wpm General will help solve the problem.
>
> > Before this I was undecided on the "code vs. no-code" issue. This
> > polarized me totally toward getting RID of this anachronism!
>
> "This anachronism" is of course the Morse code test, not CW, the mode.
> --
> 73, Cecil, W6RCA http://people.delphi.com/CecilMoore
>

Cecil, I've often thought that there should be a place in amateur radio for MARS-like nets for emergency services. A person could become affiliated with an emergency services group and receive authorization/assignment for operating on one (1) net (several freqs), train on HF, participate in regularly scheduled nets, in hope that some of them would be available for bonafide emergencies. This authorization would not be for rag chewing, dx, contests, county collecting, etc. Just for emergency services and training for emergency services.

But I guess that this would be far too much privelege for undeserving no-code Techs who only want to serve! I know several nc-Techs who joined up only to serve, but because of the constant harassment, have dropped out. Real hard workers too! One was a real live, ns, motorola technician that offered to keep the unknowledgeable Extras repeaters in operation! Hah (I mean Hi)!

Brian/N0iMD

Brian/N0iMD

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2584. Yaseu Antenna Rotors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: jackwy@clark.net
Message-ID: <712v8ohmt1@clarknet.clark.net>
Source record: 127936

Interested in any experiences with the Yaseu antenna rotors.
How reliable are they, etc. ? Any comments appreciated.

John K3IC

2585. Re: Uniden Parts Phone number

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Danny Hodgin <hodgin@infoave.net>
Message-ID: <36350146.593213C@infoave.net>
Source record: 127937

Try 1-800-297-1023 that number should get you to parts department.
Danny KF4DXF

XHACKER wrote:

> Does anyone had the phone number for Uniden Parts. I have a HR2600 in need of
> a new microphone.
>
> Thanks
>
> Lewis Hipkins
>
> Xhacker@aol.com
> "Better Living via Social Engineering!"

2586. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Kane <nospam@abuse.com>
Message-ID: <cuvyxnarpbzzynjpragrepbz.f1g8130.pminews@nntp1.ba.best.com>
Source record: 127938
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Mon, 26 Oct 1998 13:39:39 -0700, W6RCecilA wrote:

> > A Tech, or a Novice, or an Unlicensed Person can operate on HF
> > all s/he wants, just as long as a properly-licensed control
> > operator is supervising said operation.
>
> Hi Phil, by operating, I meant unsupervised operation. Assuming
> unsupervised operation by a tech, how close to the tech does
> the emergency have to be before he is authorized to operate on
> HF all by himself?

The RACES rules specify that an operator of a RACES station need only be "a licensed amateur" so a Novice, No-Code, Tech Plus or better would qualify. At one time even a non-licensed person could be certified as a RACES operator.

The caveat is that the RACES network has to be activated (an official Disaster Services proclamation, IOW) and the RACES station can communicate only with other RACES stations, amateur stations which are recognized as part of a "civil defense" [sic] operation, U S government stations, and any other station specially authorized by the FCC to so intercommunicate. In addition, a separate rule dealing with a "declared communications emergency" gives the FCC wide latitude to specify the conditions of such communications, which conceivably could include relaxation of license class rerstrictions. I don't have access to "the book" anymore so I don't know what the current procedures and standards for such declared emergencies are.

[Rule sections available on demand].

BTW - in the discussion on "widespread, maybe multi-state" disasters, howcum no one mentioned that there will be a whole lot of operators and stations using HF in the course of disaster control/relief without benefit of any class of amateur license or code qualification.

We call them the National Guard.

73 de Phil Kane - K2ASP
== Harmonize with CEPT ==

2587. Drake 2NT and 2C

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Randy Fish <fish@microlink.net>
Message-ID: <01be0136$a4111fc0$64daa0d1@randyfis>
Source record: 127939

The Drakes have been sold. Thanks to all who
responded. 73
N0SAH

2588. Re: IC-756 Tuning Direction

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark_Erbaugh@compuserve.com
Message-ID: <3638053a.40184075@news2.infinet.com>
Source record: 127940

On 24 Oct 1998 07:09:16 -0400, jsm@n4vu.dyn.ml.org wrote:

>I'm guessing here, but if (as is common these days) the VFO knob
>drives a quadrature-type opto-chopper, then you can swap direction by
>swapping leads.

I guess I should have said that I don't know any menu options for changing the direction, but that certainly is a possibility. I haven't looked inside to see how easy is would be to swap leads.

Mark

2589. advise on ic-746 anybody...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Istvan Agg <WLIA03@email.mot.com>
Message-ID: <36350884.1CDD00B@email.mot.com>
Source record: 127941

Hi,

I am planning to purchase an IC-746. The ad sais, it comes with 4
filters
standard, and 3 optional filters are available in addition. Well calling

3 suppliers, then ICOM itself, I did not get a satisfactory answer to my

question: "What are the 4 filters in the radio."

I would like to make an intelligent decision for the optional filters.
Maybe
I do not even need them. I would like to have a good CW as well as SSB
compromise achieved.

Can you recommend what filters should I buy. I thought about getting
the 1.9 KHz BW for 9 MHz, the 500 Hz BW for 9 MHz, and the
250 Hz BW for 455 KHz. Is this a good choice?

Also, what is the power need of this beast? Maybe I can use my kenwood
PS that came with the TS-430S.

What do you think of the IC-746 in general before I sink in the money?

Thanks.

Istvan
n9eu

2590. Drake L4B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Woolem <jwoolem@flash.net>
Message-ID: <363510DF.9AF5E1CD@flash.net>
Source record: 127942

Nice Drake L4B 750 Plus shipping for Little Rock Arkansas

2591. FS: Yaesu 990

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Schuckert <mikes@newulmtel.net>
Message-ID: <363512D8.4453@newulmtel.net>
Source record: 127943

This radio operates on 110.The radio is in exellent condition. $1250.00

2592. Re: Agrelo Engineering DFjr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan <n7wpd@xxmission.com>
Message-ID: <7134l9$593$1@news.xmission.com>
Source record: 127944

Their performance sucks. Their customer service(or lack there of) sucks.
Aglero sucks. Period.
It took my company nearly 10 months to get ours. We called them every week,
and every time we received a different answer. They're on backorder, we're
waiting on a part to complete the unit, we have a shipment of them going out
today, we lost your order, and a hundred other lies that we were told. Then
to make matters worse, they dinged us twice on the company credit card!
I was told that Aglero had a redesigned receiver that previous owners could
get fairly inexpensively to repair performance problems of the original
unit.
Emailed, and wrote a letter several times. Never got a response. My DFjr
is sitting on the shelf collecting dust because it fails to operate
correctly.
Think I am the only one who feels this way? Post your question on
rec.radio.swap and see what you get. I saw a dozen people who have the same
story to tell that I do. It's a damn shame.
Health problems? I doubt it. More like bankruptcy.

Bottom line: DON'T BUY ONE.

Dan Dialogue
N7WPD

Toe Jam wrote in message <3633CAC3.B11D5E16@remove.all.except.bga.com>...
>> > We have been trying to contact Agrelo Engineering [with negative
results]
>(snip)
>
>> This came up on fox-list. Joe had some health problems over the last few
>> months and this affected the business operations a bit. Joe Moell K0OV
>> (author of the popular RDF book) has the full story, you can write him at
>> homingin@aol.com.
>
>Joe must be fairly busy, as I have written him with the same lack of reply
>I experienced from Agrelo Engineering. Furthermore, I have heard of some
>people with the DFjr product who have experienced problems with the unit's
>operation.
>
>Realizing that Joe's health problems may put an end to new purchases of
>the DFjr, certainly there are some used ones to be found. I wonder if
>anyone reading this thread who has one (or knows someone who has one)
>can comment on their satisfaction of the unit? $400 is a lot of money
>to be spending on a product that will not perform reliably or as
>advertised, so perhaps someone can either dispell the myths or point
>me in another direction of a comparible product.

>
>Many thanks...
>

2593. FA: Icom IC-228H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Thomasson <binsight@erols.com>
Message-ID: <7135urhf2@autumn.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 127945

Compact 2 meter rig..one owner..DTMF keypad..check it out at:
http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=37947505

2594. FS YAESU 101ZD CHEAP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gabriel G melo <n1hhf@110.net>
Message-ID: <7136m1mrd1@stalker.oem.net>
Source record: 127946

CALL ROGER AT 1-401-821-3058

2595. Re: FT50R YAESU MARS/CAP mod problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@groucho.cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <7138hf$m8o@groucho.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 127947

bcfriver1@aol.com (BCFriver1) writes:
>Thanks Dave for your replay
>I made these two things:
>1) I removed the jumper 1
>2) I removerd the resistor over jumper 1

Removing solder jumper 1 is the MARS/CAP mod. Doing it (alone) should allow transmit 140-174 and 420-470 MHz. This should still work.

Removing the resistor is supposed to allow you to choose the band plan from among several that the radio is programmed for. It's the leftmost resistor above the jumper pads. But I suppose that Yaesu might have changed the effect of that jumper, or changed the ROM so that freeband isn't available.

Perhaps someone else with a later FT-50 knows more. I have an older FT-50, and I have not done anything other than the MARS/CAP mod.

Dave

2596. FS: Yaesu FT-11R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Hess <larry@sapphire-star.com>
Message-ID: <71367jsrv1@paxfeed.eni.net>
Source record: 127948

I have an FT-11R for sale, like new with manual and all equipment -- $175.
(OBO)

Larry
larry@sapphire-star.com

2597. Help on alignment Hamtronics R-100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: KD1YV <jimkd1yv@snet.net>
Message-ID: <3635196E.5AE4BCFF@snet.net>
Source record: 127949

Hi, NewsGroupies,

We have recently added a Hamtronics R-100 receiver into our school club's ham station, operating on 2m. Of course, we have no manual.

We changed the crystal to use it at a frequency about 2 MHz higher than it was previously tuned, and we noticed a marked decrease in sensitivity.

Can anybody send us the procedures to align the receiver to the new frequency? Any help would be greatly appreciated.

--
73 de Jim, KD1YV
http://www.qsl.net/kd1yv/ Emergency Coordinator, Town of Bethel, CT
Hallicrafters List Administrator Bulletin Manager, CT Section, ARRL
Cole's Law: Thinly sliced cabbage.

2598. Re: How to filter distance repeaters?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ralph Mowery <rmowery@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <3635387D.FC4D7A19@ibm.net>
Source record: 127950
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Looks like you are out of luck. You could always just make a 1/2 wave
dipole or a 1/4 wave ground plane and use it inside, then hook up the
outside one when needed.

> my friend just put up a 15' vertical dual band (2m & 70cm) base
> antenna on the top of my roof. I live on top of a mountain. The good
> news is that the antenna works good. Maybe too good!?
>
>
> Question: How does one filter out distance repeaters with the same
> frequency (if some don't have PL output)?
>

2599. Re: X-10 Problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Paul F. McCarron" <w1hzy@cybertours.com>
Message-ID: <36354908.7D13DD10@cybertours.com>
Source record: 127951
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I have been using them for many years, with many problems! They are convienent, but low security and reliability. The computer interface is worthless, if you are a ham and running more than 100 watts, 'cause the rf wipes out the program! I have motion detectors outside that turn on all of my perimeter floodlights, and i love that feature(except when the neighbor's cat sets it off at 2:00 am!).

kw1k@funtv.com wrote:

> Hi -
>
> I am considering using X-10 type receivers in my home - anyone have any
> experience, opinions, comments, problems, or general information they might
> share with me?
>
> Tnx es 73
>
> Joe

2600. Swap Shop

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: marc <marc@shoppersplace.com>
Message-ID: <363549DD.AB15BDDC@shoppersplace.com>
Source record: 127952
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: vcard.vcf

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come check out the used equiptment swap shop bulletin board, on
Shopper's Place, in the internet stores section.
http://www.shoppersplace.com

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]
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2601. FS:6 Ele.10M&15M Beams,70ft.Rohn Fold-over Tower,Other Towers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Frank J. Kashinski" <fkairshw@execpc.com>
Message-ID: <713e3n$qq1@newsops.execpc.com>
Source record: 127953

*******Listing for W9DUB respond by Telephone Number Below only, not to this post*******

6 Element 3i¿½ 36i¿½ boom 10 meter beam $250.00
6 Element 3i¿½ 36i¿½ boom 15 meter beam $325.00
70 FT. Rohn Fold over Tower $800.00
ALL ABOVE ON THE GROUND FOR PICK UP Southern Wisconsin

70 FT. Windmill tower you take down $150.00 with Prop Pitch Motor $250.00

130 FT. Rohn 25 with guy wires you take down $260.00 with Prop Pitch Motor $360.00

Contact W9DUB Frank Kashinski 414-728-3197

2602. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jones <Jones@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <3635582E.8DA@nomail.com>
Source record: 127954
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

> Jones, just for the record, could you tell us which camp you come from:
> pro-code agenda, or no-code test agenda? Thanks, Brian/N0iMD

For the record I don't care. Since CW is my mode, you will have to know
it to talk with me. Even if they do give the license away it won't
affect me much. However in my post I was just responding to one
illogical statement by carrying it to it's logical, illogical,
conclusion....

2603. Re: FT50R YAESU MARS/CAP mod problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: sir-dan@webtv.net
Message-ID: <8840-36354BF4-72@newsd-154.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 127955

What are the cell band frequencies??

2604. antenna connector for thg71

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Christopher J. McLoughlin" <cjmcloug@uncg.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.GSO.3.96.981026235812.2615F-100000@hamlet.uncg.edu>
Source record: 127956

Does anyone know where i can get a connector for the TH-G71 HT. I want to put an antenna on the car but i cant't find the connector to put the coax in the radio. Does anyone know what kind of connection this is? PS i tried several radio shacks with no luck.

2605. Re: manual of Heathkit AG9A audio generator

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rabbit <mastermind@ip.pt>
Message-ID: <712oh8gk1@duke.telepac.pt>
Source record: 127957

Need desperatly manual of Heathkit AG9A as transformer went on fire and I
don't know voltages. Thks
jcdias@ip.pt
CT1 APL

2606. Re: EMP pulse wave?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bruce Starr <BassStar@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3635665C.3F74542B@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 127958
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

My Tempo one runs on a/c or d/c

W6RCecilA wrote:

> Richard Carroll wrote:
> > If anything would survive to be usable, it'd be tube type
> > gear ...
>
> Most tube type gear runs on AC power. There wouldn't be any
> of that coming out of the wall sockets. Your AC generator
> probably has solid state controls and wouldn't work.
> --
> 73, Cecil, W6RCA http://people.delphi.com/CecilMoore

2607. WANT HFT-9 Heath Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Van Sias <wa7fab@internetcds.com>
Message-ID: <3634FDAB.97FFEC46@internetcds.com>
Source record: 127959

Want to buy HFT-9 or HFT-9-A hundred watt Heath tuner. Please e mail
price Thank you

2608. Re: FT50R YAESU MARS/CAP mod problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Jack T.Dragon" <tdragonn@blarg.net>
Message-ID: <36357B83.D25@blarg.net>
Source record: 127960

Dave Martindale wrote:
>
> Removing solder jumper 1 is the MARS/CAP mod. Doing it (alone) should
> allow transmit 140-174 and 420-470 MHz. This should still work.

From all of the reports I have, it does.

> Removing the resistor is supposed to allow you to choose the band
> plan from among several that the radio is programmed for. It's the
> leftmost resistor above the jumper pads. But I suppose that Yaesu
> might have changed the effect of that jumper, or changed the ROM so
> that freeband isn't available.

Acually, they did both. The freeband mode is no longer availiable, even with the use of my faq. Plus, if you remove the resistor, you can no longer change country codes, just the details of what country you're in.

> Perhaps someone else with a later FT-50 knows more. I have an older
> FT-50, and I have not done anything other than the MARS/CAP mod.

If you want to do teh freeband mode with yours but don't want to touch a soldering iron, you could follow my FAQ at http://www.blarg.net/~tdragon/faqs/ , it details how to perform the freeband mod with nothing more than the computer interface kit.

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/---------------------------+---------------------------\
-=Jack the TechnoDragon=-	Please remove the second,
a.k.a.	anti-spamming N from the
-=Jack T.Dragon=-	end of tdragon in my
tdragonn@blarg.net	address to respond.
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2609. FS:Kenwood TS450SAT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lee Snook <snook@emily.net>
Message-ID: <713vdk$if5$1@news3.mr.net>
Source record: 127961

TS450SAT with acessories, $650.
Lee Snook
W1DN
218-763-3233

2610. Re: Agrelo Engineering DFjr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Toe Jam <toejam@remove.all.except.bga.com>
Message-ID: <36341F96.3E144A6A@remove.all.except.bga.com>
Source record: 127962

> same thing happened here essentially...I've been waiting 4 months...I guess it
> does'nt matter that they have had my money for 4 months...oh well live and
> learn...
> The lesson here is that just because someone can afford the $20-$40 per month
> site fee, it doesnt mean that the company is reliable or dependable.

> > Their performance sucks. Their customer service(or lack there of) sucks.
> > Aglero sucks. Period.

In my continued quest to locate a commercial Doppler that was affordable,
I have located the following site:

http://www.wenet.net/~ahha/

My first email was answered VERY promptly, and was a couple of pages long.
The guy (a ham) seemed to really have taken the time to give me as many
details as he had, and it was very promising to get such a quick and lengthy
reply after dealing (trying to deal) with Agrelo.

The KIT (did I mention it's a kit?) runs $275, and there are a few other
things you can get with it if you want. Still less than the DFjr, but it doesn't
come with antennas (which I hear was a problem area with the DFjr anyway).

Chris

2611. Re: Mobile antenna placement?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Toe Jam <toejam@remove.all.except.bga.com>
Message-ID: <3634202C.63E08DD7@remove.all.except.bga.com>
Source record: 127963

> Folks, I've got a 75W, but probably pushing 80W, Kenwood mobile.
> I have it mounted on the rear trunk lip of the car, about 3.5' - 4'
> away from the driver. What's the health risks with this scenario?
> Should I NOT keep the antenna there?

Although I don't have a good answer for you, I can add that I HOPEit's ok, since
one car I drive extensively has a 1/2 wave (or maybe it's
5/8 wave) whip center-mounted on the trunk lid, being pushed by a
100 watt VHF transceiver.

2612. Re: Agrelo Engineering DFjr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Toe Jam <toejam@remove.all.except.bga.com>
Message-ID: <36342739.679A16AB@remove.all.except.bga.com>
Source record: 127964

Chuck, just for clarification, you are talking about a bad experience with
Agrelo Engineering and the DFjr, right? Because the post also contained
information about another (different) company called AHHA! Solutions
which seems to have better customer relations (and even a better product
perhaps!) [your reply]

> the guy took me for a long ride, promised everthing and dilevered
> nothing and then charged my credit card twice, took me over a year to
> gey my money back via my credit card co. then his bank contested it. if
> you have a order in cancell it and get your money back while its still
> advailable chuck

[re: Agrelo]

> > > > Their performance sucks. Their customer service(or lack there of) sucks.
> > > > Aglero sucks. Period.

[re: AHHA!]

> > In my continued quest to locate a commercial Doppler that was affordable,
> > I have located the following site:
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> > http://www.wenet.net/~ahha/
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> > My first email was answered VERY promptly, and was a couple of pages long.
> > The guy (a ham) seemed to really have taken the time to give me as many
> > details as he had, and it was very promising to get such a quick and lengthy
> > reply after dealing (trying to deal) with Agrelo.
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> > The KIT (did I mention it's a kit?) runs $275, and there are a few other
> > things you can get with it if you want. Still less than the DFjr, but it doesn't
> > come with antennas (which I hear was a problem area with the DFjr anyway).

2613. radio transmission "fingerprinting" ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Toe Jam <toejam@remove.all.except.bga.com>
Message-ID: <36342972.FA5F3C67@remove.all.except.bga.com>
Source record: 127965

Someone I spoke to recently mentioned a device selling in the
mid-hundreds that takes a "print" of a received signal for later
comparrison, etc. Apparently similar to 'voice printing', this
device can log radio transmissions and you can identify each
one -then if they ever key up again, you can tell who they are
just from the transmission "print."

In fact, the guy mention that Ham Radio Outlet may have them
(he thinks remembers seeing them there) and I tried looking
at their site but cannot locate this device. Hopefully someone
out there knows what I am trying to describe and can point
me in the right direction.

Many thanks,
Chris

2614. Re: radio transmission "fingerprinting" ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Toe Jam <toejam@remove.all.except.bga.com>
Message-ID: <36343669.A936B395@remove.all.except.bga.com>
Source record: 127966

> I recollect it was a PC plug in card and cost around 400 dollars (?)
> Great for identifying the repeater jammers!

Yessir, this is exactly the price he thought it was selling for. I bet we
are talking about the same thing. Now, only if I could locate that ad.
I'll keep looking...

Chris

2615. Re: radio transmission "fingerprinting" ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Toe Jam <toejam@remove.all.except.bga.com>
Message-ID: <363448BE.A9C30B0E@remove.all.except.bga.com>
Source record: 127967

> > QST carried ads for a board called TxID-1 - Transmitter FingerPrinting
> > System
> > $699.00
>
> Hurry, they are on sale for 3 more days for $499...
>
> http://www.motron.com/products/180.info.html

[digging for something to sell] :-)

2616. WTB: DualBand Mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: rjb@interactive.net
Message-ID: <3634d5f5.179987236@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 127986

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Wanted: DualBand Mobile 144/440
Reply Email with price and model.
Thanks,Rich.
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2617. Recommend a 2m mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: perkins@nome.net
Message-ID: <710g0m$l2v$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127987

Am in the market for a mobile 2 meter rig to use as a base station at camp. It will be powered with a 12 volt battery supplied by a solar panel. I want a dependable rig, 2 meter, dtmf capabilities, selectable power output. Tone decode, AM receive and 70cm RX are nice features if available, but not necessary for my needs.

Would like to hear from Hams as to whats out there that is a good buy and would serve my purposes. Would like to stay with one of the Big 4. (Yaesu, Icom, Kenwood or Alinco) Thanks for your input.

Nate, KL0DI
perkins@nome.net

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2618. Re: Rotor Accessories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: DavidC <davidc@bit-net.com>
Message-ID: <01be0074$ed86e6c0$d98492d0@davidc.bit-net.com>
Source record: 127988
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

> Some where I remember seeing a company that sells accessories
> for the HAM model rotors. In particular the automatic brake release
> circuits and a kit to replace the connector block on the bottom
> for the wires. Anyone have any info on that company? A web site?
> Please reply via email.
> John K3IC jackwy@clark.net

Rotor Doctor http://www.rotordoc.com/
Norm's Rotor Service http://www.tiac.net/users/shiacawn/rotors/
Telex-Hygain http://www.hy-gain.com/

73, DavidC AA1FA

2619. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: DavidC <davidc@bit-net.com>
Message-ID: <01be0073$8eab90c0$d98492d0@davidc.bit-net.com>
Source record: 127989
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

> I'm talking about atomic weapons deliberately exploded high in the
> atmosphere for the purpose of knocking out most of the electronics
> with EMP but sparing the population.
> --
> 73, Cecil, W6RCA http://people.delphi.com/CecilMoore

Is there a strategy in China, the former Soviet Union, or other nuclear powers that suggests this as their plan?

I could see a mix of explosion levels, but seriously doubt a plan that is worried about population harm ... warriors tend not to be humanitarians ... one fellow said "Our job is to break things and kill people!" Lots of population losses has always been key to early surrender, witness WWII versus Germany and Japan. The inability to impose massive population damage was the reason Germany was racing for the nuke, the bombing of England mostly harmed infrastructure ... and failed.

IMHO ... 73, DavidC AA1FA

2620. Kenwood YC-88C-1 cw filter for swap.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michel Morin <morinm@csdgs.qc.ca>
Message-ID: <itPY1.201$dB4.15668@carnaval.risq.qc.ca>
Source record: 127990

I just bought a Kenwood TS-850S that came with a YK-88C-1 cw filter. Since I have no interest in cw, I would like to swap it for one of the following items:

Kenwood YK-88SN-1 narrow ssb filter.
Kenwood SP-31 speaker to match my TS-850S.

The above filters are the plug in models, not the ones you solder.
No money would be involved because these parts have about the same value.

Inquiries by email.

73 de VE2CJW
Michel Morin
Quebec, Canada.

2621. For sale: KWM380

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: cemely@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981025194011.20155.00001315@ng92.aol.com>
Source record: 127991

KWM380 Collins Rockwell modified for full transmit coverage, all filters and speech processor. With SM281 mic.
Must sell.

Contact Chuck22039@yahoo.com

2622. How to filter distance repeaters?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: linda@nospam.com
Message-ID: <3633c275.17547752@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 127992
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hi,

my friend just put up a 15' vertical dual band (2m & 70cm) base antenna on the top of my roof. I live on top of a mountain. The good news is that the antenna works good. Maybe too good!?

Not only do I pick up all our local repeaters, I now also pickup the repeaters that's on the same frequency 60 miles, 120+ miles away! When I tried to listen to our local repeaters frequency, I get a lot of traffic and I cannot tell who is on which repeater.

Question: How does one filter out distance repeaters with the same frequency (if some don't have PL output)?

I have this problem with almost all the local repeaters I use?!! I am currently using a Yaesu mobile as a base.

Linda

Please post your replies here as I do not yet have e-mail.

2623. Re: How to filter distance repeaters?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: sds22@rocketmail.com
Message-ID: <3633cedb.1205362@news.chesco.com>
Source record: 127993
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Mon, 26 Oct 1998 00:55:49 GMT, linda@nospam.com wrote:

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2624. Antenna position?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tony Szablowski <aszablowski@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <710jh8$fkh@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 127994

Folks, I've got a 75W, but probably pushing 80W, Kenwood mobile. I'm curious about the RF during Tx, health-wise. I have it mounted on the rear trunk lip of the car, about 3.5' - 4' away from the driver. What's the health risks with this scenario? Should I NOT keep the antenna there? Thanks.
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Regards,
Tony

2625. Re: dumb question from a new Ham re: 10m and CB.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa8ulx@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981025203818.26675.00000513@ngol05.aol.com>
Source record: 127995

In article <710b5sfan1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>, brianburke@my-dejanews.com writes:

>So go take those easy ole exams again, whydoncha?

Im not about to, dont have to prove anything to you or anyone like you

2626. Re: dumb question from a new Ham re: 10m and CB.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa8ulx@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981025203820.26675.00000514@ngol05.aol.com>
Source record: 127996

In article <710bu0$g6b$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>, brianburke@my-dejanews.com
writes:

>Then again, the only dumb answer is the one that WA8ULX offers.
>

Or we could listen to Brian Burke, a Real CBplusser

2627. Re: dumb question from a new Ham re: 10m and CB.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa8ulx@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981025203821.26675.00000515@ngol05.aol.com>
Source record: 127997

In article <710cvphgt1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>, brianburke@my-dejanews.com
writes:

>Bruce, its a good thing for you that the FCC doesn't require literacy for
>licensing.
>

Brian its a good thing for you that the FCC doesnt require any real Testing

2628. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3683bf8f.731003065@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 127998
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On 25 Oct 1998 23:53:58 GMT, "DavidC" <davidc@bit-net.com> wrote:
>It is a concern to me that I have rarely, if ever, seen a good assessment
>of collateral damage.
>
>The targets of a big exchange would be major cities and industrial sites.
>The resultant loss of sewer treatment plants, water treatment facilities,
>biological and chemical containment and neutralizing systems, law
>enforcement, firefighting and governmental infrastructure would seem to
>indicate much greater loss of life and social anarchy (or the declaration
>of a national and state-level state(s)-of-emergency unlikely to result in a
>return to democracy). The seeds of anarchy and dictatorship are already
>well established here, though carefully camouflaged.

There are several points here. Note first that the Sagan nuclear winter scenario has been thoroughly debunked thanks to the data gathered from the Kuwait oil fires. The junk rains out much faster than Sagan's model predicted. Also realize that most of the infrastructure lost is infrastructure which services the prime target sites, and they're toast. They don't need it anymore. Also realize that 64% of the violent crime in America occurs in 5% of the land area of America, and most of that 5% is ground zero.

I'd also opine that a much reduced government infrastructure is likely to be a good thing. We are choking in regulation today. As I note on any Federal holiday, Atlanta would be a much more liveable city if we could somehow rid it of the federal bureaucrats. There's certainly no traffic problem when they all stay home. OTOH total anarchy isn't workable either. I doubt we can strike a comfortable balance under the stress of war.

In the immediate aftermath of nuclear war, local power will be absolute. There simply won't be the transport, or the resources, to move in enforcement from other areas. How each local area reacts to that would be interesting to consider. Near surviving military bases, I think it would be safe to assume that martial law would be enforced. But in other areas, things might be very different. Bringing the country back together under a single leadership might be a very difficult and long process. It might prove impractical. The US could become several separate nation states. With its major cities gone, the demographic balance would certainly shift radically.

>A likely scenario may be a network of chemical and/or biological attacks to
>which we respond aggressively, that sets off a series of ever-widening
>responses and counter-responses which then triggers a nuclear barrage from
>multiple sources. The complex nature of initial blast death and damage,

>fallout, firestorms, polluted air, water and soil, lost infrastructure
>(described above) may geometrically magnify losses. We may also consider
>that the bombs that we drop elsewhere in the world will deposit garbage in
>the atmosphere that, together with what we receive, likely drift over us
>and alter for decades the world's weather system ... eco-Chicken-Little Al
>Gore would be in his glory!

Most of the fallout (nuclear and non-nuclear) would rain out very quickly, we know that now. It would be deposited in the top inch or so of the soil where it would have to be scraped away before the land would be usable again. And it would be deposited in lakes and streams where it would become trapped in sediments. Fish might not be safe to eat for decades, but most water would be safe enough to drink after a few weeks. I think we can rule out major climate change as a result of nuclear war. While the weapons seem big to us, on a global scale their impact is actually quite small. For example, the energy released by an average hurricane in one hour is equal to all the nuclear weapons in all of the world's arsenals combined.

A possible odd side effect of all this is that some diseases might decline. As you probably know, radiation is used to sterilize food for long term storage. It is possible that the high radiation levels in the first weeks would do a similar thing to environmental disease organisms. OTOH most disease organisms can't live outside a host, so the crowding in shelters and displaced person camps might make disease run rampant. Since most major hospitals are located in target areas, as are most large drug companies, they wouldn't be available anymore, and treatment of disease and injuries could be a daunting process. Some form of triage would likely have to be practiced, with those too sick or too badly injured simply allowed to die.

>BTW: You do make a good argument to relocate to Wyoming or Montana! :-)

I wouldn't go there. There are missile fields there which would be prime targets. (Assuming they haven't all been deactivated by the time the balloon goes up.) Oddly enough, the area near Dalton Georgia is one of the safer areas in case of attack. All of the fallout pattern maps show that it receives very little fallout in any credible attack scenario. To put it bluntly, there's nothing worth targeting which is up wind of it for a long ways, and the Appalachian foothills create a wind pattern that keeps most fallout from target areas away from it. There are a number of other pockets around the country like that, not all of them are in remote areas.

You also have to realize that wherever you light, you're going to be stuck there for a long time. You want a place where the climate, soil, availability of water, and other factors make is possible to survive there comfortably. Remote areas are generally remote for a reason, people have a hard time living there. Ideally, you want to find a small town which used to be well populated before the post-WWII exodus to the cities. It will likely be quite livable, and will likely have enough infrastructure to keep you above bare subsistence. And if you guess wrong and doomsday doesn't come, you still have a nice place to live.

I'm not a doomster, and I doubt I'll see a nuclear war in my lifetime. But I did choose to live more than 30 miles from the nearest target, and behind a ridge from it too. I also have a place that is in the rural heartland where long term living would be comfortable, and the fallout maps say would be relatively clear. In reality I intend to retire there, but if world tensions became high, I might be tempted to retire early.

The line between prepared and paranoid can be a fine one. I don't think I've crossed it. But even if I have, being paranoid doesn't guarantee that they aren't really out to get you.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

2629. Re: EMP pulse wave?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: (unknown)
Message-ID: <3636d681.19305301@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 127999
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Sun, 25 Oct 1998 03:02:47 GMT, "Jeff" <eprom@uscom.com> wrote:

>
>BTW - if a small nuclear weapon were to be detonated at a high altitude
>over the center of the U.S...it would be enough to wipe out most electronic
>equipment over the North american continent
>
Would this include all the modern cars using computers?

2630. Toll restrict problem with CSI-9500 autopatch

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: ifr@dlcwest.com
Message-ID: <3634dcfc.39253894@news.dlcwest.com>
Source record: 128000

For some reason the restrict feature doesn't work and it's allowing toll (11 digit calls). The patch was purchased second hand and did come with the operations manual. However following the instructions doesn't cure the problem. Has anyone experienced this...and did you solve it???

Thanks, and 73 de ve5arc,
Garnet Moser

ifr@dlcwest.com

2631. Re: Mods?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter <petermac@alphalink.com.au>
Message-ID: <711tbq$t4v$1@news.alphalink.com.au>
Source record: 128001

David A. Heupel wrote:
>I once found a good source of information about radio mods for all kinds of
>radios and scanners. Please send me the URL if you know of any such
>Internet sites. Thanks!
>
David

This might help - I hope so

http://www.ac6v.com/pageA.html#MODS

Regards,

Peter VK3CXX

2632. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@planet.net
Message-ID: <3633d54d.3369404@news.planet.net>
Source record: 128002
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On 25 Oct 1998 15:22:42 GMT, Richard Carroll <w0ex@scan.missouri.org>
wrote:

>Steve Sampson wrote:
>> If you want reliable communications down into the noise where humans
>> can't decipher it, then get a Clover card. The measurement is bits per
>> second decoded. The CW words per minute decoded is a fraction of
>> the Clover capability. If I was at sea in a life raft, I'd rather have a beacon
>> on Guard then a CW key in my survival kit. The most important thing is
>> location ("It's the location stupid"), location, location... Rescue groups
>> don't really care about anything else.
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> Whoa. So the rescuers know the location. Until they know
>the details of what happened at that location, they are
>still in the dark as to what the need is and how to best
>handle the response to that need.

Bull, if it is an emergency beacon, the response is
simple: (1) Locate, (2) respond to the specific
location (3) assess the location's need.

>Some means of on-site
>communications is still vital for survivers to pass out to
>rescuers this vital information. Errors or ommissions in
>this area are ssometimes responsible for huge mistakes in
>relief efforts, negating much that could have otherwise been
>accomplished in a much more timely manner.

Such as?

> In
>disasters/emergencies, time is always of the essence.
>Nothing is more vital to a relief effort than timely,
>accurate detailed information as to the scope of what
>happened, where and to whom the relief effort should be
>first directed, and why. This information is difficult
>enough to gather in such an event at best, and the lack of
>communications to pass it to the proper officials is a huge
>obstacle. Hams are well positioned to fill this need, with
>VHF/UHF gear, repeaters and nets. HF must often be used to
>then "get the word out".

HF is rarely used in comparison to VHF.
The overall reliability of and actual use of
VHF has been well chronicled in the pages of QST and

CQ magazine.

Cheers,
Bill K2UNK

2633. AEA Isoloop automatic antenna tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Henry Seidner <hseidner@att.net>
Message-ID: <3633E61A.BF5242CB@att.net>
Source record: 128003

Does anyone have any experience with the AEA automatic antenna tuner accessory? How well does it work.

Thanks,
Henry/WA2ROA

2634. Re: How to filter distance repeaters?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: linda@nospam.com
Message-ID: <3633cd55.19628694@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 128004
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hi Ken,

1) I don't want to have to purchase another antenna... and have to
have someone put it up again.
2) Some distance repeaters are in the same general direction (east)
as the local ones. so, to point in any particular direction with a
beam will not help.

Any other suggestions?

Linda

On Mon, 26 Oct 1998 01:27:27 GMT, sds22@rocketmail.com (Ken Akers -
K3JWL) wrote:

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2635. FS Kantronics KAM Plus All mode $200 shipped

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: jsvare@mninter.net
Message-ID: <3635e8dc.2341087@news.mninter.net>
Source record: 128005

Excellent condition and works great. Comes with all documentation,
origanal box and power supply. Version 6.1 firmware.

jim

2636. Re: How to filter distance repeaters?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: sds22@rocketmail.com
Message-ID: <3633ec1a.802296@news.chesco.com>
Source record: 128006
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Mon, 26 Oct 1998 00:55:49 GMT, linda@nospam.com wrote:

As I suspected, some of the "offending" machines would probably be in line with the one you want. You have a classic problem. An excellent location and a great antenna ! It wouldn't make any difference if the other machines had PL on the output or not, once your squelch is opened you are going to hear anything that is out there. If you haven't already tried this...you might try reducing your output power and perhaps you won't bring up so many other machines. Other than that I dunno! Anyone else out there have any suggestions??

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2637. Re: dumb question from a new Ham re: 10m and CB.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: quinkman@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981025224805.12676.00001245@ng156.aol.com>
Source record: 128007

It's not "its", it's, it's.

2638. Re: How to filter distance repeaters?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: sds22@rocketmail.com
Message-ID: <3633f08a.1938797@news.chesco.com>
Source record: 128008
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Mon, 26 Oct 1998 00:55:49 GMT, linda@nospam.com wrote:

On my way to bed I had one more thought. I know you said you didn't want to buy another antenna but you may have to. If you can, try borrowing a small 1/4 wave mobile ant of some sort and stick it on a pie plate or something metal inside the shack. See how that plays, you could even build one for that matter, just something simple to try. May be the only way!

73, (again) Ken

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2639. Re: How to filter distance repeaters?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: linda@nospam.com
Message-ID: <3633ee48.23557213@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 128009

I've already tried that. It works good with a 1/4 wave mobile antenna stock on a metal object inside the house. I may have to resort to that. But it's just the thought that I've just spent $200+ for a nice antenna that creates more problems than it does good!! Never thought that it would happen....

On Mon, 26 Oct 1998 03:52:13 GMT, sds22@rocketmail.com (Ken Akers - K3JWL) wrote:

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2640. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

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Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Carroll <w0ex@scan.missouri.org>
Message-ID: <710tq7$ag6$0@208.207.71.155>
Source record: 128010
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Bill Sohl wrote:

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Gee, that sounds easy! maybe it even will be. Depends
entirely on exactly what sort of disaster/emergency we're
talking about doesn't it?
An aircraft down, the ELT sounds off, is DF'd and the
location pinpointed, situation assessed by a flyover,
situation handled, no problem.

But lets look at the sort of disaster I'm trained for and
much more familar with. What if it's a massive earthquake,
stretching over a wide region covering parts of several
states involving several major cities? Literally millions of
people can easily be involved, schools, hospitals, nursing
homes, other population concentrations are at risk for large
numbers of casualties. What does the beacon do for them? How
do those persons/entities gearing up for a massive relief
movement into the area plan their approach without
definitive information as to what the need is, where it is,
and at what level? Just because a recon aircraft pilot sees
what appears to be a damaged hospital may not mean that the
need for large relief effort is necessarily required.
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the relief effort to those spots where it is really needed
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effort/resources is sure to occur.

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> >this area are sometimes responsible for huge mistakes in
> >relief efforts, negating much that could have otherwise been
> >accomplished in a much more timely manner.

> Such as?

Such as sending large quantities of unneeded supplies/personnel to spots where very few are actually needed, while missing areas where those very resources are critically needed. A tragic waste of limited relief resources. Such as sending a field hospital with staff to an area where with few casualties while an unknown spot with many injured is bypassed. Effective communications helps to preclude these errors.

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> >first directed, and why. This information is difficult
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> >obstacle. Hams are well positioned to fill this need, with
> >VHF/UHF gear, repeaters and nets. HF must often be used to
> >then "get the word out".

> HF is rarely used in comparison to VHF.

Indeed, and that is the very reason for your complacency on this area of communications. Just because we have not needed to handle a quite large disaster in the electronic communications era, we surely will never be called upon to do that, Right?

> The overall reliability of and actual use of
> VHF has been well chronicled in the pages of QST and
> CQ magazine.

There will always be the need for these resources in all types and sizes of relief efforts. They are the more locally available parts of the system, depending on what parts of the infrastructure survive, amateur and otherwise.

The trend is toward "it has always been....." and so we will never need to plan for .....". Nature is fickle and will provide us with plenty of exceptions as time passes.

The best laid plans never cover nearly all the possibilities, generally just what is expected.

Dick C

2641. Re: EMP pulse wave?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff <eprom@uscom.com>
Message-ID: <01be0098$fe2c55e0$0645fea9@eprom>
Source record: 128011
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hey Gary, with all due respect, where a you getting your
information from?
I was going on the information that the USAF has
documented in studies.

eprom@uscom.com
KC8BYL

Gary Coffman <ke4zv@bellsouth.net> wrote in article
<367fa426.723985426@news.atl.bellsouth.net>...
| On 25 Oct 1998 14:48:53 GMT, Richard Carroll <w0ex@scan.missouri.org>
wrote
| > I had always thought the best way to mitigate an EMP was
| >the same as lightning mitigation--unhook all equipment from
| >all associated wiring--both antennas and power mains, as
| >well as ground. Of course it can't be used unhooked, and
| >vastly more sophisticated means of mitigation for lightning
| >and EMP must be employed for gear that is kept in service.
| >But it means that your backup rig sitting unhooked and idle
| >on the closet shelf should be pretty well immune and will
| >survive to be placed into service.
|
| Yep, there's no need to put it in a steel box and bury it in
| the ground. That's just uninformed paranoia.
|
| Gary
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| 534 Shannon Way | We break it |
| Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |
|

2642. Help needed, noise problem.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: morinm@csdgs.qc.ca
Message-ID: <710qjgho1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 128012

Hi there
I have a funny noise problem mostly on 80 meters. It sounds like a cyclical burst of static and it is nearly regular. Nothing I do can get rid of it. It is not always there, some nights, the noise level is about S1 on 80 meters. I took some measurements, here they are:

160 meters S3
80 meters S9+20 db
40 meters S7
20 meters S3
10 meters S1 but it is still there.

I have tried 3 different HF rigs and a shortwave receiver and there is no difference. I tried putting my TS-850 on a battery and shutting off the main breaker in the house but it didn't change anything, which means it comes from outside the house. Sometimes, I think it is a kind of corona discharge. It can distort a good ssb signal, even one that is over S9. My noise limiter and dsp can't do anything with it. Some nights, it's not there at all and the noise can get as low as S1. When it is there, it varies in a cyclical but not exactly repetitive fashion from S5 to S9 +20 db. This variation doesn't take more than about one second.

I live in a small town on the south shore of Montreal and it shouldn't be that noisy. If an expert could give me some hints, I would apreciate it a lot because I am really fed up with that situation. When I ask some other hams who are maybe 20 miles from here, they don't have that problem. Any help welcome.

73 de VE2CJW
Michel Morin.
Quebec, Canada.

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2643. Value of SIGNAL/ONE MILSPEC 1030CI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: KB6LUE <kb6lue@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <363485BE.6BF8@pacbell.net>
Source record: 128013

Anyone have any idea what a SIGNAL/ONE MILSPEC 1030CI is worth?
It is good working condition.
Thanks
Jin KB6LUE

2644. Anyone own a Timewave DSP-59Y?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Cutler <jccrtv@jccrtv.com>
Message-ID: <F1F6C9.IJn@news2.new-york.net>
Source record: 128014

Is there anyone out there who owns a Timewave DSP-59Y? I just bought one new without a manual! The manual will be here in a few days, but can someone please answer:

1) Does the DSP-59Y decode RTTY when a serial cable it attached to a computer with a terminal program? 2) Will it encode RTTY when hooked to a computer for transmit over the rig? 3) Anything special needed? Or will any terminal program work? Thanks!

2645. WTB:Hy-Gain HF TRX 3750

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: KB6LUE <kb6lue@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <36348BE8.1D85@pacbell.net>
Source record: 128015

Hi
I am looking for a Hy-Gain old HF TRX model 3750.
Thanks
Jin KB6LUE

2646. WTB Need busted HP 560C printer for parts.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hurricane145 <Hurricane145@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <7115lm$agd@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 128016

I would like to find an HP 560C printer as I need 1 part to repair mine. It is a carriage part and not available for purchase anywhere. Anyone out there who has a busted one that they can part with or I can obtain the part from I would appreciate hearing from. It is a small lever on the right side of the carriage that the ink cartrige assembly comes to rest at. If anyone can help out pse contact me via reply e-mail. Thanks and 73. Mike K7MH in Seattle.

2647. Re: ***icom w21AT DEAD HELP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: skent@nospam.ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <71197p$sj5@dfw-ixnews5.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 128017
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.repair,slac.rec.ham_radio

I had the exact same problem with my Icom V21AT after it sat without being turned on or charged for six months. Look in the owner's manual and there is a key sequence of I think four keys that you hold down while sliding on the battery. That will bring your radio back to life. Let us know what happens....

Good Luck,
Steve

In article <710ebk$r71$1@news.minn.net>, n0mnb@minn.net says...
>
>HELLO
>NEED HELP OR ANY INFO ON WHAT COULD BE WRONG WITH MY ICOM W21AT. BATTERY
>GOOD. POWER SUPPLY GOOD,
>
>ITS JUST DEAD. WON'T POWER UP. HAVEN'T DROPED IT,
>HAVEN'T USED IT FOR A FEW MONTHS JUSTED CHARGED
>THE BATTERY WITH THE ADAPTER. FOR 24 HOURS.
>
>BUT JUST WON'T POWER UP..??????
>
>THANKS FOR ANY INFO..
>PS/WONDER IF THERES SOME COMMON PROBLEM ?
>
>n0mnb@minn.net
>
>
>

2648. Re: FS: Collectors' Phillips minature digital world-band radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Geoff <equinox@itl.net>
Message-ID: <3634945D.5BF70D52@itl.net>
Source record: 128018
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

Kin Ho wrote:
>
> This radio was feature inside the front cover of the 1992 issue of the
> "Passport to worldband radio." This is truely a collector's item in
> show-room condition. It was only used for 30 minutes.
>
> The receiver covers 170KHZ-30MHZ. It is a dual coversion PLL quartz
> tuning receiver with a built-in world clock/sleep timer, direct freq
> entry, 18 memories, built-in speaker, and uses 2 "AAA" batteries.
> The radio is the size of a pack of cigarettes.
>
> It comes with a fitted leather presentation case which holds the
> receiver, manual, and all of its accessories. The receiver even has
> its own real leather carrying case, and an external antenna. The
> entire package also comes in yet another very nice presentation box.
>
> This is a rare receiver for a collector or a traveler with a need for
> a tiny quality SW radio. I am asking $350 or best offer to ship this
> beautiful package within the USA. Will also see overseas for
> additional shipping costs.

Comic! I sold these for 75 ukp!
And they are NOT collectors items, just a bad design that never sold
well!
That's why they only lasted 5 mins!

2649. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jones <Jones@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <3634352B.1259@nomail.com>
Source record: 128019
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

> Harvey, hate to say I told them so, but I told them this was happening.
> The code requirement is limiting the number of HF operators available
> for emergencies. If we are not careful, the code requirement will wind
> up costing lives instead of saving lives. 73, Cecil, W6RCA

Heck, why don't we just eliminate the whole test altogether. Then we
would have even more HF ops and save even more lives....

2650. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@planet.net
Message-ID: <36342a1a.653834@news.planet.net>
Source record: 128020
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On 26 Oct 1998 04:28:54 GMT, Richard Carroll <w0ex@scan.missouri.org>
wrote:
>> > Whoa. So the rescuers know the location. Until they know
>> >the details of what happened at that location, they are
>> >still in the dark as to what the need is and how to best
>> >handle the response to that need.

>Bill Sohl wrote:
>> Bull, if it is an emergency beacon, the response is
>> simple: (1) Locate, (2) respond to the specific
>> location (3) assess the location's need.

> Gee, that sounds easy! maybe it even will be. Depends
>entirely on exactly what sort of disaster/emergency we're
>talking about doesn't it?
>An aircraft down, the ELT sounds off, is DF'd and the
>location pinpointed, situation assessed by a flyover,
>situation handled, no problem.

> But lets look at the sort of disaster I'm trained for and
>much more familar with. What if it's a massive earthquake,
>stretching over a wide region covering parts of several
>states involving several major cities?

Sure would be noce to have even one such example
in history to base your What If on.

> Literally millions of
>people can easily be involved, schools, hospitals, nursing
>homes, other population concentrations are at risk for large
>numbers of casualties. What does the beacon do for them?

Probably nothing, but neither does CW on HF.

>How
>do those persons/entities gearing up for a massive relief
>movement into the area plan their approach without
>definitive information as to what the need is, where it is,
>and at what level?

Surely not by any reliance on some amateur
radio operator that is on CW.

>Just because a recon aircraft pilot sees
>what appears to be a damaged hospital may not mean that the
>need for large relief effort is necessarily required.

In the large scale disastor you fabricate, why do you
even presume any lack or a total of regular
communications? Even in the most serious
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the loss of communications has been sporadic
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>> >obstacle. Hams are well positioned to fill this need, with

>> >VHF/UHF gear, repeaters and nets. HF must often be used to
>> >then "get the word out".
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>> HF is rarely used in comparison to VHF.
>
> Indeed, and that is the very reason for your complacency
>on this area of communications. Just because we have not
>needed to handle a quite large disaster in the electronic
>communications era, we surely will never be called upon to
>do that, Right?

Yet you can point to nothing in history which takes on
the widespread scope of any such disastor.

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>> VHF has been well chronicled in the pages of QST and
>> CQ magazine.
>
> There will always be the need for these resources in all
>types and sizes of relief efforts. They are the more locally
>available parts of the system, depending on what parts of
>the infrastructure survive, amateur and otherwise.
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> The trend is toward "it has always been....." and so
>we will never need to plan for .....". Nature is
>fickle and will provide us with plenty of exceptions as time
>passes.

Of couse nothing seems to fit your scenario since
the dawn of recorded history.

> The best laid plans never cover nearly all the
>possibilities, generally just what is expected.

You plan for what has been and what one can reasonably
expect to be. Such efforts have seemed to serve
us well so far without any regrets.

Cheers,
Bill K2UNK

2651. Scanners for Sale!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: orbitone@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <36363256.5211061@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 128021

Pro 2006 Base Cell!!! ...300.00 plus shipping
Pro 26 handheld 25mhz-1.3 Gig Great scanner 200.00 plus shipping
email me thanks....

2652. Re: How to filter distance repeaters?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: linda@nospam.com
Message-ID: <36342f07.26817571@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 128022

Thanks guys...

I'll try all these suggestions. Unfortunatelly my mobile (base) radio
does not have an PL decode and I rather not have to spend another $80
for the option - plus this doesn't solve the problem for all the
repeaters that doesn't have the PL tone.

I was seriously considering taking down the @^%#! antenna and
switching back to using a 1/4 wave mobile antenna inside the house,
but I got to thinking about what advantage I do have with this setup
vs. problems created:

1) Great for simplex operation? Hmmm.. when does that ever occur?
2) When there is no local repeater conflicts, great for long distance
QSO's with repeaters (and hams) 2-3 cities away (I just picked up a
repeaters 250+ miles away on 2m. I was really surprised)
3) Great coverage for all local repeaters. When I used the mobile
antenna inside the house, it could not reach all the local repeaters
on the city limits.
4) ??

On Sun, 25 Oct 1998 21:17:37 -0800, "Dan K Nelson" <kf6knb@usa.net>
wrote:

>linda@nospam.com wrote in message <3633c275.17547752@news.earthlink.net>...
>>Hi,
>>
>>my friend just put up a 15' vertical dual band (2m & 70cm) base
>>antenna on the top of my roof. I live on top of a mountain. The good
>>news is that the antenna works good. Maybe too good!?
>>
>>Not only do I pick up all our local repeaters, I now also pickup the
>>repeaters that's on the same frequency 60 miles, 120+ miles away!
>>When I tried to listen to our local repeaters frequency, I get a lot
>>of traffic and I cannot tell who is on which repeater.
>>
>>Question: How does one filter out distance repeaters with the same
>>frequency (if some don't have PL output)?
>>
>>I have this problem with almost all the local repeaters I use?!! I am
>>currently using a Yaesu mobile as a base.
>>
>>Linda
>>
>>Please post your replies here as I do not yet have e-mail.
>

>Some of the things that I have done to help with this common problem:
>
>If you have receive decode ability, you can set your rig for encode/decode
>for the machines that use a PL tone. For those that do not you can try 1)
>setting your squelch just low enough that the local repeater will break it,
>or 2) switch to a directional antenna and point it at the machine of
>interest.
>
>73 de KF6KNB
>
>
>

2653. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <368662e9.772827342@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 128023
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Sun, 25 Oct 1998 17:14:04 -0700, W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net> wrote:
>DavidC wrote:
>>
>> > I'm talking about atomic weapons deliberately exploded high in the
>> > atmosphere for the purpose of knocking out most of the electronics
>> > with EMP but sparing the population.
>> > --
>> Is there a strategy in China, the former Soviet Union, or other nuclear
>> powers that suggests this as their plan?
>
>This was a big concern a few years ago before the Soviet Union collapsed.
>There was even a TV mini-series, "Amerika", based on the premise. The
>Soviets exploded their nukes far up in the atmosphere and took over the
>country before we realized what was happening because almost all
>electronics and communications had been destroyed.

You shouldn't get your military strategy from bad movies, Cecil. :-)

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2654. Re: Step Attenuator

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: dinoal7lz@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981026072032.26959.00001657@ng91.aol.com>
Source record: 128024

MFJ is now selling a step attenuator for less than $100 (much less as I recall). I've got a Kay unit that works super -- I got it from Amtronix brand new in the box for $125 -- they go for $300 plus new I think. MFJ unit probably ok for most non-critical applications.

73's -- Dino KL0S/4

2655. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3687638d.772991031@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 128025
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On 26 Oct 1998 00:01:04 GMT, "DavidC" <davidc@bit-net.com> wrote:
>I could see a mix of explosion levels, but seriously doubt a plan that is
>worried about population harm ... warriors tend not to be humanitarians ...
>one fellow said "Our job is to break things and kill people!" Lots of
>population losses has always been key to early surrender, witness WWII
>versus Germany and Japan. The inability to impose massive population
>damage was the reason Germany was racing for the nuke, the bombing of
>England mostly harmed infrastructure ... and failed.

David, WWII was considered an aberration in that it was total war,
IE there were wholesale attacks on civilian as well as military targets.
Historically, total war has not been the norm.

The warrior tradition is to spare non-combatants and commercially
valuable infrastructure. If you destroy what you intend to conquer,
you'll have very little to show for your efforts. The idea is to defeat the
enemy's military force so that you can subjugate his civil population
and turn his industry to your profit.

War has been defined as the extension of diplomacy by the controlled
application of force. Control is the key concept. The ideal is to bend the
opponent to your will, to make him do what you want him to do. You can't
do that if the enemy's assets are reduced to just rubble and dead workers.
That's just a barbaric sack, and isn't the way gentlemen settle their disputes.

That's why there has been such a push to develop precision munitions.
In the old days, men fought with the sword, bow, musket, or rifle. They
were precision weapons which could be directed to a specific target.
But the development of weapons of indiscriminate mass destruction
changed things. It was no longer possible to precisely destroy what
you wanted to destroy and spare that which you wanted to spare. That
turned war from a precision instrument of diplomacy to just an act of
barbarism and mass murder.

Total war is too dangerous to fight, and the rewards of victory are too
small. That's why nations have worked so hard to rein in the instruments
of mass destruction. They're trying to make it safe, and profitable, to fight
wars again.

Sure, they make mealy mouthed noises about peace and justice, but that's
just a cover. Peace is an aberration, just as total war is an aberration. The
natural order is tooth and claw. When animals of the same species fight,
they rarely fight to the death. When one gains dominance, or gains the
territory of the other, the fight is over. They don't attack each other's mates
and cubs to settle the dispute. To do so would be aberrant madness.

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2656. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3688747f.777330061@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 128026
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Sun, 25 Oct 1998 20:37:34 -0700, W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net> wrote:
>Gary Coffman wrote:
>> I'm not a doomster, and I doubt I'll see a nuclear war in my lifetime.
>> But I did choose to live more than 30 miles from the nearest target,
>> and behind a ridge from it too.
>
>IMO, a much bigger threat than nuclear weapons is biological
>terrorism. We already know that containers of anthrax and
>bubonic plague have been smuggled into this country. They
>are likely to be released for the millennium. The US
>government has a list of 120 cities likely to be hit.
>That's one reason I retired early. To survive such an
>attack, one needs to live far from a target area and
>have a pressurized room among other items.

A pressurized room does you little good unless you intend
to stay in there indefinitely. Anthrax spores can remain in the
soil for decades. It is simpler to just get immunized against
the agents. Ask your doctor about immunization against anthrax
and plague.

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2657. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Lewis <aa4pb@erols.com>
Message-ID: <36347588.50FDFB3E@erols.com>
Source record: 128027
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

> They [anamals] don't attack each other's mates and cubs to settle the dispute. To
> do so would be aberrant madness.

Only humans do that!

2658. Re: FS: Yaesu Ft 900 CAT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: dlr18sh@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981026080339.20961.00000965@ng31.aol.com>
Source record: 128028

AES is selling brand new FT-900CAT with
free 500 HZ CW filter plus free separation kit for $ 999.00

Tim

2659. Question about CDE HAM-M rotor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff Wittich <jwittich@nortel.com>
Message-ID: <363471BD.E3BACF14@nortel.com>
Source record: 128029

Hi gang. I have an old CDE HAM-M rotor that doesn't work. The brake release works, but the motor just hums. If I give the motor a spin it will continue to spin, but with very little power. I can easily stop it just by holding back on the first reduction gear. The motor appearantly runs on about 24 VAC, and wired in parallel with the two leads from the motor is an AC capacitor. It is marked 120 uF, 50 VAC. The capacitor is located in the control box, but has its own two leads going to the rotor motor (8 lead control cable). I suspect the capacitor is bad, but I'm afraid I don't know what the differance is between an ordinary capacitor, and an "AC" capacitor. Any ideas?

Jeff, AC4ZO
jwittich@nortel.com

2660. Kenwood PS-52 power supply mint.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michel Morin <morinm@csdgs.qc.ca>
Message-ID: <cy_Y1.232$dB4.17629@carnaval.risq.qc.ca>
Source record: 128030

I have a Kenwood PS-52 power supply in absolute mint condition. It matches
all Kenwood rigs that work on 13.8 volts and is normally sold with the
TS-850
or TS- 870 rigs. It currently sells for $269.95 new.

Asking $175. U.S. including shipping and insurance.
Inquire by email if interested.

73 de VE2CJW.
Michel Morin
Quebec, Canada.

2661. FS: Digital frequency display for TS-520S et. al.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gil Bishop <gbishop@home.com>
Message-ID: <363472f2.0@news1.ibm.net>
Source record: 128031
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Spectronics digital display for Kenwood TS-520S. 9/10 cosmetically and
100% functional.
$85 + shipping

Gil Bishop
KB1DHM
gbishop@home.com

2662. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <368977f9.778220074@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 128032
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Sun, 25 Oct 1998 22:49:56 -0500, Bob Lewis <aa4pb@erols.com> wrote:
>I thought the purpose of the high altitude burst was to maximize spread of
>radiation and kill as many people as possible.

No, high altitude bursts are relatively clean. To generate a lot of fallout,
you want a ground burst. That pulls lots of contaminated material up into
the atmosphere where it can be spread as fallout.

Gary
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534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

2663. Re: Question about CDE HAM-M rotor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al Dolgosh <al.dolgosh@hamradio.org>
Message-ID: <3634775B.19C610AE@hamradio.org>
Source record: 128033

The capacitors used in motor control circuits are non-polarized (no + and - sides). From the description you have given, it is a bad capacitor.

You can get one from Norm's Rotor Service . The URL is:

http://www.tiac.net/users/shiacawn/rotors/

Hope this helps.

Al - K8EUR

Jeff Wittich wrote:

> Hi gang. I have an old CDE HAM-M rotor that doesn't work. The
> brake release works, but the motor just hums. If I give the
> motor a spin it will continue to spin, but with very little
> power. I can easily stop it just by holding back on the first
> reduction gear. The motor appearantly runs on about 24 VAC, and
> wired in parallel with the two leads from the motor is an AC
> capacitor. It is marked 120 uF, 50 VAC. The capacitor is located
> in the control box, but has its own two leads going to the rotor
> motor (8 lead control cable). I suspect the capacitor is bad,
> but I'm afraid I don't know what the differance is between an
> ordinary capacitor, and an "AC" capacitor. Any ideas?
>
> Jeff, AC4ZO
> jwittich@nortel.com

2664. Re: ***icom w21AT DEAD HELP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfiber@news.cmc.net
Message-ID: <36347db9.1957002@news.cmc.net>
Source record: 128034
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.repair,slac.rec.ham_radio

On Sun, 25 Oct 1998 18:54:33 -0000, "kable guy minn" <n0mnb@minn.net>
wrote:

>HELLO
>NEED HELP OR ANY INFO ON WHAT COULD BE WRONG WITH MY ICOM W21AT. BATTERY
>GOOD. POWER SUPPLY GOOD,
>
>ITS JUST DEAD. WON'T POWER UP. HAVEN'T DROPED IT,
>HAVEN'T USED IT FOR A FEW MONTHS JUSTED CHARGED
>THE BATTERY WITH THE ADAPTER. FOR 24 HOURS.
>
>BUT JUST WON'T POWER UP..??????
>
>THANKS FOR ANY INFO..
>PS/WONDER IF THERES SOME COMMON PROBLEM ?
>
>n0mnb@minn.net
>
>
Slide a fully charged battery about 1/2 way onto the radio, press the
Function button. While holding the function button slide the battery
the rest of the way on. Now turn on the radio. This information is
shown I think on page ii in the center column of your owners manual.
under CPU starting function

Gary

2665. Re: EMP pulse wave?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <36985972.895748913@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 127736
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Sun, 25 Oct 1998 17:54:08 -0500, "DGC" <mqt00703@up.net> wrote:
>Well, gentlemen
> I can tell you as a 13 year Army NBC officer that if EMP and TREE is no
>major deal than we sure have been pissing away billions of dollars over the
>years to shield our equipment from it.

Why should that be surprising in a military that pays $500 for a toilet seat?

Gary
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2666. FS NEW! Timewave DSP-59Y $200+10 ship

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alan Caplan <alan.caplan@cwix.com>
Message-ID: <zNsZ1.174$sr5.788@news.cwix.com>
Source record: 127737

Brand New Timewave DSP-59Y retail cost $389 in AES Cat. Selling
for $200 plus $10 shipping in USA overseas will have to be checked.
Reviewed in QST and got rave reviews. Fits into the Yeasu SP-5 and
SP-6 speaker cabinets ONLY. Matches the speaker and looks like
OEM. Simple installation. Shipped UPS unless toherwise specified.
ONE year warranty

Alan Caplan K4AVQ & P40AV ex: W0RIC

Ex: Sales Mgr Timewave 93-98, and Hy-gain 82-92.

14020 140th Court
Apple Valley, MN 55124-9422

612-431-5070 between 8am to 10pm local time. CST
Questions call or e-mail

See photo on http://www.greatriverelectronics.com

2667. Re: EMP pulse wave?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <369959f0.895874962@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 127738
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Sun, 25 Oct 1998 19:15:28 -0600, Stormhound <stormhnd@sound.net> wrote:
> Could you point out some sources of NEMP protection equipment, for those of
>us unfamiliar with it? Thanks. :)

Check out www.polyphaser.com. They offer a line of NEMP rated surge
protectors. They also have a book which can serve as an introduction to
the problem and how to address it. (This book alone won't qualify you to
properly set up a NEMP protected facility, but it is a good start.)

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2668. UHF Portables& Mobile RITRON PATRIOT For Sale !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: hookit@snet.net
Message-ID: <36364e78.1071405@news.snet.net>
Source record: 127739
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap

have 2 Patriot RTX450 450-470 MHz portables
for sale 11 channel,scan,PL/DPL programmable with software
or with 1/8" program plug in speaker jack.
5 watt or reduced power to 2 watts
$170 each+ship sorry no wall chargers for them they can be had for
around 10 from dealers or I can give buyer some Maxon wall warts that
have the same output in Ma as the ritron and same 3/32" plug size.
Also have a 25 watt RPM450- 450-470 mobile for $225 +
ship. 16 channel scan. programable. All these Radios are in excellent
condition and all function perfectly.
Regards to all,
Bill

2669. HENRY AMP FOR SALE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: hookit@snet.net
Message-ID: <36364f16.1230111@news.snet.net>
Source record: 127740
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale:
Henry C25D02-2 UHF amp 460-470MHz
Tuned on 462 MHZ 1/5 watts in 15/30 watts out.
I had this unit all REBUILT by HENRY $115 and reasonable
shipping charge.

email me at hookit@snet.net if interested

Thank you,
Bill R

2670. Re: Help on alignment Hamtronics R-100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: KD1YV <jimkd1yv@snet.net>
Message-ID: <36364CEA.10DA7BCF@snet.net>
Source record: 127741

Further to this post, I should have stated that the R-100 is in repeater service. I did a scan on DejaNews and found several negative comments about Hamtronics when used for repeater RX (although nothing about this specific model.)

Is this a hopeless situation? If so, we'll probably have to break down and buy a different receiver. However, since this is for a school club, we are on a limited budget.

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73 de Jim, KD1YV
http://www.qsl.net/kd1yv/ Emergency Coordinator, Town of Bethel, CT
Hallicrafters List Administrator Bulletin Manager, CT Section, ARRL
Cole's Law: Thinly sliced cabbage.

KD1YV wrote:
>
> Hi, NewsGroupies,
>
> We have recently added a Hamtronics R-100 receiver into our school
> club's ham station, operating on 2m. Of course, we have no manual.
>
> We changed the crystal to use it at a frequency about 2 MHz higher
> than it was previously tuned, and we noticed a marked decrease in
> sensitivity.
>
> Can anybody send us the procedures to align the receiver to the
> new frequency? Any help would be greatly appreciated.

2671. WTD YAESU YP-150

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jd86@webtv.net
Message-ID: <12923-36365628-21@newsd-152.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 127742

Fair to Good Cond.

2672. WTD GLEN 2400 AMPLIFIER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jd86@webtv.net
Message-ID: <12922-36365670-41@newsd-152.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 127743

Good cond. only.

2673. Comet Antenna Problems.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <paydro@innocent.com>
Message-ID: <36366FB0.E5721080@innocent.com>
Source record: 127744

A few days ago, I purchased the Comet SMA-3 for my Yaesu FT-50RD. The reason for purchasing it was because numerous people recommended it to me as a repacement for the ducky the FT-50RD comes with. However, for some reason it is giving my problems. It gives me terrible reception on everything most of the time. For some reason, when I get the antenna screwed in a certain way, or bent (slightly) a certain way it works, but once I move it or shake the radio, the signal messes up again. The original antenna works fine. Has anyone had this problem? COuld this be a defect where I have to mail it back?

John

2674. Re: Yaesu FT-757GX II Service Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ralph Mowery <rmowery@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <363674DF.D8CB1609@ibm.net>
Source record: 127745

Have you tried :

yaesuparts@worldnet.att.net

Phone

562-404-2700

2675. WTD: FT-51R & ADAMS HELP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Smith <mjs@nolnet.net>
Message-ID: <aDuZ1.1101$Qf3.2670@news9.ispnews.com>
Source record: 127746
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I need to know what the fix is for allowing Adams-1d (version.24) to enter any freq...? If I enter a freq.. outside the FT-51R's band plan it tells me to enter a valid receive freq... I use to know how to do this, I thought I had to add a line to the yaesu.ini file.

2676. Re: Comet Antenna Problems.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ken Bickel <ac4vv@RemoveTHISqsl.net>
Message-ID: <715taa$731$1@news.megsinet.net>
Source record: 127747

Sounds like the center pin is bent or there is a problem with the antenna.
I have used an SMA3 every day for about a year with no problems. It is a
very good antenna for the FT50.

73

John wrote in message <36366FB0.E5721080@innocent.com>...
>A few days ago, I purchased the Comet SMA-3 for my Yaesu FT-50RD. The
>reason for purchasing it was because numerous people recommended it to
>me as a repacement for the ducky the FT-50RD comes with. However, for
>some reason it is giving my problems. It gives me terrible reception on
>everything most of the time. For some reason, when I get the antenna
>screwed in a certain way, or bent (slightly) a certain way it works, but
>once I move it or shake the radio, the signal messes up again. The
>original antenna works fine. Has anyone had this problem? COuld this be
>a defect where I have to mail it back?
>
>John

2677. Re: Comet Antenna Problems.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Paul F. McCarron" <w1hzy@cybertours.com>
Message-ID: <36367FBA.FA3D5256@cybertours.com>
Source record: 127748

I think the problem is that the center pin is not making a connection. They had a problem with this. You can file down the base to make a better connection., but do it by hand rather than a power tool to avoid melting the plastic case.

John wrote:

> A few days ago, I purchased the Comet SMA-3 for my Yaesu FT-50RD. The
> reason for purchasing it was because numerous people recommended it to
> me as a repacement for the ducky the FT-50RD comes with. However, for
> some reason it is giving my problems. It gives me terrible reception on
> everything most of the time. For some reason, when I get the antenna
> screwed in a certain way, or bent (slightly) a certain way it works, but
> once I move it or shake the radio, the signal messes up again. The
> original antenna works fine. Has anyone had this problem? COuld this be
> a defect where I have to mail it back?
>
> John

2678. EBAY Item: Collins KWM2 Mobile Supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfbike <gfbike@iaxs.net>
Message-ID: <36368171.6BE57D@iaxs.net>
Source record: 127749

If you don't like EBAY, don't read this posting!

I have a Collins 351-D1 mobile power supply and mounting bracket for the KWM2/2A on auction at:

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=38199817

I wanted everyon to have a shot at it.

Regards,

Gary

2679. FS:Bird 43 Wattmeter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfbike <gfbike@iaxs.net>
Message-ID: <36368244.5590F46A@iaxs.net>
Source record: 127750

I have a clean Bird 43 Wattmeter for sale. No slugs. $160 obo.

Gary

W0SY

2680. Web Site

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: KB8SOJ <no*JUNK*denjen92@net-link.net>
Message-ID: <7160amimn1@leol.net-link.net>
Source record: 127751

If you are planing a trip to the Paw Paw Michigan area VanBuren Co. check out this site. http://www.net-link.net/~katran

2681. WTD: Ft-1000D Service Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Walter Fairclough <wfairclo@netcom.ca>
Message-ID: <OVvZ1.14336$YP5.22247777@tor-nn1.netcom.ca>
Source record: 127752
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Looking for an FT-1000D service manual.

--
Walter - VE3EN
wfairclo@netcom.ca

2682. WTB:440 Duplexer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Matthew Steger <n3ntj@erie.net>
Message-ID: <363691CC.87C16B07@erie.net>
Source record: 127753

Hello..

I am in need of a 4 can 440 MHz duplexer for our club repeater. Please email electrical specs (IL, Attenuation, etc.) and any other info. I prefer to tune it myself..

Matthew Steger, N3NTJ
n3ntj@erie.net

2683. Re: Agrelo Engineering DFjr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alice Carlson <acarlson@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <3636929D.589@pacbell.net>
Source record: 127754

Toe Jam wrote:
>
> > same thing happened here essentially...I've been waiting 4 months...I guess it
> > does'nt matter that they have had my money for 4 months...oh well live and
> > learn...
> > The lesson here is that just because someone can afford the $20-$40 per month
> > site fee, it doesnt mean that the company is reliable or dependable.
>
> > > Their performance sucks. Their customer service(or lack there of) sucks.
> > > Aglero sucks. Period.
>
> In my continued quest to locate a commercial Doppler that was affordable,
> I have located the following site:
>
> http://www.wenet.net/~ahha/
>
> My first email was answered VERY promptly, and was a couple of pages long.
> The guy (a ham) seemed to really have taken the time to give me as many
> details as he had, and it was very promising to get such a quick and lengthy
> reply after dealing (trying to deal) with Agrelo.
>
> The KIT (did I mention it's a kit?) runs $275, and there are a few other
> things you can get with it if you want. Still less than the DFjr, but it doesn't
> come with antennas (which I hear was a problem area with the DFjr anyway).
>
> Chris
the guy took me for a long ride, promised everthing and dilevered
nothing and then charged my credit card twice, took me over a year to
gey my money back via my credit card co. then his bank contested it. if
you have a order in cancell it and get your money back while its still
advailable chuck

2684. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Harvey Babb <harveyb@testengeer.com>
Message-ID: <36365F1D.45A0F13D@testengeer.com>
Source record: 127755
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Gary Coffman wrote:
>
> On Mon, 26 Oct 1998 13:35:03 GMT, billsohl@planet.net (Bill Sohl) wrote:
> >On Sun, 25 Oct 1998 21:49:57 -0700, W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net> wrote:
> >
> >>Harvey Babb wrote:
> >>> What we DID have due to the code requirement was a SEVERE shortage of HF
> >>> operators in the flooded area.
> >>
> >>Harvey, hate to say I told them so, but I told them this was happening.
> >>The code requirement is limiting the number of HF operators available
> >>for emergencies. If we are not careful, the code requirement will wind
> >>up costing lives instead of saving lives.
> >
> >But in any actual emergency, there is nothing wrong with
> >having techs operate on HF (assuming the equipment to do so
> >is there).
>
> The problem is that without ordinary day to day authority to
> use HF, there is very little likelyhood that techs would have
> HF equipment when the need for it arises, or any hands on
> experience in its use.
>
> Propagation is different at HF, operating technique is somewhat
> different, and the equipment is often quite different from the VHF
> FM equipment with which most Techs have day to day experience.
> (If you were a Tech who'd never been permitted on HF, what would
> you do when faced by a TS520? Would you know how to tune it up?
> Would you know *where* to tune it to reach a certain area? Etc.)
>
> I'm not convinced that supplying ground truth reports falls
> under 97.403 anyway. So a tech would have to operate under
> the direct supervision of someone authorized to operate HF.
> And if that's the case, then the person ordinarily authorized
> might as well operate anyway.
>
> The problem Harvey describes is that there aren't enough of
> those HF operators or HF stations on the ground in the area
> to carry out the mission properly. But there are a lot of Techs,
> who if they had HF authority, would likely have the equipment
> and hands on experience to carry out the mission. As Harvey
> notes, CW skills weren't required in any event, so lack of same
> would be no hinderance to the effectiveness of the operators.

> But lack of day to day hands on experience with HF operation
> would be a hinderance to their effectiveness.
>
> Gary
> Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
> 534 Shannon Way | We break it |
> Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

Dead on target! I did have one tech who had an HF rig and who used it under his own initiative to pass a critical message while I was unavailable (asleep!). The rest had neither the gear nor the skills needed to work effectively. As you point out, if I was available to supervise, I would be available to do the job myself.
Before someone makes the accusation, I am NOT against CW, I'm just against forcing someone to learn a skill which is no longer ESSENTIAL to the license.

Harvey, WB5MCT

2685. Radio Shack Simplex Repeater

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan <n7wpd@xxmission.com>
Message-ID: <71659biqn1@news.xmission.com>
Source record: 127756

I know this topic has been dragged through the mud already, but I am
wondering what the results are.
Are they any good? They're on backorder for 3-4 weeks.
Thanks,

Dan

2686. WTB: GAP Eagle DX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Walter Fairclough <wfairclo@netcom.ca>
Message-ID: <_AwZ1.14350$YP5.22273650@tor-nn1.netcom.ca>
Source record: 127757
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

Looking to buy a GAP Eagle DX vertical antenna. Please email me if you have one to sell.

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Walter - VE3EN
wfairclo@netcom.ca

2687. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <36369B07.266F@ibm.net>
Source record: 127758
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

ddgsk@tic.net wrote:
> IMO, the requirement of knowing irrelevant
> electrical and antenna theory does a lot more harm than it does good.

Then advocate that these sections be dropped from the written exam.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://people.delphi.com/CecilMoore

2688. Re: GPS location of HRO in Oakland?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: WK1V <jjm@Pshore.net>
Message-ID: <HVwZ1.582$dP4.105584@news.shore.net>
Source record: 127759

KB6UDA wrote in message <19981027231451.17624.00000306@ng146.aol.com>...
>Does anyone out there have the GPS location of HRO in Oakland?

Why? You plan on sending a cruise missile their way?

2689. Re: Comet Antenna Problems.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: WK1V <jjm@Pshore.net>
Message-ID: <YYwZ1.584$dP4.105901@news.shore.net>
Source record: 127760

John wrote in message <36366FB0.E5721080@innocent.com>...
>A few days ago, I purchased the Comet SMA-3 for my Yaesu FT-50RD. The
>reason for purchasing it was because numerous people recommended it to
>me as a repacement for the ducky the FT-50RD comes with. However, for
>some reason it is giving my problems. It gives me terrible reception on
>everything most of the time. For some reason, when I get the antenna
>screwed in a certain way, or bent (slightly) a certain way it works, but
>once I move it or shake the radio, the signal messes up again. The
>original antenna works fine. Has anyone had this problem? COuld this >be a
defect where I have to mail it back?
>John

John,

The center pin of the SMA-3 is not compatible with the FT-50. It is not
long enough and when you bend it you barely make enough contact to hear
signals. Hopefully you did not damage the antenna in the process or I fear
you will have a hard time returning it.

2690. Yaesu FT-840

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott Thayer <n7zti@pacinfo.com>
Message-ID: <3636A180.8B905426@pacinfo.com>
Source record: 127761

Has anyone used the Yaesu FT-840, is it good radio. Just getting started in HF, actually still not even have my general license, so will just be listening for a while. Is their another radio out there that would better and in the same price range?

Thanks for any information/comments that anyone will provide for me.

Scott, N7ZTI

2691. Re: How to filter distance repeaters?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Louis Bybee <louisb@datacomm.com>
Message-ID: <3636AB84.1B337D02@datacomm.com>
Source record: 127762
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

If the repeaters are not in the same direction, mount a directional
antenna with rotor, and pick the repeaters you want to work.

Louis

linda@nospam.com wrote:
>
> Hi,
>
> my friend just put up a 15' vertical dual band (2m & 70cm) base
> antenna on the top of my roof. I live on top of a mountain. The good
> news is that the antenna works good. Maybe too good!?
>
> Not only do I pick up all our local repeaters, I now also pickup the
> repeaters that's on the same frequency 60 miles, 120+ miles away!
> When I tried to listen to our local repeaters frequency, I get a lot
> of traffic and I cannot tell who is on which repeater.
>
> Question: How does one filter out distance repeaters with the same
> frequency (if some don't have PL output)?
>
> I have this problem with almost all the local repeaters I use?!! I am
> currently using a Yaesu mobile as a base.
>
> Linda
>
> Please post your replies here as I do not yet have e-mail.

2692. Re: Yaesu FT-100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Shintani <shintani@funtv.com>
Message-ID: <3636C368.61B2E3E2@funtv.com>
Source record: 127763

Dan:
I was just in Japan last week. The ham stores have no offical info on neither the FT-100 nor the IC-706MKIIG.
However, the ads in the Japanese CQ magazine November issue, claim October availability for the IC-706MKIIG, but when I was there on Oct 24 and Oct 25, no ham store in Akihabara, Tokyo had any on display.
Supposedly it will list at 138,000 Yen, with typically a 20% discount in a few months.No official rumors in Japan about the availability in of the FT-100.
If I remember correctly, when I was living in Japan, the IC-706 was announced at the August Ham Fair in Tokyo, but it was not commonly available until late November. Just in time for the Christmas/year end sales season, ie Japanese typically get a bonus during the first week of December, which prompts a small year end sales spree.
So perhaps the FT-100 and IC-706MKIIG will be available in Japan by late November. US introduction usually trails by 3 to 6 months.
I hope that helps.

Peter

Dan Elekman wrote:

> I understand that the Yaesu FT-100 will be available for sale in November.
> Does anybody know if ICOM is going to release an IC-706 mark III that will
> compete with this radio?
>
> Thanks,
> Dan AA9NK

2693. FS Icom R72 HF Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: lafleur@ucsd.edu
Message-ID: <lafleur-2710981909490001@trl3.extern.ucsd.edu>
Source record: 127764
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have this receiver posted on EBAY, unit is in excelent condtion with
users manual, box, service manual and optional CR-64 TCXO

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=38154697

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Tom Lafleur
Qualcomm Inc.
(619) 658-3738

2694. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Curtis Wheeler <cwheeler@ccnet.com>
Message-ID: <36368427.2F22@ccnet.com>
Source record: 127765
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

W6RCecilA wrote:
>
> Phil Kane wrote:
> >
> > On Mon, 26 Oct 1998 07:18:41 -0700, W6RCecilA wrote:
> >
> > > Bill Sohl wrote:
> > > > But in any actual emergency, there is nothing wrong with
> > > > having techs operate on HF (assuming the equipment to do so
> > > > is there).
> > >
> > > Doesn't the actual emergency have to be local to the tech?
> > > Can a tech 100 miles away from the actual emergency operate
> > > HF in assistance? Can a tech upstream from a flood who is giving
> > > river depth rising water readings who is not in any danger himself,
> > > operate on HF? I had always assumed the emergency had to be local
> > > and immediate for a tech to operate on HF.
> >
> > A Tech, or a Novice, or an Unlicensed Person can operate on HF
> > all s/he wants, just as long as a properly-licensed control
> > operator is supervising said operation.
>
> Hi Phil, by operating, I meant unsupervised operation. Assuming
> unsupervised operation by a tech, how close to the tech does
> the emergency have to be before he is authorized to operate on
> HF all by himself?

I don't think it would be a matter of how close it is. It would be a matter of the type of communication. The term "emergency communication" is rather vague. That could mean distress calls, urgent calls, disaster recovery, I guess even health and welfare traffic from a disaster area.

All of the amateur rules go out the window for distress communications. But distress communications are those related to the *immediate* threat to life or property. A no-code tech could place a mayday call on any amateur frequency if he was in such a situation. And a no-code tech could answer a mayday call on any amateur frequency if no one else did.

If you are talking about disaster recovery (a net), I don't think a no-code tech could participate on HF as a control operator. I doubt that disaster recovery would be "distress" communications.

--
Curtis

"Fast Forward"

2695. ICOM 6m QRP rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lloyd, N0VFP" <libertynet@mailcity.com>
Message-ID: <715rp2$mm01@odie.mcleod.net>
Source record: 127766

I was at a hamfest awhile back and saw a Icom 6m QRP radio I'll describe it
for you
It had a rod antennna
It did SSB/CW
put about 5-10 watts

Anyone know the model? I'd like to buy one of these sometime next year,
This one went for 50.00 at the Hamfest, but it was sold the next time I went
to the table... Oh well

--
Lloyd Davies, N0VFP
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP/
HTX-202,212 ADI HT-204
ATS-909, DX-302
Hallicrafters S-120 , S-125
See Me:
http://www.qrz.com/wrad/directory.cgi?n0vfp

http://www.qrz.com/wrad/directory.cgi?n0vfp

2696. FS****Jennings Vac.Vari.Caps*****

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: KF6IKC@webtv.net
Message-ID: <18504-3635EE1A-19@newsd-132.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 127786
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.cb

Have two Vac.vari.caps by Jennings. The first one is a UCSH 100. $75.00
OBO. The other is a UCS 375. $150.00 OBO. Prices are + shipping.

73's
Stan

2697. Re: dumb question from a new Ham re: 10m and CB.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: WebMonkey <address@below.com>
Message-ID: <3635F5DD.1A3@below.com>
Source record: 127787

Joe Smith wrote:
>
> I for one never owned a CB, however you should be wary that the guy on
> the CB may someday save your life when you are in a automobile
> accident, while your radio sits there beyond use and you are
> unconscious..... Just food for thought....
>
> If you are such a big time hot shot at Ham Radio... Tell me did you
> start at the top and work your way down?? I don't mean to criticize
> your operations because I don't know you from Jack, however it was not
> a stupid question... If you feel that the person is such a burden to
> Amateur Radio - - Why don't YOU get out of the hobby and not be
> bothered by Amateurs that actually want to learn!!!
>
>
> WA8ULX wrote:
>
> In article <PzNY1.69$pv5.237@news14.ispnews.com>,
> "Christopher Zeman, KB9RHA"
> <zman@iwc.net> writes:
>
> >You must be one of those hams that hates no-code techs.
> >You, sir, are one of the pitiful amateur radio operators,
> not the person
> >asking the question regarding propagation.
> >
> >Christopher Zeman, KB9RHA
> >
>
> Another CBplusser Jerk
>
>

i'm just a lowly general class hamateur but i'm very active in
introducing people in my area to the hobby. several enter
via the tech class license.

i'm asked this question all the time after the vhf-uhf
propagation becomes natural to them and the thought of upgrading
to hf action enters into the picture.

some just want to know why they have to learn the code to use hf
when they could go down to wally world and buy a cb and start talking
like a 10m op. with the abundance of cb shops in my area, it's a valid
question.

my answer always involved explaining the fun of the other bands and the legal use of high power and long distance operation which cb is not supposed to make use of.

just my opinion, wouldn't work on trolls, but i have my troll-proof vest on.
--
A.C. Curtis
KBï¿½WLF

mailto:demoman@rollanet.org
http://www.rollanet.org/~demoman

2698. SALE: ALL M&TE 30 PERCENT OFF ALREADY LOW PRICES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: ValueRocket Labs <lab@valuerocket.com>
Message-ID: <3HmZ1.717$fl.8785663@audrey2.cais.com>
Source record: 127788

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M&TE: http://www.valuerocket.com/gear.html
MICROWAVE: http://www.valuerocket.com/microwave.html

As always, full refunds on all equipment within 30 days.
Prices do not include shipping, handling and insurance.
Best Regards and Thanks! - VR Labs

EMail lab@valuerocket.com
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2699. Re: Motrola Radius

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Prescott <cn1135@coastalnet.com>
Message-ID: <3635C296.7041@coastalnet.com>
Source record: 127789

Tony Szablowski wrote:
>
> Dan wrote in message <70vaulnem1@news.xmission.com>...
> >I actually had a Maxtrac that we put on 6m. Evereything was ok,
> >except the power was reduced by about 50%, and no amount of >tuning
> could bring it back. Propably needed some physical >component changes
> in the transmitter/pa section.
>
> Exactly my point. A commercial\business radio is a lot more precise,
> usually, than a Ham radio. I would say the max you should really go
> out-of-band from the rated split is 2-3MHz, but some people go about
> 5MHz and stretch things a little more. Of course, as you saw with
> your setup, you definitely will lose some Tx/Rx. Some people can live
> with that much power lose just to work the desired freq.
> --
> Regards,
> Tony

I remember reading where someone had converted theirs to 6meters. There were several things they did. One was manually controlling the PA output because the "foldback" circuit kept turning the power down. I wish I still had the original messages.

Later,

Mark

2700. Re: FS:Kenwood TS450SAT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: KB0DSW <therrod@ndak.net>
Message-ID: <3635FAE1.6D1061AD@ndak.net>
Source record: 127790

Lee Snook wrote:

> TS450SAT with acessories, $650.
> Lee Snook
> W1DN
> 218-763-3233

Your ripping yourself off. If it is damaged, I can see your point, but
you do not mention this. Also, you don't mention what comes with it
etc.,. I suspect it will sell REAL-FAST at that price! I would say
good luck, but at $625, you really don't need it.... :)

KB0DSW

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prosecution under Mail Fraud and, or,
other penalties set forth by the
United States Congress
Communications Act(s).

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2701. TS-450S/AT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: KB0DSW <therrod@ndak.net>
Message-ID: <3635FAFE.6E4E7994@ndak.net>
Source record: 127791

Hello all,

I have a "MINT" Kenwood TS-450S/AT For Sale.
Never been mobile, and I have all the manuals
and boxes. It is also "MODIFIED" for "MARS" &
other Out of Band Frequencies.

Starting bids at: $900.00 FIRM.

An outstanding General Coverage Mobile/Base
rig with punch! [150 watts(+) SSB p.e.p.!]

All Digital with DSP support!

(Receive) : 30KHz - 40MHz
(Transmit) : 1.705.01KHz - 29.999.99MHz

Excellent for "MARS"/"Emergency Response"!

If you ever owned the TS-440S, you will Love this
rig! Contact:

KB0DSW
(701)-852-2587 or REPLY via E-Mail

Thanks in advance for reading this.....73's!

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2702. FS: TM733A/E SERVICE & OPERATOR MANUALS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Frank <dhf@writeme.com>
Message-ID: <3635FB89.C3957824@writeme.com>
Source record: 127792
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap

I have the Kenwood TM733A/E Service Manual, with an additional 14
application notes and tech service bulletins for sale. This manual has
large schematics, PCBoard layouts, parts lists, and circuit
descriptions, and is as new in the original wrapping.
I will ship Priority Mail for $30

I also have an unopened operators manual, with the small schematics,
purchased as a spare, for sale.
I will ship Priority Mail for $10.

These manuals are no longer needed as the 733 has been sold.
If interested reply via direct email.

2703. ICOM UT-106 DSP UNIT INSTALLATION

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dean Kastoris <n8ihs@flash.net>
Message-ID: <3635FFD2.13A22B2E@flash.net>
Source record: 127793

Has anyone had any difficulty installing the UT-106 DSP unit in their
Icom 706MKII?
It seems to me that when looking inside the radio you need to disconnect
a ribbon wire to pass a wire from the botom to the top. The
instructions do not illustrate this.

2704. Re: dumb question from a new Ham re: 10m and CB.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick Flanagan <dflanagan@libelle.com>
Message-ID: <3635F3A1.907A0BDC@libelle.com>
Source record: 127794

You should "bother" to learn the code so you can talk with jerks like
those here who put you down for asking an honest question. Wow, some
incentive.

I apologize for what these newsgroups have become and ask that you not
judge the real Amateur world by the actions of these bottom feeders.

If you have any other questions, please feel free to e-mail me
directly. I'll help if I can.

Congratulations on your new license.

73, Dick
--
Dick Flanagan W6OLD CFII Minden, Nevada DM09db (South of Reno)
Visit http://www.qsl.net/cvrc/

> That leads to my next question. Why bother learning code you I can
> buy a CB radio?
>
>pat@replyhere.please.com wrote:
>>
>> Hi,
>>
>> I am a new HAM. I have a dumb question:
>>
>> Since the 10 Meter HF band is so close to the CB band. Does the CB
>> radios also do skip and radio wave propagation?
>>
>> Pls. post replies here.

2705. Re: Collins HF-80 transmitter system

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: mstud26073@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981027122447.23468.00000091@ng67.aol.com>
Source record: 127795

>
>I would like to talk with someone with firsthand expeirence with the
>Rockwell / Collins HF-80 transmitter systems.
>
>Steve Carlisle VE7AHL

Steve:
I'm not an expert but.....I do own and operate the HF8023 and HF8032 one KW amplifier-power supply. I drive it with the 100MW output from my HF380.

73, Mike Student W7MS

2706. Re: Another SB-200 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chuck Murcko <chuck.murcko@platinum.com>
Message-ID: <36360417.C0D8647A@platinum.com>
Source record: 127796

I have used Svetlana 572Bs in my SB-200 without modification.

73, KE3KR

AL DOLGOSH wrote:
>
> I, too, have heard about "all" the modifications that have to be made to use
> Svetlana or Sovtek replacement tubes in various pieces of gear. I have never
> had any details on any of them.
>
> For the moment, I believe it is "hogwash". I hope these aren't purposeful
> rumors. We are NOT at "war" with the Russians anymore - they are barely able
> to keep going financially. How much circuit differences can there be on 80-10
> meters? If these tubes were being used at UHF, then I might more easily
> believe some of the comments.
>
> If they ae going to be the only source for glass tubes to keep our BA equipment
> running, we have an interest in seeing them succeed.
>
> Al - K8EUR
>
> -> Thinking of dropping a new set of Svetlana 572B's into my SB-200, and a
> -> local has told me that there are circuit mods that have to be made to
> -> accomodate the Svet tubes (of course, he offered no specifics as to what has
> -> to be done).
> ->
> -> Fact or hogwash?
> ->
> -> 73,
> ->
> -> -Marty KI+LO
> -> martyt@pobox.com
>
> ---
>
> Cleveland Hamnet BBS | (440) 942-6382 uucp--> hamradio.org
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chuck

Chuck Murcko
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Platinum Technology
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2707. FS: Ten-Tec Argonaut 505 QRP SSB/CW Rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: frohro@wwc.edu
Message-ID: <frohro-2710981051380001@csp-frohro.wwc>
Source record: 127797
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Ten-Tec Argonaut 505 QRP SSB/CW transceiver. Nice QSK, 5 watts input, about 6 lbs. Draws less than 100 mA on receive. (This is less than the more common Argonaut 509.) According to Ten-Tec advertising, there were only about 2000 of these produced. This one (serial number 73) is cosmetically about a 7 out of 10 (it has one scratch that is noticable on the top of the front panel), and operationally it is absolutely perfect. In fact it is a tad more sensitive than my Argonaut 509. It has been recently completely aligned. Comes with a copy of the manual. Great for camping, or just QRP operating.

Reason for selling: I have an Argonaut 509 as well and can't really justify keeping both. I decided to keep the 509 for nastalgic reasons because I used to have one in my younger days. If you would like to look at some data, including a scanned QST advertisement, see: http://asd.state.va.us/tentec/tttrans.htm

$250 plus shipping.

2708. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <36930634.874435455@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 127798
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On 26 Oct 1998 21:27:51 GMT, "DavidC" <davidc@bit-net.com> wrote:
>The problem here is that man is unlike the animals in an essential way, he
>can conjecture all manner of reasons for genocide, we have lots of history
>of that ... some of it is visible in action today.

We have *some* history of that. Rome versus Carthage comes immediately
to mind. But most wars aren't like that. In most cases, wars are fought as a
way for one state to impose its will on another, generally for some economic
or political advantage. The terms of the conflict may be cloaked in ideology
or religion as a propaganda tool to motivate the masses, but that's rarely
the underlying motivation.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

2709. Re: dumb question from a new Ham re: 10m and CB.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: WK1V <jjm@_*shore.net>
Message-ID: <M4oZ1.547$dP4.95591@news.shore.net>
Source record: 127799

Bill wrote in message <36338643.2BF7@NOREPLY.inreach.com>...
>pat@nospam.com wrote:
>>
>> That leads to my next question. Why bother learning code you I can
>> buy a CB radio?
>>
>>
>ok, I will bite,
>If you read the regulations concerning CB you will see that it is
>illegal to communicate more than 100 miles even if propogation allows
>you to do so.
>kc6ufe

When did they lower it to 100 miles?

2710. Re: dumb question from a new Ham re: 10m and CB.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: WK1V <jjm@_*shore.net>
Message-ID: <SdoZ1.548$dP4.95870@news.shore.net>
Source record: 127800

N0DG wrote in message <19981025151538.13561.00001031@ng20.aol.com>...
>yes

Ya know? I've been reading this entire thread and up to this point ALL of the responses have been really dumb. This is the first really intelligent response I have seen in here...even if it was in response to a troll. I like it... :)

2711. FS: TS-850sat

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: aldel@ibm.net
Message-ID: <36363ac8.36964@news3.ibm.net>
Source record: 127801

Kenwood TS-850sat..
Excellent cosmetically and electronically.
Mic, manual, orig boxes etc. $995.00.

aldel@ibm.net
215/673-0485.
Al, Wa3fib

2712. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <36940b2e.875709894@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 127802
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Mon, 26 Oct 1998 12:08:19 -0500, dlpearce <dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu> wrote:
>But what about particle radiation triggering high levels of secondary radiation in
>the tube itself? It seems this would cause some measure of improper operation
>within the tube.

Two factors make this of little concern. First, alpha radiation cannot penetrate the tube envelope, and most beta radiation can't either. Gamma can, but there has to be something for ionizing radiation to ionize, and a tube is mostly empty vacuum. The amount of secondary emission due to ionizing radiation impact on tube structures is insignificant. Tubes can be used around nuclear reactor cores because they are very immune to the effects of ionizing radiation. That's a higher radiation environment than any communications equipment will ever be exposed to in a nuclear war, except if it is *very* near ground zero, in which case the blast and heat pulse effects of the detonation make any concerns about ionizing radiation moot.

Solid state equipment is much more vulnerable to ionizing radiation. That's because solid state devices *aren't* mostly empty vacuum. The primary current carriers move in a semiconducting solid. When ionizing radiation hits *that*, there will be avalanche effects due to the sudden increase in free electrons and holes generated by the ionizing radiation. That will cause the device to heavily conduct, and it can be destroyed by excess current draw if operating at the time. It doesn't take a lot of shielding to prevent this, however, and good circuit design can limit the possible short circuit current to a safe value.

Even if not operating at the time, heavy exposure to ionizing radiation can puncture solid state device junctions, or permanently raise potential thresholds in memory devices, such that the device will be permanently damaged. This is a problem for satellite electronics due to the high and persistent radiation fluence in space, for example. But the radiation fluence has to be pretty high, or of pretty long duration, to do this, and any operator exposed to it would be toast too.

In summary, if the ionizing radiation exposure isn't enough to kill you, it is unlikely to kill your radio either.

>> It is my understanding that human beings can survive EMP that wipes out
>> electronics. Somebody correct me if I'm wrong.
>
>Probably shielded, otherwise you'll cook like a chicken in a microwave.

You might want to make some field strength calculations before saying that. The inverse square law is our friend. You also might want to consider how much cooking a chicken will do in a microwave that's only on for about 2

microseconds (duration of a NEMP surge). As you *should* know, since it is covered in the RF exposure regulations we're required to know, both field intensity and duration of exposure are vital factors in determining the effects of RF exposure, and of course NEMP is RF.

It is safe to say that there is no direct biological hazard from NEMP exposure. At distances from the detonation where direct blast and heat pulse effects won't harm you, NEMP intensity and duration will be insufficient to harm you either. There might be an indirect hazard in that NEMP could cause power and telco grid conductors to sideflash, and if you happened to be in the path of that sideflash you'd suffer much the same effects as from a lightning hit. But that's not a direct NEMP exposure effect. It is a darn good reason to supply adequate surge suppression on long conductors, however. Since you want that for protection against ordinary lightning strikes too, that's no inconvenience.

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2713. Yaesu FT-757GX II Service Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Robert G. Schaffrath, N2JTX" <rschaffrath@acm.org>
Message-ID: <36361569.6C68@acm.org>
Source record: 127803

I am looking for a copy of the Yaesu FT-757GX II service manual which I
believe is now out of print. The rig is in need of some alignment after
all of these years. Original or reproduction is fine.

73,
Robert, N2JTX
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+-----------------------------------+-----------------------------------+
| Robert G. Schaffrath, N2JTX (RGS71) |
| (516) 759-4314 | mailto:rschaffrath@acm.org |
| http://tonto.netsurftech.com/rgs |
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2714. Re: Motrola Radius

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tony Szablowski <aszablowski@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <71558s$31g@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 127804

Mark Prescott wrote in message
>I remember reading where someone had converted theirs to >6meters.
There were several things they did. One was manually >controlling the
PA output because the "foldback" circuit kept turning >the power down.
I wish I still had the original messages.

Mark, take a look at www.batlabs.com. He's got tons of Motorola
related mod info.
--
Regards,
Tony

2715. Mobile antenna placement?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tony Szablowski <aszablowski@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <7155de$3ik@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 127805

Folks, I've got a 75W, but probably pushing 80W, Kenwood mobile.
I have it mounted on the rear trunk lip of the car, about 3.5' - 4'
away from the driver. What's the health risks with this scenario?
Should I NOT keep the antenna there? Thanks.
--
Regards,
Tony

2716. Re: Agrelo Engineering DFjr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: phamil <phamil@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <36361952.94ED73B6@mindspring.com>
Source record: 127806

Dan:
same thing happened here essentially...I've been waiting 4 months...I guess it does'nt matter that they have had my money for 4 months...oh well live and learn...
The lesson here is that just because someone can afford the $20-$40 per month site fee, it doesnt mean that the company is reliable or dependable.
phil

Dan wrote:

> Their performance sucks. Their customer service(or lack there of) sucks.
> Aglero sucks. Period.
> It took my company nearly 10 months to get ours. We called them every week,
> and every time we received a different answer. They're on backorder, we're
> waiting on a part to complete the unit, we have a shipment of them going out
> today, we lost your order, and a hundred other lies that we were told. Then
> to make matters worse, they dinged us twice on the company credit card!
> I was told that Aglero had a redesigned receiver that previous owners could
> get fairly inexpensively to repair performance problems of the original
> unit.
> Emailed, and wrote a letter several times. Never got a response. My DFjr
> is sitting on the shelf collecting dust because it fails to operate
> correctly.
> Think I am the only one who feels this way? Post your question on
> rec.radio.swap and see what you get. I saw a dozen people who have the same
> story to tell that I do. It's a damn shame.
> Health problems? I doubt it. More like bankruptcy.
>
> Bottom line: DON'T BUY ONE.
>
> Dan Dialogue
> N7WPD
>
> Toe Jam wrote in message <3633CAC3.B11D5E16@remove.all.except.bga.com>...
> >> > We have been trying to contact Agrelo Engineering [with negative
> results]
> >(snip)
> >
> >> This came up on fox-list. Joe had some health problems over the last few
> >> months and this affected the business operations a bit. Joe Moell K0OV
> >> (author of the popular RDF book) has the full story, you can write him at
> >> homingin@aol.com.
> >
> >Joe must be fairly busy, as I have written him with the same lack of reply
> >I experienced from Agrelo Engineering. Furthermore, I have heard of some

> >people with the DFjr product who have experienced problems with the unit's
> >operation.
> >
> >Realizing that Joe's health problems may put an end to new purchases of
> >the DFjr, certainly there are some used ones to be found. I wonder if
> >anyone reading this thread who has one (or knows someone who has one)
> >can comment on their satisfaction of the unit? $400 is a lot of money
> >to be spending on a product that will not perform reliably or as
> >advertised, so perhaps someone can either dispell the myths or point
> >me in another direction of a comparible product.
> >
> >Many thanks...
> >

2717. What Modes/Equipment Needed for Slow Scan TV?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Adams <M_Adams_nospam@msn.com>
Message-ID: <7154fqfop1@oak.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 127807

I am new to slow scan TV, and saw an article in QST about building a simple circuit, and using freeware software for Color FAX480. Is FAX480 the predomenent SSTV mode, or am I really going to have to buy a special modem and software to participate in SSTV?

Thanks,

Michael Adams

2718. Re: TS-450S/AT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: pmb1010@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <715b0j$g2j$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127808

To: KB0DSW
Re: No Hotmail?

Oh really? A "bogus" mail system?
This is the only way I can get email when I'm at work.
I have a dedicated Internet connection, and it is very
convienient for me to utilize this as a mail provider.
Funny, how Microsoft would buy a "bogus" mail system...
Some of us don't have email from our ISP...
What a childish attitude...
> Hello all,
>
> I have a "MINT" Kenwood TS-450S/AT For Sale.
> Never been mobile, and I have all the manuals
> and boxes. It is also "MODIFIED" for "MARS" &
> other Out of Band Frequencies.
>
> Starting bids at: $900.00 FIRM.
>
> An outstanding General Coverage Mobile/Base
> rig with punch! [150 watts(+) SSB p.e.p.!]
>
> All Digital with DSP support!
>
> (Receive) : 30KHz - 40MHz
> (Transmit) : 1.705.01KHz - 29.999.99MHz
>
> Excellent for "MARS"/"Emergency Response"!
>
> If you ever owned the TS-440S, you will Love this
> rig! Contact:
>
> KB0DSW
> (701)-852-2587 or REPLY via E-Mail
>
> Thanks in advance for reading this.....73's!
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2719. New URL for Novice, QRP page

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: parkerp@alphalink.com.au
Message-ID: <715al2fhi1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127809

This is to advise that Peter Parker's Home Page, that contains information on QRP (Australian QRP Home Page), homebrewing (Peter Parker's Projects Page) and for the beginner to amateur radio (Novice Notes Online) has changed URL.

The old URL was http://www.pcug.org.au/~parkerp/

The new URL is http://www.alphalink.com.au/~parkerp/index.htm

You can get direct to the QRP page by replacing index with qrp, and to Novice Notes Online by replacing index with nonline.

This page is one of the most extensive on the web with articles on most aspects of amateur operation. Feel free to add links to it from your own webpage. If you already have a link or bookmark, please change it to the new URL above. My callsign has also changed from VK1PK to VK3YE.

73,

Peter VK3YE (ex VK1PK)

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2720. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <36951897.879143423@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 127810
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Mon, 26 Oct 1998 13:35:03 GMT, billsohl@planet.net (Bill Sohl) wrote:
>On Sun, 25 Oct 1998 21:49:57 -0700, W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net> wrote:
>
>>Harvey Babb wrote:
>>> What we DID have due to the code requirement was a SEVERE shortage of HF
>>> operators in the flooded area.
>>
>>Harvey, hate to say I told them so, but I told them this was happening.
>>The code requirement is limiting the number of HF operators available
>>for emergencies. If we are not careful, the code requirement will wind
>>up costing lives instead of saving lives.
>
>But in any actual emergency, there is nothing wrong with
>having techs operate on HF (assuming the equipment to do so
>is there).

The problem is that without ordinary day to day authority to
use HF, there is very little likelyhood that techs would have
HF equipment when the need for it arises, or any hands on
experience in its use.

Propagation is different at HF, operating technique is somewhat
different, and the equipment is often quite different from the VHF
FM equipment with which most Techs have day to day experience.
(If you were a Tech who'd never been permitted on HF, what would
you do when faced by a TS520? Would you know how to tune it up?
Would you know *where* to tune it to reach a certain area? Etc.)

I'm not convinced that supplying ground truth reports falls
under 97.403 anyway. So a tech would have to operate under
the direct supervision of someone authorized to operate HF.
And if that's the case, then the person ordinarily authorized
might as well operate anyway.

The problem Harvey describes is that there aren't enough of
those HF operators or HF stations on the ground in the area
to carry out the mission properly. But there are a lot of Techs,
who if they had HF authority, would likely have the equipment
and hands on experience to carry out the mission. As Harvey
notes, CW skills weren't required in any event, so lack of same
would be no hinderance to the effectiveness of the operators.
But lack of day to day hands on experience with HF operation
would be a hinderance to their effectiveness.

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2721. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <36962251.881634073@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 127811
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On 27 Oct 1998 14:00:22 GMT, hamish@moffatt.nu (Hamish Moffatt) wrote:
>In rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net> wrote:
>> If Morse code skill is worth having, it is worth being
>> re-tested for at renewal time.
>
>Isn't this true of theory also? Can we all remember everything
>in the theory exam? I probably couldn't, and I only took mine two
>months ago.

Absolutely so. I think all amateurs should have to retest at renewal.
If something is necessary to know once, it should be necessary
to continue to know it. And with rapidly changing technology, it
is also necessary to keep up with the new developments that have
occurred since one was first licensed. Most fields requiring
certification require periodic recertification. Amateurs should
be no exception.

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2722. Re: TS-850sat

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Hemmis <K3USC@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <7157ns$chb@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 127812

now what'd ya buy, Albert ??? 73-Brian K3USC-Erie,PA

2723. WTB - Motorola manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: William Estrada <wre00@amdahl.com>
Message-ID: <36362861.AF157E94@amdahl.com>
Source record: 127813
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hello, KD6VEG here. I am looking for the following items:

1. Motorola Manual UHF Micor # 68-81015E70-H 1 each
2. Motorola Manual VHF Micor # 68-81008E40-D 1 each
3. Motorola Manual VHF-Lo Micor # ? 1 each

Thanks, Rick, KD6VEG
Email : umunhum@hotmail.com

2724. WTB: ICOM W32A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: wolfsheprd@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981027154558.15820.00000142@ng25.aol.com>
Source record: 127814

Plese contact Fred.....at wlfpack4x4@aol.com

2725. Re: FS:ICOM W31A Dual Band HT W/Acc..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: wolfsheprd@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981027160035.15820.00000147@ng25.aol.com>
Source record: 127815

If you still have the radio I will take it!!
-Fred

2726. Re: FS:IC-W32A 2Meters & 440 HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: wolfsheprd@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981027161102.15820.00000152@ng25.aol.com>
Source record: 127816

Do you still have it? -Fred

2727. Re: F/S ICOM GEAR !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: wolfsheprd@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981027161613.15820.00000157@ng25.aol.com>
Source record: 127817

Looking to see if you still have the Icom 32AT? -Fred

2728. FS ICOM 706 MK II w/DSP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "W. Charles Alexander" <charlie@netset.com>
Message-ID: <01be01ef$15fd83e0$e3e5b7ce@winbook>
Source record: 127818
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

For Sale ICOM 706 MK II w/ DSP and 2.8 Khc Filter installed.
Purchased in Aug. 98 In Like new condition.
935.00
614-351-8835 Eve's (aft 6 PM EST & B4 9 PM)

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73 de charlie kc8ikg W. Charles Alexander
charlie@netset.com
Monitoring the World from Columbus, Ohio U.S.A.
Lat/Long: 39.951 N 83.124 W
Xcvrs: HF ICOM 706 MKII VHF/UHF Kenwood TM-V7A
Rx's: HF Drake R7 & R8B AOR AR7030 Plus w/NB-Notch option
Antennas: 33 ft off-center fed dipoles, 45 ft longwires
Slinky Dipole, Dressler ARA 60 Active
All are in Attic & a KIWA Broadband HF Preamp
RS Discone For VHF/UHF
Decoders: AEA PK-232MBX & Code3 Gold
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2729. IC-746 Computer Controll **HELP**

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jay Harmor <jharmor@jps.net>
Message-ID: <36363915.0@blushng.jps.net>
Source record: 127819

I would like to write my own interface program for my icom 746; however, I am having trouble with the comm port settings. How should the comm port be set such as: baud rate, parity, data length, stop bits etc. I also need to know how the commands listed in the owners manual are formatted, are they sent as text or as hex or what. Does anyone know of a good resource for this topic?

Thanks
Jay
KE6GLA

2730. WTB: Drake R8A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: wplanck@netusa1.net
Message-ID: <715hbs$q1b$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127820
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Wanted: Drake R8A
Bill K9KZ
wplanck@netusa1.net

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2731. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <36363F59.23B2@ibm.net>
Source record: 127821
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Dave Heil wrote:
> Naw, Dick, only references to some of Cecil's past stretches of the
> imagination. Which political party do you refer to...our own radical
> left, the party of political correctness?

How come you don't criticize Dick's stretches of the imagination?

This certainly reminds me of the condition when I was young where
the Blacks couldn't possibly understand what it means to sit in
the front of the bus since they have no experience sitting there.

The KKK is to civil rights what the rabid pro-code-test agenda is to
ham radio. Maybe you could help organize the Kluless Kode Klan. :-)
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://people.delphi.com/CecilMoore

2732. LOG for W95/98 + "DEMO"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Vladimir A.Ovdiyenko" <vovdiyen@utel.com.ua>
Message-ID: <715et8tgn3@news.lucky.net>
Source record: 127822

ex_R6.zip is like "DEMO" version
see changes
http://www.users.ite.cv.ua/~ut1yv/PA.html
73.Vladimir

2733. Re: X-10 Problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marty <martyk@naples.infi.net>
Message-ID: <36364068.EEA91827@naples.infi.net>
Source record: 127823
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Joe,

I've been using X-10 units, 5 of them the original versions and a few of the newer Radio Shack units for about 10 years. I've run between 100w and 1kw with no noticeable problems. Lost 2 of them from lighting spikes (a lot of other things blew with them :-( ) Other than that, they have worked very well. I have not used them with a computer controller.

One thing you could run into is a problem with the house wiring. Most if not all installations these days split the three wire entrance feed so you could find that with the controller plugged into one leg it might not connect with the switch modules on the other leg unless you have a 220v appliance on somewhere to provide a bridge. Sometimes, I've heard, the the transformer feeding your house is close enough to take care of this.

What I've done is to put a 0.1mfd 245vac capacitor across the 220v line at the electric drier outlet with a 15amp fuse on each side. You should use a cap approved by UL for 245VAC service to be safe.

I wrote this up in the QST Tech Notes several years ago, but I can't remember the issue.

73, Marty K1FHR

kw1k@funtv.com wrote:

> Hi -
>
> I am considering using X-10 type receivers in my home - anyone have any
> experience, opinions, comments, problems, or general information they might
> share with me?
>
> Tnx es 73
>
> Joe

2734. FS: Rohne 45 Antenna Tower

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anna Wood & Len Rulason <awood@htonline.com>
Message-ID: <715fs6$7fl$1@supernews.com>
Source record: 127824

For Sale:

Rohne 45 Steel Antenna Tower. 9 pieces, 10 ft sections. 1 piece, partial section (shortenened when tower was dismantled). All hardware required to assemble. The tower is disassembled and ready to be moved.

The tower is 20+ years old. In excellent condition. It is galvanized and the inside tubes of the sections were coated with the aircraft engine preservative, cosmolene, when it was erected 20+ years ago.

The tower is located in Howell, Michigan

$500.00

Anna Wood
awood@htonline.com

Len Rulason
rulason@az.rmci.net

2735. FS: MOTOROLA EXPO PORTABLE RADIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: DALE EATON <rapidcomm@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01be01f6$fb120f80$9f26400c@fff>
Source record: 127825

I have (1) Motorola expo portable radio
It comes with the rapid charger
Currently on Tx 469.750 rx 464.750 dpl 155
$ 125.00 or best offer

2736. Emailreflector for buying/selling tube type gear

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eugene Rippen <soundval@foothill.net>
Message-ID: <715hcr$ma1$1@ns2.foothill.net>
Source record: 127826

For those interested in buying or selling older ham gear,
tube type items and accessories, including homebrews,
there is an Email Reflector called baswaplist.
It is FREE. It has about 720 subscribers
It is very limited to certain purposes.

IT IS FOR buying, selling and swapping of :
Tube Type and Older ham equipment, parts,
accessories, and manuals and catalogs.
Books and periodicals concerning tube type
equipment and older ham gear.
Single one time announcements of swap meets.
Though, NOT including who will attend or what
specific items will be offered.

IT IS NOT FOR:
Discussions, other than very SHORT and very
general discussions of pricing, packaging and
shipping.
Commercial advertising other than for the sale
of specific PRICED items of the nature described
above. In other words, no institutional type
advertising.

LIMITED (but not totally banned) ARE:
Repetitive ads.
Offering of items for sale without prices.
(Very unique items may be
listed without prices.)
A reasonable amount of ads relating to Tube Type
Domestic Broadcast Receivers and Parts
are permitted.

Since this reflector has some subscribers that are newbys,
gear listed for sale should have the Manufacturer's
Name, Model and Short Description (Example:
"Gonset 6 Meter Receiver" "Heathkit SB-200,
80 - 10 M Linear" etc.) Please avoid using lingo.

As stated above, this list is very limited to those purposes.
A few examples of what is NOT to be posted:
Thank you's or apologies.
That an item has been sold.
That a computer has been down.
That a SPECIFIC listed item for sale has too high
or too low a price.

That an item may be for sale, but with no price
(unless the item is very unique).
That an item is being offered without a price
on another available list, or URL.
Referrals to E-Bay.
That someone is sick or dying.

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In MESSAGE body SAY ONLY: subscribe baswaplist.
Then the email address of the sender will be added to the list.
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is regardless of whether your ISP at your end is case sensitive.

Messages sent directly to me requesting subscribe or unsubscribe
may be ignored, or at best sent some kind of prepared boiler-plate
instructions.

I run the list. I am Eugene Rippen. Flack may be directed to me
at soundval@foothill.net.

2737. Email reflector for buying/selling tube type gear

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eugene Rippen <soundval@foothill.net>
Message-ID: <715hlrmiu1@ns2.foothill.net>
Source record: 127827

For those interested in buying or selling older ham gear,
tube type items and accessories, including homebrews,
there is an Email Reflector called baswaplist.
It is FREE. It has about 720 subscribers
It is very limited to certain purposes.

IT IS FOR buying, selling and swapping of :
Tube Type and Older ham equipment, parts,
accessories, and manuals and catalogs.
Books and periodicals concerning tube type
equipment and older ham gear.
Single one time announcements of swap meets.
Though, NOT including who will attend or what
specific items will be offered.

IT IS NOT FOR:
Discussions, other than very SHORT and very
general discussions of pricing, packaging and
shipping.
Commercial advertising other than for the sale
of specific PRICED items of the nature described
above. In other words, no institutional type
advertising.

LIMITED (but not totally banned) ARE:
Repetitive ads.
Offering of items for sale without prices.
(Very unique items may be
listed without prices.)
A reasonable amount of ads relating to Tube Type
Domestic Broadcast Receivers and Parts
are permitted.

Since this reflector has some subscribers that are newbys,
gear listed for sale should have the Manufacturer's
Name, Model and Short Description (Example:
"Gonset 6 Meter Receiver" "Heathkit SB-200,
80 - 10 M Linear" etc.) Please avoid using lingo.

As stated above, this list is very limited to those purposes.
A few examples of what is NOT to be posted:
Thank you's or apologies.
That an item has been sold.
That a computer has been down.
That a SPECIFIC listed item for sale has too high
or too low a price.

That an item may be for sale, but with no price
(unless the item is very unique).
That an item is being offered without a price
on another available list, or URL.
Referrals to E-Bay.
That someone is sick or dying.

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2738. -->(/\/\)OTOROLA HT600 UHF $130

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: sourcebook@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <715m22$14c$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127828

-->(/\/\)OTOROLA HT600 UHF $130. This is a two channel unit. It includes a rapid battery, rapid charger and antenna. Model number H44SVU7120AN. Model is in excellent condition except the tab over monitor button is missing but can be replaced easily. Shipping is $10. Please e-mail me if you want this radio. Thanks.

-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2739. -->(/\/\)OTOROLA P100 UHF $81

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: sourcebook@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <715m6l$15b$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127829

-->(/\/\)OTOROLA P100 UHF $81. This is a two channel unit. It includes a battery, charger and antenna. Model number H44EF07120AN. This model is in excellent condition AND includes a carrying case with a belt clip. Shipping is $10. Please e-mail me if you want this radio.
Thanks.

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2740. A tough choice - ts-570sg, ft-920 or the ic-746.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: corbin <corbin@zk3.dec.com>
Message-ID: <36364B56.C8F@zk3.dec.com>
Source record: 127830

I just passed my General license exam this past weekend and now I'm looking to get my first radio. I have come down to 3 choices: the Kenwood TS-570SG, the Yaesu FT-920 or the ICOM IC-746. It is a difficult choice and I just keep wavering among them. I expect that I would be using the rig for CW predominately but who knows what I'll get into in the future.

Help me out here! Tell me why you like your rig (one of the above) and what made you choose it over others.

- steve

2741. WTB: HP 312B Voltmeter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: William Erhardt <erhardt@mt.net>
Message-ID: <16sZ1.103$eo2.137806@news2.randori.com>
Source record: 127831

Howdy From Helena, Montana KA7YAO - I am looking for a HP312 Voltmeter. I know its a boat but if you have one cheap or want to get rid of let me know I will pay shipping. Bill

2742. WTB: Rycom 6040 Levelmeter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: William Erhardt <erhardt@mt.net>
Message-ID: <M7sZ1.104$eo2.139388@news2.randori.com>
Source record: 127832

Howdy From Helena, Montana - I am looking for a Rycom 6040 Levelmeter. I know its a boat and would like one cheap or if you want to get rid of it I will pay shipping.
Bill KA7YAO

2743. Re: FS: Digital frequency display for TS-520S et. al.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul <w9ned@blueriver.net>
Message-ID: <36364998.790A681C@blueriver.net>
Source record: 127833
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hi Gil,
Do you have the schematic for the DD-1 ?
I have one thats on the blitz and i am going to rebuild it.

Thx
Paul
w9ned@blueriver.net

Gil Bishop wrote:

> Spectronics digital display for Kenwood TS-520S. 9/10 cosmetically and
> 100% functional.
> $85 + shipping
>
> Gil Bishop
> KB1DHM
> gbishop@home.com

2744. WTD: FT-51R & ADAMS HELP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Smith <mjs@nolnet.net>
Message-ID: <BusZ1.869$Qf3.1062@news9.ispnews.com>
Source record: 127834
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I need to know what the fix is for allowing Adams-1d (version.24) to enter any freq...? If I enter a freq.. outside the FT-51R's band plan it tells me to enter a valid receive freq... I use to know how to do this, I thought I had to add a line to the yaesu.ini file.

2745. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <36973dba.888652217@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 127835
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On 26 Oct 1998 04:28:54 GMT, Richard Carroll <w0ex@scan.missouri.org> wrote:
> But lets look at the sort of disaster I'm trained for and
>much more familar with. What if it's a massive earthquake,
>stretching over a wide region covering parts of several
>states involving several major cities? Literally millions of
>people can easily be involved, schools, hospitals, nursing
>homes, other population concentrations are at risk for large
>numbers of casualties. What does the beacon do for them? How
>do those persons/entities gearing up for a massive relief
>movement into the area plan their approach without
>definitive information as to what the need is, where it is,
>and at what level? Just because a recon aircraft pilot sees
>what appears to be a damaged hospital may not mean that the
>need for large relief effort is necessarily required.
>Without communications to define the need and concentrate
>the relief effort to those spots where it is really needed
>the worst, poor efficiency and waste of critical
>effort/resources is sure to occur.

That's an accurate assessment of the situation. A large amount of ground truth information is needed to effectively coordinate a relief effort to a large area. A wide area disaster has two requirements for providing that level of ground truth. First and foremost it needs a *large* number of reporting stations distributed throughout the disaster area. Ground truth cannot be supplied unless there are on the spot reporters ready and able to communicate it.

This implies having a large number of communications assets on the ground in advance of the event. HF amateur radio operators are thin on the ground. This is perhaps the greatest obstacle which needs to be overcome if they are to play a significant role in this sort of emergency situation. As noted in the Texas floods, non-HF operators are relatively plentiful, but HF operators are in relative short supply.

And second, the volume of information required to be handled would necessarily be *huge*, and it must be routed and passed quickly, accurately, and in an orderly and efficient manner. If days worth of traffic starts backlogging in the system, the information becomes worthless. This implies the need for well organized networks capable of dealing quickly and effectively with large volumes of information.

Our current NTS system is totally inadequate for this. That's partially because it too is extremely thin on the ground, and partially because it uses antiquated methods of information handling which are totally

inadequate to deal with the volume of traffic required in a large scale event.

The information flow needed to respond to a large scale disaster is of the same magnitude as is needed by a theatre commander in combat. Large amounts of information must be handled in a time critical fashion in a hostile environment where normal civil infrastructure is mostly out of commission. So it is instructive to see how the military deals with this sort of communications tasking.

One thing we notice right away is that they don't depend on manual CW, even as a fallback position, because it simply isn't up to the task of handling the volume of information required in the timeframe available (outdated information can be worse than no information). So they take steps to harden, and make redundant, communications systems which are up to the task. Some of this CCC strengthening is technical in nature and some of it is organizational in nature.

Effective modern combat operations depend on a timely and accurate flow of information. The best army in the world is just a bunch of guys milling around if they are without clear coordination. The same is true for disaster response. Organizationally and technically, communications lines adequate to handle the flow of information must be established and maintained in the area of operations. Attempts to do that in an ad hoc fashion are likely to be unsuccessful. Careful prior planning and frequent training exercises are essential elements of any successful combat or emergency response communications system.

Depending on the making of random contacts among random stations with varying levels of emergency communications training is a recipe for a communications disaster. Every link and alternate route needs to be planned and exercised prior to the time it is needed. There should never be a doubt at any level as to what to do or how to do it. By and large, amateurs haven't done the planning or the training to provide an effective level of communications support for disasters of this magnitude.

I'd suggest that if you're concerned about the ability of amateurs to be able to respond to disasters of this nature, then you should be advocating that an amateur's time would be more wisely spent acquiring this sort of emergency communications training rather than in acquiring a facility with manual CW which is virtually certain to be inadequate to the task.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

2746. Re: FS: Sherwood SE-3 MK III "Sync Detector"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: feinstei@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <36353c54.256094206@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 127836
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

On Mon, 26 Oct 1998 09:24:41 -0600, "davez" <davez@ticon.net> wrote:

>For Sale: A Brand New (only weeks old) Sherwood Enginerring SE-3 Mk III
>"Synchronous Detector". See the Sherwood site for more information on this
>device at http://www.sherweng.com/ . With AC power supply and instructions.
>
>Will sell for $ 250.00 FIRM (new they are $ 500.00). I will pay the "Ground"
>UPS. Offer only valid in the USA (lower 48). Sorry NO COD's, will need
>payment before shippment.
>
WOW!!! Somebody better grab this fast! I have one of these connected
to my Drake R-7 (I previously had it connected to a Yaesu FT-900 ham
transceiver) and it is fantastic!!! If I didn't already have one, I'd
be begging this guy to sell it to me!

Fred

2747. X-10 Problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: kw1k@funtv.com
Message-ID: <OvbZ1.355$PJ3.3232@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 127837
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hi -

I am considering using X-10 type receivers in my home - anyone have any experience, opinions, comments, problems, or general information they might share with me?

Tnx es 73

Joe

2748. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Carroll <w0ex@scan.missouri.org>
Message-ID: <713h2nhag0@208.207.71.130>
Source record: 127838
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

W6RCecilA wrote:
>
> Richard Carroll wrote:
> > Cecil, Cecil!! No advance planning is ever needed to
> > substitute CW for SSB as long as operators on each end KNOW
> > and can USE CW!
>
> That statement just shows your gross ignorance of emergency
> operations. Emergency operations REQUIRE advance planning.
> Without advance planning, emergency operations are useless.

What all this shows is the fact that the No COde Agenda
has for years planned CW OUR of planning. No one wants to be
seen to be so backward as to ever suggest using that "old"
stuff!

> As an example: How many of these emergency SSB operators
> can still do CW at what speed? Or any speed for that matter?

Good question. Each HF operator has qualified on Morse
code at some level. Of course those who scammed the CW exams
won't ever be able to serve as CW operators, anywhere.
You're saying that no ham should ever be expected to know CW
nor be able to use it in an emergency. I guess you feel that
is violating his 'rights'.

>
> "No advance planning is ever needed" to find out who can
> still do CW? RIDICULOUS!!! That is the weak link in your
> CW theories. Half the coded hams can't do CW anymore.

Ah, but that half stays home in emergencies, didn't you
hear the word from South Texas?

That's
> what happens with the "Once-Morsed, Always-Morsed" approach.
> If Morse code skill is worth having, it is worth being
> re-tested for at renewal time.

Suits me, but your No Code buddies might object.

>
> > All that is required is that all parties know that when
> > conditions get so poor that SSB no longer is readable, they
> > automatically switch to CW on the same frequency, and
> > continue on until conditions improve enough to resume SSB

> > contact.
>
> It is ridiculous to expect a ham who took his code test 40
> years ago and never used CW to jump in and do CW at a
> useful speed during an emergency.

It's probably just as ridiculous to expect that ham to
even be present in an emergency. He's probably too busy
"doing digital stuff" or has dropped ham radio entirely but
kept up his license.

> > What requires such intensive "Integral" planning??? Answer:
> > NOTHING!
>
> You are assuming that everyone is as good at CW as you.

No, I'm assuming that licensed hams will be able to
recognize when someone is calling them on CW, even if it is
a voice link.

Even 5wpm CW is better than 0 wpm on any other mode.

> That's an extremely rash assumption and is indicative
> of poor planning and inexperience. Are you going to slow
> the emergency communications down to 10wpm so I can copy?
> Or to 3wpm so everybody can copy?

Poor planning is rampant, but mostly unrecognized by those
doing the planning. Too often it is not possible to
adequately plan for the unknown. Planners are mostly
bureaucrats, some are good at it some are no good at all. So
should we just trust to the system for all our needs? You
can do that if you want, but having seen it up close I
choose to keep to my own devices and standards.

Sooner or later you will grasp the meaning of the statement
that

>>ANY COMMUNICATIONS IS VASTLY SUPERIOR TO NO COMMUNICATIONS AT ALL<<

If hams accepted the responsibility of learning and
maintaining skill at using Morse code this would not be an
issue. Yes, I know, your code-hating engineer buddies at
Intel that you so badly want to let onto the HF bands will
have none of it. So you press on, trying to help get rid of
it.

Dick C

2749. Kenwood PS-52 power supply mint.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michel Morin <morinm@csdgs.qc.ca>
Message-ID: <lxbZ1.331$dB4.23116@carnaval.risq.qc.ca>
Source record: 127839

I have a Kenwood PS-52 power supply in absolute mint condition. It works with all radios that use 13.8 volts and is normally sold with the TS-850 or TS- 870 rigs. It currently sells for $269.95 new.

Asking $175. U.S. including shipping and insurance.

Inquire by email if interested.

73 de VE2CJW.
Michel Morin
Quebec, Canada.

2750. Re: advise on ic-746 anybody...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: quinkman@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981026231002.18008.00001904@ng-fc2.aol.com>
Source record: 127840

If you did not get get satisfactory answers to your Icom 746 questions NOW what would have you believe you'll get satisfactory answers AFTER you own it?

2751. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@planet.net
Message-ID: <36354401.7589816@news.planet.net>
Source record: 127841
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On 27 Oct 1998 02:54:06 GMT, Richard Carroll <w0ex@scan.missouri.org>
wrote:

>Bill Sohl wrote:
>> > But lets look at the sort of disaster I'm trained for and
>> >much more familar with. What if it's a massive earthquake,
>> >stretching over a wide region covering parts of several
>> >states involving several major cities?
>>
>> Sure would be nice to have even one such example
>> in history to base your What If on.
>
> Not hard to find at all, just do a bit of searching and
>read the historical accounts of the New Madrid earthquakes
>of 1811-1821 wherin the earth shook for most of 3 months,
>during which time several quakes of >magnitude 8 occurred.

The earth shock every day for 3 months???
Magnitude 8 earthquakes didn't happen every
day, now did they. How widespread was the
area?

Frankly, I believe there is and would be no reliance or
need for CW if it happened today.

>Yes, I know...sparse populations and simple uncomplicated
>wooden buildings scattered thinnly throughout the middle of
>the continent in those days kept down the casualty count.
>Today, a replay of that series of events would creat a
>disaster of a magnitude not yet confronted by our disaster
>relief organizations anywhere.

Believe what you want then.

> Good reading on this subject is a book entitled "On Shaky
>Ground" by Robert Vance (or Nance, I've loaned out my copy)
>He goes into very detailed investigation of the many
>potential seismic hotspots in the USA and it turns out that
>39 of the 48 CONUS states are at risk for serious or
>disastrous earthquake damage. It is very interesting to
>learn what scientists have discovered over the past few
>decades of how to determine where earthquakes are due and
>what level they might be.

So what. California seems to respond quite well
today. Seems that's a great test area for emergency
preparedness. Likewise, the hurricane belt, etc.

> They have discovered that a sure way to determine where an
>earthquake is due on a fault zone is to determine what area
>has not had one in many years but which lies between two
>other areas that have had more recent quakes. This is known
>as the "Seismic Gap" prediction theory. for the "gap" area
>between areas where more recent events are known to have
>occurred. Scientists who developed this theory have
>accurately predicted several quakes using this method
>including the Mexico City quake, and they say that a massive
>quake is due at Fort Tejon, on the San Andreas Fault, in the
>mountains several miles north of Los Angeles, which last
>experiecnced a large quake in 1857. The next Fort Tejon
>quake is sure to pretty well devastate the entire Los
>Angeles area, according to their predictions as recounted by
>the author. Will all be well with disaster relief in LA when
>this happens?

So how come you haven't studied any of these past
occurances to see where and how CW could/should
have been used? No, you want acceptance of a need
for CW knowledge based on ifs and maybes rather than
any objective analysis. Seems the real emergency
efforts don't subscribe to your claims.

> As I noted previosly, we HAVE NOT experienced a full
>scale, wide area disaster at any time during the electronic
>communications era. No one knows when we will.

Even the New Madrid is not a good example as there
is no actual seismic measurements from the time. The
estimates of earthquake impact is anecdotal rather than
very scientific.

>There have
>been some large events, such as Hurricane Andrew where
>relief was very late in arriving at many needed locations,
>taking a week or more to arrive. Published reports indicate
>a lot of disatisfaction with the relief effort by some
>survivors who were pretty well left on their own for several
>days. Somehow not much was ever published about
>communications pertaining to these victims. I wonder why.

Why not tell us? Why do you think there was any
problem? Do you suggest a coverup?

>> > Literally millions of
>> >people can easily be involved, schools, hospitals, nursing
>> >homes, other population concentrations are at risk for large
>> >numbers of casualties. What does the beacon do for them?

>
>> Probably nothing, but neither does CW on HF.
>
> Certainly not, if no one knows how to use it. And one
>would hope it would not be needed even if trained operators
>were present and the mode was available for use. But can you
>say what will be the situation?

I can say there won't be any such reliance on CW because
other modes will pand already do prevail in the planning for
such emergencies. If you can't convince the professionals
of a need for a CW back-up, then who do you expect
to convince?

>> >How
>> >do those persons/entities gearing up for a massive relief
>> >movement into the area plan their approach without
>> >definitive information as to what the need is, where it is,
>> >and at what level?
>>
>> Surely not by any reliance on some amateur
>> radio operator that is on CW.
>
> Really? And how do you know this Bill? Sounds like you're
>just convinced that there is no communications ability
>whatever in CW.

No, I state there is NOT any reliance on CW in any planning
for emergencies now. Those emergency plans ARE the
backbone of preparedness. Your claim or any expectation
that hams not already involved in emergency preparedness
will somehow become the ultimate saviors with CW is
most unlikly.

>What do you think it was used for during all those years
>when it was THE mode of choice, there being no other?
>No bias showing in your opinions is there?

No bias, just reality. Just like the telephone and teletype
ended the telegraph.

>> >Just because a recon aircraft pilot sees
>> >what appears to be a damaged hospital may not mean that the
>> >need for large relief effort is necessarily required.
>>
>> In the large scale disastor you fabricate, why do you
>> even presume any lack or a total of regular
>> communications? Even in the most serious
>> of the many earthquakes that have hit in California,
>> the loss of communications has been sporadic
>> and localized.
>

> I thought you were the guy who is so high on 'Planning'.
>What you read here is from extensive planning for just such
>an event. One key element is the fact that no resource
>within the disaster area can be expected to survive a major
>earthquake.

Bull. Earthquakes are very centered in major damage
areas. Just look to all those that have happened. Please
don't try to tell us that everyone and every element of
communications infrastructure in a given area (say 50
square miles) will be totally dead or destroyed.

>Few will survive. All relief must be planned to
>come from the outside, and information as to where, what and
>how much is vital. Hams within the area effected are
>particularily well postioned to provide this vital
>information.

I thought you said few will survive. So what is it about
all the hams that gives them some special protection
from the death and destruction going on around them???
Why is the ham's radio station unharmed, but not police
radio systems?

> If you will do even a LITTLE reading you will soon find
>that scientists believe that California has never in the
>Modern era experienced anything like a major earthquake
>(including the San Franscisco quake of 1906 where by far the
>worst of the damage was caused by the ensuing uncontrolled
>fires which burned many trapped victims), The state is
>certain to experience such a large scale quake at some
>unknown time in the future. It could be tonight, anytime or
>well into the future. There is no way to accurately predict
>when, but the certainty of it occuring is clear.

But I've never heard any claiming that such a severe
earthquake would be widespread in terms of geographic area.

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>> >the relief effort to those spots where it is really needed
>> >the worst, poor efficiency and waste of critical
>> >effort/resources is sure to occur.
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>> of the many earthquakes that have hit in California,
>> the loss of communications has been sporadic
>> and localized.
>
> Your 33 RPM LP stuck again Bill?

More on the basis that your fabrication of disastor doesn't
mesh with any reality.

>> >> >Some means of on-site
>> >> >communications is still vital for survivers to pass out to
>> >> >rescuers this vital information. Errors or ommissions in
>> >> >this area are sometimes responsible for huge mistakes in
>> >> >relief efforts, negating much that could have otherwise been
>> >> >accomplished in a much more timely manner.
>> >
>> >> Such as?
>> >
>> > Such as sending large quantities of unneeded
>> >supplies/personnel to spots where very few are actually
>> >needed, while missing areas where those very resources are
>> >critically needed. A tragic waste of limited relief
>> >resources. Such as sending a field hospital with staff to an
>> >area where with few casualties while an unknown spot with
>> >many injured is bypassed. Effective communications helps to
>> >preclude these errors.
>>
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>> even presume any lack or a total of regular
>> communications? Even in the most serious
>> of the many earthquakes that have hit in California,
>> the loss of communications has been sporadic
>> and localized.
>
>Redux.

Ditto

>> >> > In
>> >> >disasters/emergencies, time is always of the essence.
>> >> >Nothing is more vital to a relief effort than timely,
>> >> >accurate detailed information as to the scope of what
>> >> >happened, where and to whom the relief effort should be
>> >> >first directed, and why. This information is difficult
>> >> >enough to gather in such an event at best, and the lack of
>> >> >communications to pass it to the proper officials is a huge
>> >> >obstacle. Hams are well positioned to fill this need, with
>> >> >VHF/UHF gear, repeaters and nets. HF must often be used to
>> >> >then "get the word out".
>> >
>> >> HF is rarely used in comparison to VHF.
>> >
>> > Indeed, and that is the very reason for your complacency
>> >on this area of communications. Just because we have not
>> >needed to handle a quite large disaster in the electronic
>> >communications era, we surely will never be called upon to
>> >do that, Right?

We might, but you seem to believe that if we did we
couldn't get the job done without CW. I respectfully
disagree.

>> Yet you can point to nothing in history which takes on
>> the widespread scope of any such disastor.
>
> Well, not exactly....I can't help your ignorance of
>history nor the fact that you seem to believe all disasters
>occurred after the inception of electronic communications
>and well before the development of our metropolitian areas
>which have almost universally ignored the threat and failed,
>until recent times, to institute mitigation rules for
>building construction. Most masonary buildings will NOT
>survive,only a few which have lately been built specifically
>to accomodate the earthquake motion without structural
>disintegration.

So what? You still didn't answer the question...

You can point to nothing in history which takes on
the widespread scope of any such disastor.

>> >> The overall reliability of and actual use of
>> >> VHF has been well chronicled in the pages of QST and
>> >> CQ magazine.
>> >
>> > There will always be the need for these resources in all
>> >types and sizes of relief efforts. They are the more locally
>> >available parts of the system, depending on what parts of
>> >the infrastructure survive, amateur and otherwise.
>> >
>> > The trend is toward "it has always been........." and so
>> >we will never need to plan for ....". Nature is
>> >fickle and will provide us with plenty of exceptions as time
>> >passes.
>>
>> Of couse nothing seems to fit your scenario since
>> the dawn of recorded history.

>hehehe...go to the Library and sit awhile, Bill. Take your
>reading glasses.

If you can't provide a ready reference of even one
or two WIDESREAD disastors, then I'm not going
to waste my time doing your research.

>> > The best laid plans never cover nearly all the
>> >possibilities, generally just what is expected.
>>
>> You plan for what has been and what one can reasonably
>> expect to be. Such efforts have seemed to serve
>> us well so far without any regrets.

>
>Ah, and so it will always be, forevermore. Ahmen.

Your point?

Cheers,
Bill K2UNK

2752. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: markv@pixar.com
Message-ID: <713mt6$b9e$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127842
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <7131ks$cq2$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
brianburke@my-dejanews.com wrote:

> Cecil, I've often thought that there should be a place in amateur radio for
> MARS-like nets for emergency services.A person could become affiliated with
> an emergency services group and receive authorization/assignment for
> operating on one (1) net (several freqs), train on HF, participate in
> regularly scheduled nets, in hope that some of them would be available for
> bonafide emergencies. This authorization would not be for rag chewing, dx,
> contests, county collecting, etc. Just for emergency services and training
> for emergency services.

Doesn't it seem vaguely unfair to grant a license to someone, expect them to train dilligently for emergencies, and then deny them participation in the fun things that ham radio has to offer?

If someone is willing to train for emergencies, pariticipate in scheduled nets, and seek to coordinate emergency response with other agencies, I really don't care very much if they ragchew, hunt dx, or whatever else their little hearts desire.

Mark

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2753. Kenwood PS-52 power supply mint.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: morinm@csdgs.qc.ca
Message-ID: <713gpd$2da$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127843

I have a Kenwood PS-52 power supply in absolute mint condition. It works with all radios that use 13.8 volts and is normally sold with the TS-850 or TS- 870 rigs. It currently sells for $269.95 new.

Asking $175. U.S. including shipping and insurance.

Inquire by email if interested.

73 de VE2CJW.
Michel Morin
Quebec, Canada.

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
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2754. WTB: INRAD filters for TS-830S or IC-751A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3bj@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <713dpa$tp3$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127844
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchor,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Wanted: INRAD filters for the Kenwood TS-830S or ICOM IC-751A. Please let me know what you have that may be surplus to your needs.

Alan, N3BJ
Bent Mountain, VA

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2755. Re: X-10 Problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Toste <saturn@interlog.com>
Message-ID: <713iolpq1@news.interlog.com>
Source record: 127845
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I have no problems with my X10 setup running with 100w's with antennas in
the attic and outside. No problems on my end.

In rec.radio.amateur.antenna Paul F. McCarron <w1hzy@cybertours.com> wrote:
> I have been using them for many years, with many problems! They are convienent,
> but low security and reliability. The computer interface is worthless, if you
> are a ham and running more than 100 watts, 'cause the rf wipes out the program!
> I have motion detectors outside that turn on all of my perimeter floodlights,
> and i love that feature(except when the neighbor's cat sets it off at 2:00
> am!).

> kw1k@funtv.com wrote:

> > Hi -
> >
> > I am considering using X-10 type receivers in my home - anyone have any
> > experience, opinions, comments, problems, or general information they might
> > share with me?
> >
> > Tnx es 73
> >
> > Joe

--
David Toste [VE3TOS] Internet - saturn@interlog.com
Brampton, Ontario. SWLOGit - The Ultimate Shortwave Listeners Software
ftp://qsl.net/pub/ve3tos/swlit20a.zip
http://www.interlog.com/~saturn/SWLOGit.html (SWLOGit Web Page)
ICQ: 4422700

2756. <TRADE> Roland TB-303 Bass Line for nice(!) shortwave?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: redmac@rconnect.com
Message-ID: <redmac-ya02408000R2710981157370001@news.rconnect.com>
Source record: 127846

Ok... maybe this a little bit of an odd trade, but I'm sure someone (like me) is into music as well as amatuer radio. If you're reading this you probably know what a TB-303 is and how much it's worth... it's in great shape with average wear, AC adaptor and original silver carrying case.

I'm looking for a 'nice' shortwave worth around a thousand bucks.

Let me know what 'ya got or if you have any questions.

thanks!

mark
redmac@rconnect.com

2757. FT1000 Repair in CT Area?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Valentine <tde@ntplx.net>
Message-ID: <36356445.5A3C@ntplx.net>
Source record: 127847

*Any good FT1000 repair specialists out there in the Connecticut Area? *

I'd much rather bring this boatanchor than mail it if possible. I think it needs a good bench tech with proper equipment, which I dont have.

Thanks to all that replied. PROBLEM: Audio distortion on USB transmit on FT1000D. I beleive we've determined it's a type of harmonic distortion, rather than a tone problem, becaude it remains, regardless of TCXO shift. The transmitted audio is noticeably cleaner on LSB regardless of TCXO settings.
Thanks for any tips, Rick, N1SQJ

2758. HEATHER TUNER WANTED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: cslc82@email.mot.com
Message-ID: <36356823.3211808@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 127848

Looking for good-shape Heath SA2500 or SA2060A tuner. What have you?

Dan
K0DAN

2759. HEATH TUNER WANTED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: cslc82@email.mot.com
Message-ID: <36366877.3295548@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 127849

Looking for good-shape Heath SA2500 or SA2060A tuner. What have you?

Dan
K0DAN

2760. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Carroll <w0ex@scan.missouri.org>
Message-ID: <713s6s$8jn$0@208.207.71.130>
Source record: 127850
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Phil Kane wrote:
>
BTW - in the discussion on "widespread, maybe multi-state"
> disasters, howcum no one mentioned that there will be a whole
> lot of operators and stations using HF in the course of disaster
> control/relief without benefit of any class of amateur license
> or code qualification.
>
> We call them the National Guard.

In Missouri, where the epicenter of the New Madrid fault sits in the southeast corner of the state, throughout the '80s and into the '90s we did some SERIOUS planning for a major earthquake event on the New Madrid fault. Of course the Missouri National Guard was deeply involved and as a member of the state Public Safety communications staff working in the district in the south central part of the state, I worked closely with the Guard.(I retired in '94)

At that time the Guard had, at each Armory in the state, a HF SSB radio transciever on a statewide net running 100 watts (most had a 1kw amp available but it was never needed) and used B&W T2FD loaded broadband dipoles mounted atop the Armory roofs. The system worked very well at the 100 watt level. The net met each day on an 8 MHz frequency and I don't remember a time when I couldn't copy every station Q5.(we kept an authorized station on the net)

The plan was for a worst case scenario, that no resources would survive within the disaster area, the region bordering the Mississippi river and some 100 miles each side, and from above St Louis to below Memphis, Tn., essentially nothing of consequence would be left standing. No earthquake-hardened buildings nor facilities existed anywhere within that region.

Since no relief resources could be depended upon to exist within the affected area, all relief would have to come from the western part of the state and from states to the west.(All bridges across the Mississippi would be down in the river and areas east of the river would have their own relief effort to deal with anyway).

Mobilizing these resources would take from 24 to 48 hours, and transportation to the area would take more time.

Obviously a primary need would be for information from the disaster area pertaining to the exact locations of major concentrations of victims, their status and the nature of the relief needed, and where it would NOT be needed. What roads are passable and those not, where are bridges out, what are alternate routes to the points of most need, etc, etc.

My employer, the Missouri State Highway Patrol, as the only statewide law enforcement/public safety agency, was charged with maintaining order, providing communications, and was a major player in the early stages of the relief effort with emphasis on communications in gathering information to be used by the newly-mobilized units coming from the west. The district commander of the Patrol was designated as acting Governor for his district by law, in situations where natural disasters or other such events precluded communication with the state capitol, until such time that communication could be reestablished.

Since the disaster area was "out of service", the commander of the adjacent district immediately to the west was designated to absorb the affected area into his district for the duration. As chief of communications for the adjacent district, and later Field Engineer for both districts, I was responsible for trying to arrange communications and gather information in coordination with the Guard.

The one thing that stands out in my memory from all the activity involved in these planning sessions and drills, and extensive travel throughout the region, is the stark fact that for most areas, the very best you will be able to do will be very inadequate. Anyone who thinks that hams won't be badly needed has not had an opportunity to assess the potential situation and available resources with any thoroughness. But the hams must be ready.

Anyone who thinks that a planner would ever be retro enough to suggest or even *think* of using Morse code communications for *any* reason short of a last resort -no-other-available-means- communications mode is simply blockheaded. For a fact, it was never included in plans at all, and was never even considered to be a factor. In retrospect, that may have been an error of ommission. For when the existing resources in the region were inventoried, there just wasn't much to go with. A half dozen armories, a pair of Patrol low-VHF FM base stations and whatever mobile units survived,-that's assuming that ANY of it survived the quake. And whatever hams were available, having survived the quake themselves. ALL would have had their personal situations to deal with. If you think that I would've

refused to use CW just because it's that "Old anachronistic Luddite mode", you're nuts.

While travelling in the New Madrid region as a Field Engineer, I carried a balloon supported antenna that I made up, a coaxial colinear straight from the ARRL antenna manual, with a couple of weather baloons provided by the Guard and a 150ft length of RG58 parralled with a lightweight nyon cord, on a small reel. When I first built it we tried it with the aid of the Guard unit that did weather research who inflated the balloons for us, and gave us training in their inflation and use. It worked quite well and allowed me to communicate across most of half the state using a mobile 100 watt low-band FM voice transciever. I realized that I wouldn't need to carry helium to inflate the balloons as there are many novelty balloon vendors at flower shops in every town where one could obtain helium to use in an emergency. I also carried, in my van, an Icom 735 HF rig in a small suitcase, with enough accessories to make up a temporary HF station powered from the van's battery. It had an internal CW keyer, and yes, I carried a keyer paddle. Just in case it would ever be needed. Remember, I was travelling exactly in the area of the fault much of the time.

There's much more to this story, but it's way too long already. I haven't kept track of developments since I retired, so things may be much better now. I doubt it. I know they have acquired a flyaway sattelite terminal now which can be choppered to the area, but won't help with the initial communications needs and will be adversely affected by aftershocks.

Suffice to say it didn't happen on my watch, for which I'm very thankful. For when it does, to call it a huge mess will not adequately describe what is certain to result. But it could be worse-the district to the north has the Metro St.Louis area to deal with! Meanwhile, occasional magnitude 4+ shakes are a part of the routine along the fault.....

Dick C

2761. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Carroll <w0ex@scan.missouri.org>
Message-ID: <713ssc$9ni$0@208.207.71.130>
Source record: 127851
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

brianburke@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> >
> Cecil, I've often thought that there should be a place in amateur radio for
> MARS-like nets for emergency services. A person could become affiliated with
> an emergency services group and receive authorization/assignment for
> operating on one (1) net (several freqs), train on HF, participate in
> regularly scheduled nets, in hope that some of them would be available for
> bonafide emergencies. This authorization would not be for rag chewing, dx,
> contests, county collecting, etc. Just for emergency services and training
> for emergency services.
>
> But I guess that this would be far too much privelege for undeserving no-code
> Techs who only want to serve! I know several nc-Techs who joined up only to
> serve, but because of the constant harassment, have dropped out. Real hard
> workers too! One was a real live, ns, motorola technician that offered to
> keep the unknowledgeable Extras repeaters in operation! Hah (I mean Hi)!
>

Brian I like this idea. you start it up, and I'll join up. I
couldn't care less what your license class is and you are
most welcome to be the "leader". I'll be one of the injuns.
(I'm not gonna lead anything ever again if I can help it).

Go for it. Good idea. Sounds like a RACES org. but those are
closing out so time to start anew.

Dick C

2762. Yaesu VX-1R Questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: kjsmith@fletch.fix.net
Message-ID: <713ru5$o2l@fletch.fix.net>
Source record: 127852

I've checked the various web pages, but haven't found the info I'm looking for. I'm thinking about getting one of these to supplement my FT-50, and I'm wondering about channels/banks/etc.

How many channels does this thing have? What kind of bank arrangements? Any requirements for what freqs (also PL/DPL decode/encode) can go in what banks (e.g.: Are some banks reserved just for BCB AM/FM/TV, while others can do NFM public safety rx, and yet others for ham use)??
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Kirk J. Smith, BSc Microbiology | http://www.fix.net/~kjsmith
kjsmith@fix.net Ham: KD6RCT | whois ks135

2763. Re: FT-90 Micro Commander

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Boekenkruger <ve7cbt@home.com>
Message-ID: <0AeZ1.1174$ww2.1268536@news.rdc1.bc.wave.home.com>
Source record: 127853

Dave Martindale wrote in message <70nse1$m6h@groucho.cs.ubc.ca>...
>user66@aol.com (User 66) writes:
>>ft-90 is ONE BAND AT A TIME
>>NO X-BAND REPEAT !!!!!!!
>>just like ft-50
>>STEP BACKWARDS 10 YEARS
>
>How is it a step backwards if a manufacturer offers a one-band-at-a-time
>rig *as well as* a full dual-receive radio?
>
>Single-receive radios work fine for talking to someone; they are all you
>need for many circumstances. Not everyone needs cross-band repeat.
>They are a great choice if they provide what you need, since they cost
>less and (often) take up less space than the dual-receive variety.
>
>The same is true for the FT-50, but even more strongly. Why on earth
>would you need crossband repeat on a handheld?
>
>If you want crossband repeat and dual receive, you can still get
>radios that do that. Why are you so upset?
>
> Dave

I don't think he's upset Dave...

I think he is referring to the fact that Dual band radios (both mobiles &
HT's) of ten years ago only had the ability to cover one band at a time.
The idea of dual receive, x-band, full duplex capability, etc... was
unheard of... Thus these new radios are a step backward in design. Of
course all this is being done to reduce costs.

Don.

2764. Kenwood TS-140 / TS-680S Comments

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: magilla4738@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <71427spcf1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127854

I am considering the purchase of a Kenwood TS-680S HF + 6M transceiver. I am intending to replace my Icom IC-701 and Icom R71.

Does anyone have comments on the performance of the TS-680S or the TS-140S which is the same radio without 6M. I have read a review which claimed that the receiver was sensitive but susceptable to blocking by strong signals within 20 KHz.

Thanks
Aaron
VK6ARN

------== Posted via Deja News, The Leader in Internet Discussion ==-----
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2765. Re: WTB 2m/220 Dual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: resq106@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981027023946.22965.00001797@ng152.aol.com>
Source record: 127855

Kenwood model TM-642 is a 2m/220 radio that works very very well for what you want it to do. Take a look at one the price isn't bad for what you get. I own A 742 which is the 2m/440 version of the same radio plus the 220 module. I use mine for contesting and it works like a charm. Brodie KE6BZY

2766. Re: FT-290RII 2 meter all-mode mobile and MORE!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cliff <ccedar@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1MeZ1.526$n7.2534629@newse1.twcny.rr.com>
Source record: 127856

The 290R has been sold...

Cliff wrote in message ...
>Iam asking $300 or B.O. for this all mode 2 meter..On a scale of 1 - 10
>...Its an 11..Its never been mobile and its in MINT condition..It comes
with
>a 25 watt amp that goes on the back of the radio, a carry case, rubber duct
>ant., battery pack, a mounting bracket,and also the orig.. box and manuals
>and dtmf hand mic...
>
>I also have a ICOM W31A ht dual band forsale which is also in mint
>condition..It comes with a slow charger and a rapid drop in charger,It also
>comes with all manuals and box...Iam asking $250 or B.O.
>
>And last but not least I have a Mirage B5016G 2 meter all mode 50 in and
160
>out.And that comes with orig. box a manuals..Iam asking $160 or B.O.
>
>If you have any questions email me at ccedar@yahoo.com ,Iam also looking
for
>a dual band (2m - 70cm) all mode brick thats around 25 in and 160 - 300 out
>..I will consider a trade if you have the amp that Iam looking for...That's
>Cliff..(KC2DNH)..
>
>

2767. Re: Radar Gun for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: spraycar
Message-ID: <w4fZ1.898$3y5.1473@news.eli.net>
Source record: 127857
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.misc,
sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

if you wouldn't have decided to sell your radar gun i wouldn't have been
able to read all of this steve
bryan@prodistributors.com wrote in message
<36238272.7598698@news.nts-online.net>...
>
> KUSTOM ELECTRONICS Model HR-8 hand held radar gun for sale.
>This is a 24 GHZ unit that is in good working order. Comes complete
>with carrying case and tuning fork for calibration. You can sure make
>the brake lights come on with this......$100 plus UPS.
>
>Bryan Edwards
>Lubbock, Texas

2768. FS: FT-290RII 2 meter all-mode mobile and MORE!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cliff <ccedar@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <CAeZ1.524$n7.2528689@newse1.twcny.rr.com>
Source record: 127858

Iam asking $300 or B.O. for this all mode 2 meter..On a scale of 1 - 10 ...Its an 11..Its never been mobile and its in MINT condition..It comes with a 25 watt amp that goes on the back of the radio, a carry case, rubber duct ant., battery pack, a mounting bracket,and also the orig.. box and manuals and dtmf hand mic...

I also have a ICOM W31A ht dual band forsale which is also in mint condition..It comes with a slow charger and a rapid drop in charger,It also comes with all manuals and box...Iam asking $250 or B.O.

And last but not least I have a Mirage B5016G 2 meter all mode 50 in and 160 out.And that comes with orig. box a manuals..Iam asking $160 or B.O.

If you have any questions email me at ccedar@yahoo.com ,Iam also looking for a dual band (2m - 70cm) all mode brick thats around 25 in and 160 - 300 out ..I will consider a trade if you have the amp that Iam looking for...That's Cliff..(KC2DNH)..

2769. Re: Kenwood TS-140 / TS-680S Comments

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: f117ab@ameritech.net
Message-ID: <36359ED8.5EF94940@ameritech.net>
Source record: 127859

Aaron,
I own a '680 and find it an excellent performing rig. It is sensitive and has good receive audio. Transmit is clean and the speach processor works properly. I like the full range transmit capability because I use it with transverters. The worst feature of the rig is the slide pots for pwr, mic gain, rf gain, and nb level. Blocking is more prevalent than with a TS-840 so operation on 40M at night is a real challenge unless you use the RF gain control and IF shift features. Overall, the only rig I would replace it with is the new '570SG.
Art

magilla4738@my-dejanews.com wrote:

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>
> Does anyone have comments on the performance of the TS-680S or the TS-140S
> which is the same radio without 6M. I have read a review which claimed that
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> within 20 KHz.
>
> Thanks
> Aaron
> VK6ARN
>
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2770. PLEASE HELP ! mod needed for standard c568a triband ht PLEASE !!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: user66@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981027055849.15823.00001890@ng18.aol.com>
Source record: 127860

I looked on oak and qrz and there's nothing

Need a mod to open tx uhf&vhf and full 800 rx ?
on a standard C568a triband ht
please help !

Andy nn6d nn6d@juno.com

2771. FS CUSHCRAFT R5 ANTENA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gabriel G melo <n1hhf@110.net>
Message-ID: <714cfo$63d$1@stalker.oem.net>
Source record: 127861

LIKE NEW $150.00 WILL SHIP CALL GABE AT 1-401-434-2606

2772. Re: Kenwood TS-140 / TS-680S Comments

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: wokt@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <714iba$b7k$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127862

In article <71427spcf1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
magilla4738@my-dejanews.com wrote:
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> Does anyone have comments on the performance of the TS-680S or the TS-140S
> which is the same radio without 6M. I have read a review which claimed that
> the receiver was sensitive but susceptable to blocking by strong signals
> within 20 KHz.
>
> Thanks
> Aaron
> VK6ARN

I have a TS-680 and an IC-765. Obviously the 765 is a better radio, far
better on CW. For SSB operation the receiver on the 680 is more than
adequate. My main complaint is the use of sliders instead of knobs for some
of the controls. For the money, though, a TS-680 is not bad. BTW, it should
be worth about US $600 from an individual.

Rick

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2773. FS: Used Mobiles and Portables

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pursuit <75313.1154@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <OkE6RYaA#GA.344@nih2naac.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 127863
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,alt.emergency.services.dispatcher,alt.firefighters

I have added several more used radios and parts today at
http://www.pursuitmic.com

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2774. Wanted - Manual - Texas Star Amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Industrial Marketing Associates <imamsn@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <714fl0$2ru@dfw-ixnews5.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 127864

Beg, borrow, steal, copy ????

de John Imajrw@ix.netcom.com

2775. Re: X-10 Problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: rpeebles@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <3635bf37.826469@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 127865
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Tue, 27 Oct 98 03:55:06 GMT, kw1k@funtv.com wrote:

>Hi -
>
>I am considering using X-10 type receivers in my home - anyone have any
>experience, opinions, comments, problems, or general information they might
>share with me?
>
>Tnx es 73
>
>Joe

I found them to GENERATE a lot of RFI, making it unacceptable for me.
IMO, X-10 doesn't coexisit well with weak signals.

73,

Rob

--
Rob Peebles, WD8LXX
Dublin, Ohio

2776. Kenwood PS-52 power supply mint.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michel Morin <morinm@csdgs.qc.ca>
Message-ID: <kLjZ1.354$dB4.24833@carnaval.risq.qc.ca>
Source record: 127866

I have a Kenwood PS-52 power supply in absolute mint condition. Suitable for all radios that use 13.8 volts and it matches in appearance the Kenwood TS-850 and TS- 870 rigs. It currently sells for $269.95 new.

Asking $175. U.S. including shipping and insurance.

Inquire by email if interested.

73 de VE2CJW.
Michel Morin
Quebec, Canada.

2777. Yaesu FT-2500 Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Fetto <mfetto@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3635C8EF.503@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 127867

Looking for mods to the FT-2500, particularly extended transmit. Any help wold be appreciated. Thanks, Mike

2778. Re: Kenwood TS-140 / TS-680S Comments

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jder8745@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981027082913.00102.00000026@ng-fc2.aol.com>
Source record: 127868

Howdy,

I had a TS-680 for 3 yrs before upgrading to a TS-690. I found no problems with the 680. U only get 10 W out on 6 meters, which is more than u need most of the time. I did hv a 100-W brick for it.

You should get the filter if u wanna wrk cw though.

It's a great rig for the money. The 140 is just a 680 w/o 6-m.

73 de Jack, K9CUN

2779. Re: advise on ic-746 anybody...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jwa <jwa@tellabs.com>
Message-ID: <3635CDF5.E3B5984F@tellabs.com>
Source record: 127869

Istvan Agg wrote:

> Hi,
>
> I am planning to purchase an IC-746. The ad sais, it comes with 4
> filters

...

> Can you recommend what filters should I buy. I thought about getting
> the 1.9 KHz BW for 9 MHz, the 500 Hz BW for 9 MHz, and the
> 250 Hz BW for 455 KHz. Is this a good choice?
>
> Your choice is good but I would get the FL-232, 350Hz (9MHz) instead of
> the 250 Hz filter.

The 350 Hz filter is adaquate for CW and can be used for data.

> Also, what is the power need of this beast? Maybe I can use my kenwood
> PS that came with the TS-430S.
>
> I think the Kenwood PS xx analog power supply is much better than the Icom
> switching

supply. The Kenwood connector is compatable with the 746.

> What do you think of the IC-746 in general before I sink in the money?

It's a great radio. It's much better than my former radio, a Kenwood TS-440.

--
Jack Albert WA9FVP
Tellabs Operations Inc.
1000 Remington Blvd Voice (630) 378-6201
Bolingbrook, IL 60440 FAX (630) 378-5790

Get high on Ham Radio and Say 73's to drugs.

2780. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <3635D0E7.2308@ibm.net>
Source record: 127870
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Jones wrote:
> However in my post I was just responding to one
> illogical statement by carrying it to it's logical, illogical,
> conclusion....

It was not an illogical statement. It was a logical statement based on the posting that said that there was not enough HF operators to handle the emergency flooding in Victoria, TX.

The Morse code requirement is keeping otherwise qualified emergency operators off of HF - pure and simple. The Morse code requirement is also keeping otherwise qualified RF/DSP/digital (data and voice) designers off of HF. The Morse code requirement does not filter out troublemakers. IMO, the Morse code requirement does a lot more harm than it does good.

What is wrong with a free choice of modes in a hobby in a free country?
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://people.delphi.com/CecilMoore

2781. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <3635D2AF.5C3F@ibm.net>
Source record: 127871
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Richard Carroll wrote:
> Not hard to find at all, just do a bit of searching and
> read the historical accounts of the New Madrid earthquakes
> of 1811-1821 wherin the earth shook for most of 3 months,
> during which time several quakes of >magnitude 8 occurred.
> Yes, I know...sparse populations and simple uncomplicated
> wooden buildings scattered thinnly throughout the middle of
> the continent in those days kept down the casualty count.
> Today, a replay of that series of events would creat a
> disaster of a magnitude not yet confronted by our disaster
> relief organizations anywhere.

Well, don't stop there, Dick. How about the meteor/comet that wiped out the dinosaurs? Heck, what about the Big Bang? We should force all citizens, not just hams, to learn Morse code in case we have another Big Bang.

Let me get this straight. You are willing to have each and every HF ham be coerced into learning Morse code just in case something happens like it happened 6 generations ago? If you could go back in time and equip all those New Madrid people with CW rigs and Morse code skill, how would it have changed anything?
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://people.delphi.com/CecilMoore

2782. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: hamish@moffatt.nu
Message-ID: <714jlm$3jp$1@emu.cs.rmit.edu.au>
Source record: 127872
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net> wrote:
> If Morse code skill is worth having, it is worth being
> re-tested for at renewal time.

Isn't this true of theory also? Can we all remember everything
in the theory exam? I probably couldn't, and I only took mine two
months ago.

Hamish, studying for CW as time permits.
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Hamish Moffatt VK3TYD hamish@debian.org, moffatt@cs.rmit.edu.au.
Fourth year CSE/CS at RMIT. http://hamish.home.ml.org/ CPOM: [******] 76%
Matter cannot be created or destroyed, nor returned without a receipt.

2783. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Lewis <aa4pb@erols.com>
Message-ID: <3635D67D.EA862F14@erols.com>
Source record: 127873
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

I agree with you here, Cecil. I'm not anti-code, I just don't know (other than satisfying current international agreements) why we need to test for code to get on HF. Why do we test for Morse Code when we don't have a typing test for RTTY or a phonetics test for SSB? As for troublemakers, most of them have their Extra already :-)

W6RCecilA wrote:

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> emergency operators off of HF - pure and simple. The Morse
> code requirement is also keeping otherwise qualified RF/DSP/
> digital (data and voice) designers off of HF. The Morse code
> requirement does not filter out troublemakers. IMO, the Morse
> code requirement does a lot more harm than it does good.
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> What is wrong with a free choice of modes in a hobby in a
> free country?
> --
> 73, Cecil, W6RCA http://people.delphi.com/CecilMoore

2784. WANT TO BUY UNIDEN HR 2510

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: RadioMan <na>
Message-ID: <3635c35e.0@news.busprod.com>
Source record: 127874

I want to buy your Uniden HR 2510 or HR 2600 10 meter radio, New or used,
Please state price and condition. Thank You!
radiobuyer@hotmail.com

2785. Re: Linear Amp on PACTOR, AMTOR, GTOR, and Packet

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Perry Mason <lawdog2@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <3635D962.4F27FD9D@ibm.net>
Source record: 127875

I worked Pactor and RTTY using the Ameritron AL 811A, at about 500 watts. It worked fine without the extra QSK module (it worked even nicer with it). Most but not all amps will be OK QSK wise with Pactor, since the QSK cycle is about 1/sec. However, Amtor is a different thing: you need QSK to handle its faster cycling. But since Amtor is pretty dead, that is no problem.

Pactor is actually better with a linear than RTTY, because the duty cycle is lower, since the linear rests about 1/sec. RTTY is pretty much 100% duty cycle in xmit mode, with a rest only after several minutes. I found Pactor much easier on my linear than RTTY.

My $.02. RJB

W6VZV

"David Ho (AF4BH)" wrote:

> Just wonder if anyone can tell me whether I can use a
> linear amp to do PACTOR, AMTOR, GTOR, and Packet
> on HF. I think that it's obvious that RTTY should be OK
> for most amps, as long as the cooling is sufficient.
>
> I am thinking about getting a 600 - 800 watt class amp.
> However, I don't recall seeing any ad that says the amp
> will support the modes that are mentioned above.
>
> Can QSK option be helpful for the T/R switch demands
> called for by these modes?
>
> If you have any experience, would you please share?
>
> Thanks in advance.
>
> Best 73!
>
> de David Ho, AF4BH
> Covington, KY
> davidho@one.net

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2786. kam

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: noshoot@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <714oefjja1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127876

I have a Kantronics Kam Plus to sell or swap for ham radio equipment.
if anyone is interested in it please email me

noshoot@yahoo.com
noshoot@my-dejanews.com

thanks
noshoot

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2787. Re: Rigs To Survive Nuke War?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rob Kling <rkling@home.com>
Message-ID: <3635DADD.38B856EE@home.com>
Source record: 127877
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have one question. Who operates the radio....?

Are you selling lead suits as well?

Rob Kling

DavidC wrote:

> Well, looks as though we have found just the right protective containers!
> 73, DavidC AA1FA
>
> > For Sale: 4 Aluminum cabinets. Extremely strong, RF gasket front and
> rear.
> > 14.5" high x 14.5" wide x 15.5" deep. $10 each Dave N7BHC
> n7bhc@gateway.net

2788. Help 706MKII programing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: BOB MILLS <k8wx@infinet.com>
Message-ID: <wJIZ1.4118$q5.57007953@news2>
Source record: 127878

I just purchased a 706MKII and built a ic interface so I could load the memory channels with the free software from ICOM.

It does work but the software has no way to enter or download the memory names.

Does anybody know what software might be able to handle this, or is the radio not capable of this? It seems that if you can enter the names from the front panel you should be able to do it with the software.

Any help is appreciated.

K8WX

2789. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: n2ey@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981027103401.12181.00000114@ng31.aol.com>
Source record: 127879

> hamish@moffatt.nu (Hamish Moffatt)
>Date: Tue, Oct 27, 1998 09:00 EST
>Message-id: <714jlm$3jp$1@emu.cs.rmit.edu.au>

wrote:

>In rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net> wrote:
>> If Morse code skill is worth having, it is worth being
>> re-tested for at renewal time.
>
>Isn't this true of theory also? Can we all remember everything
>in the theory exam?

Hello Hamish,

Well, I may not remember everything on the exams I took, but I've always kept my skills and knowledge up to the point that I'd have no trouble passing any of the tests - code or theory. There are some websites that let you take simulated tests - I occasionally visit them, and try my hand. (Yes, I pass!)

I volunter to be retested at any time. No warning, no calculator, just a pencil and the test paper.

>Hamish, studying for CW as time permits.

Good luck in your studies.

73 de Jim, N2EY

2790. Re: X-10 Problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Levstik <donl@sh-gpl.ti.com>
Message-ID: <Pine.HPP.3.91.981027093049.23313A-100000@yoda.sh-gpl.ti.com>
Source record: 127880
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Tue, 27 Oct 1998 kw1k@funtv.com wrote:

> Hi -
>
> I am considering using X-10 type receivers in my home - anyone have any
> experience, opinions, comments, problems, or general information they might
> share with me?
>
> Tnx es 73
>
> Joe
>
>

Hopefully they have improved their reliability. Several years ago I had
many units in use around the house. I had a lot of trouble with the light
dimmer modules going out. These are the modules that replaced your conventional
'in the wall' light switch. I believe I replaced four units in the first year.

We also had some trouble with the various modules triggering on and off during
thunderstorms. As I live in north Texas, this problem was just not acceptable
with our numerous storms during 'tornado season'.

Good luck!

Don Levstik WD5JBC
e-mail: d-levstik@ti.com

2791. Re: Another SB-200 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "T. David Cohen" <tdavid@eatel.net>
Message-ID: <3635EEAF.7E0CF435@eatel.net>
Source record: 127881

Marty, I'm not familiar with the SB-200 but there certainly is a modification to the FL-2100B which also uses 572Bs. The problem with the Russian tubes (if you can call it that) is that the gain is quite a bit higher than the original 572Bs were capable of. In the case of the FL-2100B, the modification, which is very simple, just increases the bias on the tubes and improves stability. Actually, there is a Yaesu service bulletin covering a suggested modification. They recommend that the change be made regardless of what tubes are used.

Good luck, Dave.

Marty Tippin wrote:

> Thinking of dropping a new set of Svetlana 572B's into my SB-200, and
> a local has told me that there are circuit mods that have to be made
> to accomodate the Svet tubes (of course, he offered no specifics as to
> what has to be done).
>
> Fact or hogwash?
>
> 73,
>
> -Marty KIï¿½LO
> martyt@pobox.com

2792. Heathkit Manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gene Robbins <k4vai@msn.com>
Message-ID: <714pcp$r1f$1@holly.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 127882
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Heathkit DX-20, original, 12.00 shipped

Heathkit HW-29 (The Sixer), original Specification Sheet, 3.00 Shipped

Heathkit B-1 Balum Coil, original, 5.00 shipped

Heathkit IB-1102 Frequency Counter, original 12.00 Shipped

All manuals are in very good condition.

Thanks, Gene K4VAI
k4vai@msn.com

2793. WTB: Triband HF XCVR $300-350

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: k3drq@qsl.net
Message-ID: <7150pklh1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127883
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I want to buy a used solid-state HF XCVR transmitting at least SSB and CW including at least 10m, 15m, and 20m for $300-350(price includes fedex or ups s&h). Also, I want the price to include a power supply, VFO, or anything else extra required(except balun, coax, and wire for dipole antennae). If the power supply is an external 12v/13.8v power supply not built in with more than 3A Continuous and 4A Surge, I'll throw the power supply above for free. If you can include more HF bands/6m band in the radio for the price given, that would be greatly appreciated.

However, since I am only 14, I would have to ask for either a month free trial before I buy it or my money back/repairs within 2-4 wks.

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73's, Daniel R. Quintiliani, K3DRQ

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2794. Re: Yaseu Antenna Rotors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: pmb1010@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <714vnvvbo1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127884

Mine seems to "move" around after it's stopped... I was told that
there is no real brake like other rotors. Rotational torque effect...
Also, RF seems to get into mine for some reason, even VHF at high
powers (50-150) will cause it to move 5-8 degrees as I xmit, then
move back to original spot upon unkey... It's grounded, using
shielded rotor cable, shield connected at one end. Other than
that, it seems like ok rotor. Mine's also quit after moving around
a lot (like during VHF contest) and had to rest a few minutes.
For an HF contest, I just point Europe, or South America and move
just slightly, seems to work ok for that.
I was very nervous about tightening down the bolts holding the
mast in place... Aluminum brackets give so slighlty, you don't
know when to stop, short of snapping the bolts/aluminum. They
provide a hole so you can drill thru your mast, and pin in place
so it won't move in the brackets. GS-800SDX.
Vic

> smoother,quieter, and easier to install and align in the tower than a hygain
> is. also less expensive. I replaced a hygain I had with a G-800s a couple
> years ago, and it's worked flawlessly.
>
> Dennis (N1KCL)
> NSn1kcl@worlnet.att.net
> (Items for sale) click below
> http://home.att.net/~n1kcl/
> please remove the (NS) from my email address to reply
>
> John Frank wrote in message <712v8ohmt1@clarknet.clark.net>...
> >
> > Interested in any experiences with the Yaseu antenna rotors.
> >How reliable are they, etc. ? Any comments appreciated.
> >
> >John K3IC

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2795. Re: Yaesu VX-1R Questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: clintbrad4d@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <714vsdvjv1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127885

In article <713ru5$o2l@fletch.fix.net>,
kjsmith@fletch.fix.net (Kirk J. Smith) wrote:

> How many channels does this thing have?

52 "complete" channels - that is, 52 with CTCSS encode/decode and offset capabilities. I have forgotten how many additional channels (at least another 52) are available.

> What kind of bank arrangements?

By "service/band." Although there are modifications that allow you to place more than one band into a bank for scanning. Most of your answers are here:

http://www.icongrp.com/~sllewd/

- Clint Bradford, KE6LCS

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2796. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: brianburke@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <71349rghj1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127968
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <70vfo2$el9$0@208.207.71.158>,
Richard Carroll <w0ex@scan.missouri.org> wrote:
>
>
> Steve Sampson wrote:
> >
> > If you want reliable communications down into the noise where humans
> > can't decipher it, then get a Clover card. The measurement is bits per
> > second decoded. The CW words per minute decoded is a fraction of
> > the Clover capability. If I was at sea in a life raft, I'd rather have a
beacon
> > on Guard then a CW key in my survival kit. The most important thing is
> > location ("It's the location stupid"), location, location... Rescue groups
> > don't really care about anything else.
>
> Whoa. So the rescuers know the location. Until they know
> the details of what happened at that location, they are
> still in the dark as to what the need is and how to best
> handle the response to that need.

Thats right! Thats why our local EMS has 57 different response vehicles for
each kind of emergency. If the good Samaritan that called 911 cannot tell
insulin shock from hypothermia, then too bad for the victim. The wrong kind
of EMS vehicle shows up and the victim expires.

And this has what to do with Morse Code testing?

>
> Dick C
>

Brian/N0iMD
"A pilot without a maintainer is just a pedestrian in really cool sunglasses!"

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2797. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: brianburke@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7134rmhgc1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127969
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <3634352B.1259@nomail.com>,
Jones@nomail.com wrote:
> > Harvey, hate to say I told them so, but I told them this was happening.
> > The code requirement is limiting the number of HF operators available
> > for emergencies. If we are not careful, the code requirement will wind
> > up costing lives instead of saving lives. 73, Cecil, W6RCA
>
> Heck, why don't we just eliminate the whole test altogether. Then we
> would have even more HF ops and save even more lives....
>
>
Jones, just for the record, could you tell us which camp you come from:
pro-code agenda, or no-code test agenda?

You see, so far only the pro-code agenda have suggested doing away with all
the tests.

Thanks,
Brian/N0iMD

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2798. Re: dumb question from a new Ham re: 10m and CB.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: bdiaz@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7135jiini1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127970

In article <36328b76.8528383@news.earthlink.net>,
pat@replyhere.please.com wrote:
> Hi,
>
> I am a new HAM. I have a dumb question:
>
> Since the 10 Meter HF band is so close to the CB band. Does the CB
> radios also do skip and radio wave propagation?
>
> Pls. post replies here.

Yes, when we're at the "upper end" of the solar cycle, DX could be done
in the 10 meter CB Band. However, according to the FCC, CB is not to
be used as a DX Band. Still, I'll bet that a lot of CBers do it anyway.

CB, the No Code HF Band. <smile>

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2799. Re: dumb question from a new Ham re: 10m and CB.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: bdiaz@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <713633jff1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127971

In article <3634909c.9846478@news.earthlink.net>,
pat@nospam.com wrote:
> That leads to my next question. Why bother learning code you I can
> buy a CB radio?

<<< HUMOR MODE >>>

CQ CQ CQ DE BIG BOB, BIG BOB CALLING CQ CQ CQ BIG BOB HERE!

OK, all silly humor aside, I feel that the CB world is very different
that the world of 10 meters. With CB, DX isn't really allowed, but
as a Tech Plus (or higher) DX on 10 meters IS allowed.

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2800. FS: ICOM AT-180 TUNER $350.00 Exc. Cond.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jhulet@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981026190142.03561.00001166@ng123.aol.com>
Source record: 127972

Hello,

I have a AT-180 tuner for sale. Used little, I'm always mobile... Comes in box with connection cable..ready to ship.... COD

$350.00 all catch the shipping...

Jason . Hulet
141 West Harbor Hwy
Maple City, Mi 49664
616-947-5049

2801. FS: Mirage 100w 2M Amp. $125.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jhulet@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981026190309.03561.00001168@ng123.aol.com>
Source record: 127973

Hello,

I have a Mirage 100w 2M Amp for sale. Used little and was paired with a IC-706.

$125.00 I'll ship!

Jason S. Hulet/KC8FXE
141 West Harbor Hwy
Maple City, MI 49664
616-947-5049

2802. Re: Agrelo Engineering DFjr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Puchol Callmeier <mpuchol@NOSPAMM.eurohubner.com>
Message-ID: <71336hnhf1@talia.mad.ibernet.es>
Source record: 127974

Hi,

I have had the DFjr for a few months now, and I'm very happy with the unit. The problem I had was getting it. I ordered in November 1997, and after dozens of emails, phone calls, faxes, etc. I managed to get it. My VISA got charged, and then I heard nothing for five weeks, the answerphone was on all the time.
If I ever got answers it was like "UPS must have lost the parcel" and so on. I guess UPS owes Joe thousands of dollars in lost parcels by now...

Bottom line is: great DF unit, a breeze to set up, and performs real nice, but it will be a tough job (maybe impossible now) to get a new one. Second hand, maybe, but otherways be prepared for a long wait.
If you like to construct, try the Roanoke DF kit, they sell the PCB and you roll your own DF system.

Mike

Toe Jam escribi&#65533; en mensaje <3633CAC3.B11D5E16@remove.all.except.bga.com>...
>> > We have been trying to contact Agrelo Engineering [with negative
results]
>(snip)
>
>> This came up on fox-list. Joe had some health problems over the last few
>> months and this affected the business operations a bit. Joe Moell K0OV
>> (author of the popular RDF book) has the full story, you can write him at
>> homingin@aol.com.
>
>Joe must be fairly busy, as I have written him with the same lack of reply
>I experienced from Agrelo Engineering. Furthermore, I have heard of some
>people with the DFjr product who have experienced problems with the unit's
>operation.
>
>Realizing that Joe's health problems may put an end to new purchases of
>the DFjr, certainly there are some used ones to be found. I wonder if
>anyone reading this thread who has one (or knows someone who has one)
>can comment on their satisfaction of the unit? $400 is a lot of money
>to be spending on a product that will not perform reliably or as
>advertised, so perhaps someone can either dispell the myths or point
>me in another direction of a comparible product.
>
>Many thanks...
>

2803. Dunestar 400-HPF 50$ like new

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: markn7eij@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981026194145.11530.00001818@ng101.aol.com>
Source record: 127975

E-mail for info. mark
Mark N7EIJ DN17NT IDAHO

2804. Re: Yaseu Antenna Rotors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dennis <NSn1kcl@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <7135uq$5se@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 127976

smoother,quieter, and easier to install and align in the tower than a hygain
is. also less expensive. I replaced a hygain I had with a G-800s a couple
years ago, and it's worked flawlessly.

Dennis (N1KCL)
NSn1kcl@worlnet.att.net
(Items for sale) click below
http://home.att.net/~n1kcl/
please remove the (NS) from my email address to reply

John Frank wrote in message <712v8ohmt1@clarknet.clark.net>...
>
> Interested in any experiences with the Yaseu antenna rotors.
>How reliable are they, etc. ? Any comments appreciated.
>
>John K3IC
>
>

2805. Re: dumb question from a new Ham re: 10m and CB.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: brianburke@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <713a0v$ov3$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127977

In article <19981025203821.26675.00000515@ngol05.aol.com>,
wa8ulx@aol.com (WA8ULX) wrote:
>
> In article <710cvphgt1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>, brianburke@my-dejanews.com
> writes:
>
> >Bruce, its a good thing for you that the FCC doesn't require literacy for
> >licensing.
> >
>
> Brian its a good thing for you that the FCC doesnt require any real Testing
>

Bruce, I forgot that you are that last real ham. You took your exam at the FCC where the mean old mens looked over your shoulder and made you nervous. You passed the vibrator power supply and triode questions. They even had you roll a capacitor from a foil lined chewing gum wrapper.

The rest of us are here merely to revere you. Questions are not allowed.

Brian/N0iMD

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2806. Re: dumb question from a new Ham re: 10m and CB.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: brianburke@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <713ad3pko1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127978

In article <710hj1goc1@news-2.news.gte.net>,
"Dan K Nelson" <kf6knb@usa.net> wrote:
> Christopher Zeman, KB9RHA wrote in message ...
> >
> >WA8ULX wrote in message <19981025104433.03423.00000412@ngol02.aol.com>...
> >>
> >>In article <36336C47.5A95@1st.net>, duane olexa <do@1st.net> writes:
> >>
> >>>so instead of trying to drive away hams that are new to the hobby, how
> >>>about a little understanding.
> >>>
> >>>duane wm8n in ohio
> >>>
> >>
> >>How about a little effort on there part to learn some Basic Skills, and I
> >dont
> >>mean learning to memorize a bunch of questions that have no meaning to
> >them.
> >
> >You must be one of those hams that hates no-code techs.
> >You, sir, are one of the pitiful amateur radio operators, not the person
> >asking the question regarding propagation.
> >
> >Christopher Zeman, KB9RHA
> >
> >
>
> Even a no-code Tech should knows about basic radio propagation.
> Additionally, all the information needed to answer his question is easily
> obtainable from severaI web sites and can be located by a simple keyword
> search. I suspect the original post was a troll from the 11 meter crowd.
>
> 73 de KF6KNB
>
>
Dan, and if it was a troll from the 11 meter crowd?
.
They sure got WA8ULX's number! The guy is foaming at the mouth.

Brian/N0iMD

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2807. Create CR-18 Roof Tower + Thrust Bearing + Rotor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: johnwilldo@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981026205107.08741.00001486@ng04.aol.com>
Source record: 127979

Refurbished roof tower with Alinco thrust bearing. It is a tad under 6' and will hold a hy gain rotor. Good for Mosley TA-33, Cushcraft A-3 type antenna systems.....$150.00 for local pick up, Philadelphia, PA.

Also refurbished AR-22 CDE Rotor and Control box.....$150.00

John
KC3OK
H 215 379-8385
W 610 828-1071

2808. Alliance Rotor Question?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rob Kling <rkling@home.com>
Message-ID: <3635286B.10B5F6CE@home.com>
Source record: 127980

I have an old alliance rotor and I do not have the original controller. I would like to know what each of the 4 contacts are. Also the voltage required to drive the motor. I have taken off the cover and noticed that the the 3 and 4 contacts are the poles of a limit switch. I assume that 1, 2 and 3 actually are used to drive the motor? I have tried 40 Volts AC but nothing happened do I need more or did I blow the motor? Please Help?

Rob Kling
N8YBV

2809. WTB: KENWOOD SW-100 POWER/SWR METER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: radioeg@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981026210907.16091.00001688@ng63.aol.com>
Source record: 127981

IN GOOD CONDITION AND AT A REASONABLE PRICE Ed K6EG

2810. U.S. Bay-Gen Radio Importer / Wholesaler?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: pollarda@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <713anp$4fs@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 127982
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Just wondering if anyone knows who is the importer / distibuter for the Bay-Gen Radios for the U.S. If you know who it is, I would love to hear from you as I would like to carry them.

Any help would be very much appreciated,

-Art

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Art Pollard <PollardA@Hawaii.edu>
Moderator for Comp.Theory.Info-Retrieval
List Maintainer for the Hyper-Theory (Hypertext Theory) mailing list.

2811. Collins HF-80 transmitter system

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Carlisle <quatsein@island.net>
Message-ID: <01be0158$3ecb1900$21eb34d1@default>
Source record: 127983

I would like to talk with someone with firsthand expeirence with the
Rockwell / Collins HF-80 transmitter systems.

Steve Carlisle VE7AHL

2812. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Carroll <w0ex@scan.missouri.org>
Message-ID: <713cke$927$0@208.207.71.130>
Source record: 127984
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Bill Sohl wrote:
>
>
> > But lets look at the sort of disaster I'm trained for and
> >much more familar with. What if it's a massive earthquake,
> >stretching over a wide region covering parts of several
> >states involving several major cities?
>
> Sure would be noce to have even one such example
> in history to base your What If on.

Not hard to find at all, just do a bit of searching and read the historical accounts of the New Madrid earthquakes of 1811-1821 wherin the earth shook for most of 3 months, during which time several quakes of >magnitude 8 occurred. Yes, I know...sparse populations and simple uncomplicated wooden buildings scattered thinnly throughout the middle of the continent in those days kept down the casualty count. Today, a replay of that series of events would creat a disaster of a magnitude not yet confronted by our disaster relief organizations anywhere.

Good reading on this subject is a book entitled "On Shaky Ground" by Robert Vance (or Nance, I've loaned out my copy) He goes into very detailed investigation of the many potential seismic hotspots in the USA and it turns out that 39 of the 48 CONUS states are at risk for serious or disastrous earthquake damage. It is very interesting to learn what scientists have discovered over the past few decades of how to determine where earthquakes are due and what level they might be.

They have discovered that a sure way to determine where an earthquake is due on a fault zone is to determine what area has not had one in many years but which lies between two other areas that have had more recent quakes. This is known as the "Seismic Gap" prediction theory. for the "gap" area between areas where more recent events are known to have occurred. Scientists who developed this theory have accurately predicted several quakes using this method including the Mexico City quake, and they say that a massive quake is due at Fort Tejon, on the San Andreas Fault, in the mountains several miles north of Los Angeles, which last experiecnced a large quake in 1857. The next Fort Tejon

quake is sure to pretty well devastate the entire Los
Angeles area, according to their predictions as recounted by
the author. Will all be well with disaster relief in LA when
this happens?

As I noted previosly, we HAVE NOT experienced a full
scale, wide area disaster at any time during the electronic
communications era. No one knows when we will. There have
been some large events, such as Hurricane Andrew where
relief was very late in arriving at many needed locations,
taking a week or more to arrive. Published reports indicate
a lot of disatisfaction with the relief effort by some
survivors who were pretty well left on their own for several
days. Somehow not much was ever published about
communications pertaining to these victims. I wonder why.

> > Literally millions of
> >people can easily be involved, schools, hospitals, nursing
> >homes, other population concentrations are at risk for large
> >numbers of casualties. What does the beacon do for them?

> Probably nothing, but neither does CW on HF.

Certainly not, if no one knows how to use it. And one
would hope it would not be needed even if trained operators
were present and the mode was available for use. But can you
say what will be the situation?

> >How
> >do those persons/entities gearing up for a massive relief
> >movement into the area plan their approach without
> >definitive information as to what the need is, where it is,
> >and at what level?
>
> Surely not by any reliance on some amateur
> radio operator that is on CW.

Really? And how do you know this Bill? Sounds like you're
just convinced that there is no communications ability
whatever in CW.
What do you think it was used for during all those years
when it was THE mode of choice, there being no other?
No bias showing in your opinions is there?

> >Just because a recon aircraft pilot sees
> >what appears to be a damaged hospital may not mean that the
> >need for large relief effort is necessarily required.
>
> In the large scale disastor you fabricate, why do you
> even presume any lack or a total of regular
> communications? Even in the most serious
> of the many earthquakes that have hit in California,

> the loss of communications has been sporadic
> and localized.

I thought you were the guy who is so high on 'Planning'.
What you read here is from extensive planning for just such
an event. One key element is the fact that no resource
within the disaster area can be expected to survive a major
earthquake. Few will survive. All relief must be planned to
come from the outside, and information as to where, what and
how much is vital. Hams within the area effected are
particularily well postioned to provide this vital
information.

If you will do even a LITTLE reading you will soon find
that scientists believe that California has never in the
Modern era experienced anything like a major earthquake
(including the San Franscisco quake of 1906 where by far the
worst of the damage was caused by the ensuing uncontrolled
fires which burned many trapped victims), The state is
certain to experience such a large scale quake at some
unknown time in the future. It could be tonight, anytime or
well into the future. There is no way to accurately predict
when, but the certainty of it occuring is clear.

> >Without communications to define the need and concentrate
> >the relief effort to those spots where it is really needed
> >the worst, poor efficiency and waste of critical
> >effort/resources is sure to occur.
>
> In the large scale disastor you fabricate, why do you
> even presume any lack or a total of regular
> communications? Even in the most serious
> of the many earthquakes that have hit in California,
> the loss of communications has been sporadic
> and localized.

Your 33 RPM LP stuck again Bill?

> >> >Some means of on-site
> >> >communications is still vital for survivers to pass out to
> >> >rescuers this vital information. Errors or ommissions in
> >> >this area are sometimes responsible for huge mistakes in
> >> >relief efforts, negating much that could have otherwise been
> >> >accomplished in a much more timely manner.
> >
> >> Such as?
> >
> > Such as sending large quantities of unneeded
> >supplies/personnel to spots where very few are actually
> >needed, while missing areas where those very resources are
> >critically needed. A tragic waste of limited relief
> >resources. Such as sending a field hospital with staff to an

> >area where with few casualties while an unknown spot with
> >many injured is bypassed. Effective communications helps to
> >preclude these errors.
>
> In the large scale disastor you fabricate, why do you
> even presume any lack or a total of regular
> communications? Even in the most serious
> of the many earthquakes that have hit in California,
> the loss of communications has been sporadic
> and localized.

Redux.

>
> >> > In
> >> >disasters/emergencies, time is always of the essence.
> >> >Nothing is more vital to a relief effort than timely,
> >> >accurate detailed information as to the scope of what
> >> >happened, where and to whom the relief effort should be
> >> >first directed, and why. This information is difficult
> >> >enough to gather in such an event at best, and the lack of
> >> >communications to pass it to the proper officials is a huge
> >> >obstacle. Hams are well positioned to fill this need, with
> >> >VHF/UHF gear, repeaters and nets. HF must often be used to
> >> >then "get the word out".
> >
> >> HF is rarely used in comparison to VHF.
> >
> > Indeed, and that is the very reason for your complacency
> >on this area of communications. Just because we have not
> >needed to handle a quite large disaster in the electronic
> >communications era, we surely will never be called upon to
> >do that, Right?
>
> Yet you can point to nothing in history which takes on
> the widespread scope of any such disastor.

Well, not exactly....I can't help your ignorance of
history nor the fact that you seem to believe all disasters
occurred after the inception of electronic communications
and well before the development of our metropolitian areas
which have almost universally ignored the threat and failed,
until recent times, to institute mitigation rules for
building construction. Most masonary buildings will NOT
survive,only a few which have lately been built specifically
to accomodate the earthquake motion without structural
disintegration.

>
> >> The overall reliability of and actual use of
> >> VHF has been well chronicled in the pages of QST and

> >> CQ magazine.
> >
> > There will always be the need for these resources in all
> >types and sizes of relief efforts. They are the more locally
> >available parts of the system, depending on what parts of
> >the infrastructure survive, amateur and otherwise.
> >
> > The trend is toward "it has always been....." and so
> >we will never need to plan for .....". Nature is
> >fickle and will provide us with plenty of exceptions as time
> >passes.
>
> Of couse nothing seems to fit your scenario since
> the dawn of recorded history.

hehehe...go to the Library and sit awhile, Bill. Take your
reading glasses.

> > The best laid plans never cover nearly all the
> >possibilities, generally just what is expected.
>
> You plan for what has been and what one can reasonably
> expect to be. Such efforts have seemed to serve
> us well so far without any regrets.

Ah, and so it will always be, forevermore. Ahmen.

Dick C

2813. WTS: UT-51

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Samuel Aw <nospam-sacy@pacific.net.sg>
Message-ID: <363715CC.381A53EA@pacific.net.sg>
Source record: 127636

I have about 20 nos. UT-51 Tone Squelch units
selling @ US$5 each (shipping and handling not
included) interested please email me :
sacy@pacific.net.sg

2814. Re: Yaesu FT-2500 Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Danny Hodgin <hodgin@infoave.net>
Message-ID: <3636B014.A0772778@infoave.net>
Source record: 127637

Mike,
Check out mods section at WWW.QRZ.COM

Danny..........KF4DXF

Michael Fetto wrote:

> Looking for mods to the FT-2500, particularly extended transmit. Any
> help wold be appreciated. Thanks, Mike

2815. FS: Yaesu FT-50R w/accessories!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: yung@NOSPAM.lansol.com
Message-ID: <3636b0b2.30882246@news.flashcom.com>
Source record: 127638
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale:

Yaesu FT-50R with original antenna, box, wall charger, manuals, Mod
for out of band RX and TX.
W&W Associates 9.6v 5 watt NiCad battery
Maha 9.6v 5-watt Ni-MH battery
Yaesu CN3 BNC to SMA ant adapter
Maha speaker/mic.
Brand new MJF earbud microphone.
Premier Rd98 SMA "rat" tail" antenna.
Package $350.00 shipped CONUS.

@@@ Remove "NOSPAM" with e-mail replies @@@

2816. Re: Comet Antenna Problems.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@groucho.cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <716kqh$8t7@groucho.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 127639

"WK1V" <jjm@Pshore.net> writes:
>The center pin of the SMA-3 is not compatible with the FT-50. It is not
>long enough and when you bend it you barely make enough contact to hear
>signals.

That must be just *some* SMA-3's. The centre pin of my SMA-3 isn't
any more recessed than the pin of the Yaesu stock antenna. And the
SMA-3 is the best antenna I have for the FT-50 - noticeably better
than the Yaesu one.

Dave

2817. Re: How to filter distance repeaters?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: paarc@lycosmail.com
Message-ID: <3636ee89.22665845@news.camtech.net.au>
Source record: 127640
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Tue, 27 Oct 1998 21:28:36 -0800, Louis Bybee <louisb@datacomm.com>
wrote:

Use a very inefficient antenna or even dummy load for your local work
?????

>If the repeaters are not in the same direction, mount a directional
>antenna with rotor, and pick the repeaters you want to work.
>
>Louis
>
>linda@nospam.com wrote:
>>
>> Hi,
>>
>> my friend just put up a 15' vertical dual band (2m & 70cm) base
>> antenna on the top of my roof. I live on top of a mountain. The good
>> news is that the antenna works good. Maybe too good!?
>>
>> Not only do I pick up all our local repeaters, I now also pickup the
>> repeaters that's on the same frequency 60 miles, 120+ miles away!
>> When I tried to listen to our local repeaters frequency, I get a lot
>> of traffic and I cannot tell who is on which repeater.
>>
>> Question: How does one filter out distance repeaters with the same
>> frequency (if some don't have PL output)?
>>
>> I have this problem with almost all the local repeaters I use?!! I am
>> currently using a Yaesu mobile as a base.
>>
>> Linda
>>
>> Please post your replies here as I do not yet have e-mail.

2818. FS KENWOOD TS 440AT LIKE NEW

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gabriel G melo <n1hhf@110.net>
Message-ID: <716ruhdon1@stalker.oem.net>
Source record: 127641

$600.00 1-401-434-2606

2819. HF\VHF gear For Sale:

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Murray Neece" <kc5mdm@iglobal.net>
Message-ID: <3636F5CE.A40984D7@iglobal.net>
Source record: 127642
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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......Knwd TS 50S with manual mobile tuner(MFJ) $675 shipped
conus::::::Icom 725...super mobile radio and nice shape$495 shipped
conus::::::::::::::Yaesu FT 900at , good shape, complete factory stock
$875 Shipped conus:::::::::::::: Kenwood TS 711a with tone, extremely
nice $625 shipped conus:::::::::::: Icom IC 3200A...2M/440 with
tone $275 shipped conus::::::::::::Kenwood TS 2570 with tone, high
power! $295 shipped..::::::::::::::TEN TEC Corsair II, excellent with
matching ps\spkr $675.oo shipped conus::::::: LOOK !!! Kenwood TS
670S....6 meters plus 10, 12, 15 (17 can be added instead of 15 so I am
told) in good shape but no manual (pretty simple rig but manuals are
available elsewhere) $575 shipped conus.....:::::::::::: MFJ 986 tuner
excellent condition in orig box $195 shipped conus:::::::Heathkit SB
220 amps, have 2, one loaded with measures mods at $550 plus shipping,
one completely original at $500 plus shipping.....Also have good 8874
tubes for sale... one new one at $225...several 100% pulls at $185
shipped, gauranteed....Thanks Murray DONT FORGET ODESSA, TEXAS
hamfest on Nov.7th and join us on the CONTINENTAL TRADERS NET, Sunday
nites at 7:30 central on 3.922......Also a good swap on fri nite at
3.870 -----7:30 central and another on Sunday after noons 1:00 PM
central on 7.235
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2820. TenTec OMNI A and Digital readout

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: d_perrin@conknet.com
Message-ID: <7170hv$s6o$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127643

For sale or trade a Ten Tec OMNI A, series B analog
readout HF transceiver. It is in excellent condition with
the manual. It has a new dial cord and recent PTO rebuild,
which makes the tuning silky smooth. Up to 200 Watts input.
Includes the Ten Tec model 244 external digital readout.
Will separate.
Includes Astatic D-104 mic with G/stand.
Station works super and looks excellent.
Swap toward a recent Ten Tec Scout, or other small HF xcvr.
Or sell.
73 de Dave in NH

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http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2821. FS Icom 275H & 475H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: #fleet@mbl.edu
Message-ID: <#fleet-2810980727060001@pom1.mbl.edu>
Source record: 127644
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have forsale the 275H and 475H, the 275 is 100W out and the 475 is 75W
out. both are in exc. cond.
275 is 800.00 shipped
475 is 875.00 shipped lower 48
CT16 Satilite interface for 75.00 shipped.

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Do not autoreply, remove # sign from email address to respond

Barry Fleet K1SWR
Cape Cod MA

2822. Re: Comet Antenna Problems.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: WK1V <jjm@Pshore.net>
Message-ID: <iHDZ1.590$dP4.113010@news.shore.net>
Source record: 127645

Dave Martindale wrote in message <716kqh$8t7@groucho.cs.ubc.ca>...
>"WK1V" <jjm@Pshore.net> writes:
>>The center pin of the SMA-3 is not compatible with the FT-50. It is not
>>long enough and when you bend it you barely make enough contact to hear
>>signals.
>
>That must be just *some* SMA-3's. The centre pin of my SMA-3 isn't
>any more recessed than the pin of the Yaesu stock antenna. And the
>SMA-3 is the best antenna I have for the FT-50 - noticeably better
>than the Yaesu one.
> Dave

Hi Dave,

I use an SMA-3 for my IC-T21A and I agree it is a great antenna. I may be incorrect in reference to the FT-50 now that I think about it...it might be one of those thin skinny flexible antennas that has the pin problem I was thinking of.

Sorry about that. Brain is taking a break.

2823. Re: radio transmission "fingerprinting" ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: WK1V <jjm@Pshore.net>
Message-ID: <eLDZ1.591$dP4.113001@news.shore.net>
Source record: 127646

Toe Jam wrote in message <36342972.FA5F3C67@remove.all.except.bga.com>...
>Someone I spoke to recently mentioned a device selling in the
>mid-hundreds that takes a "print" of a received signal for later
>comparrison, etc. Apparently similar to 'voice printing', this
>device can log radio transmissions and you can identify each
>one -then if they ever key up again, you can tell who they are
>just from the transmission "print."
>
>In fact, the guy mention that Ham Radio Outlet may have them
>(he thinks remembers seeing them there) and I tried looking
>at their site but cannot locate this device. Hopefully someone
>out there knows what I am trying to describe and can point
>me in the right direction.
>Many thanks,
>Chris

I go to Ham Radio Outlet New Hampshire once a week and can tell you they
don't have them Chris. Sorry.

2824. Re: radio transmission "fingerprinting" ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alan Glashan <alan.glashan@dundee.ncr.com>
Message-ID: <01be026e$b2c70c80$af014999@user>
Source record: 127647

I have seen this advertised in QST about a year ago. It was in one of the
smaller adverts - (about75mm by 35mm).
I don't get QST so I cannot look it up as it was a copy a friend had got
hold of.
I recollect it was a PC plug in card and cost around 400 dollars (?)
Great for identifying the repeater jammers!

Alan GM4JCM
Toe Jam <toejam@remove.all.except.bga.com> wrote in article
<36342972.FA5F3C67@remove.all.except.bga.com>...
> Someone I spoke to recently mentioned a device selling in the
> mid-hundreds that takes a "print" of a received signal for later
> comparrison, etc. Apparently similar to 'voice printing', this
> device can log radio transmissions and you can identify each
> one -then if they ever key up again, you can tell who they are
> just from the transmission "print."
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> In fact, the guy mention that Ham Radio Outlet may have them
> (he thinks remembers seeing them there) and I tried looking
> at their site but cannot locate this device. Hopefully someone
> out there knows what I am trying to describe and can point
> me in the right direction.
>
> Many thanks,
> Chris
>
>

2825. Need manual for TR-7400!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frank Krozel <frank@electronicinstrument.com>
Message-ID: <7175d2$bbp@dfw-ixnews6.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 127648

I got a radio from a *nice* guy on the Internet, and the volume and squelch pots are busted OFF!! Now need to fix the darn thing, but the manual was of course, not included. Yet,,, another Internet *best buy*! Frank KG9H

2826. Icom UT-67 tone squelch unit - $30

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steven Ross <stevenross@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <36371912.21A8F4EF@earthlink.net>
Source record: 127649

shipped conus.

Steve Ross, N1IBS

2827. Icom UT-67 - $30

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steven Ross <stevenross@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <363719AC.4EE0C499@earthlink.net>
Source record: 127650

tone squelch unit shipped conus

Steve Ross

2828. Re: ICOM UT-106 DSP UNIT INSTALLATION

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: ken simmons <ksimmons@jempac.com>
Message-ID: <363726FF.7CF825DE@jempac.com>
Source record: 127651

Yes you must carefully pass the cable thru and the connector is the careful part, use a small plastic tool to guide the connector around the clamp etc. and it will pass thru ok.
Ken K5UHF

2829. NEEDED: RADIO TECH FOR MD/VA/DC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: kleptein@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <3637306e.76377961@news.snip.net>
Source record: 127652
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.cb

Presently seeking a qualified communications technician to join a team which services 140+ transmitters in the MD/VA/DC market for a national paging company.

Qualified individual should be proficient in communications systems, EXCELLENT Communication and Organizational skills, and be able to work for long periods unsupervised.

EXCELLENT ($$$) SALARY Offered and a full range of benefits including: 401(k), Stock Purchase Plan, Bonuses.

If you, or someone you know is qualified please reply via E-MAIL. Looking to fill this position ASAP.

2830. Re: Wanted - Manual - Texas Star Amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Industrial Marketing Associates <imamsn@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <717bnu$ssh@sjx-ixn5.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 127653

In article <714fl0$2ru@dfw-ixnews5.ix.netcom.com>,
Industrial Marketing Associates <imamsn@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
>Beg, borrow, steal, copy ????
>
>de John Imajrw@ix.netcom.com
>
Make that BUY, beg, borrow, steal, copy ??????

2831. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Plourde <n1sjm@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <OHw#nYoA#GA.257@upnetnews03>
Source record: 127654
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

DavidC wrote in message <01be022e$e1f91060$cc8492d0@davidc.bit-net.com>...

|Well, the FCC proposal looks as though it will result in an entry-level
|license that will include HF voice on 10m. This being the case we know
|that most will buy a 160-10m, 160-6m, or older 80-10m HF rig with every
|intention of upgrading. Meanwhile they will learn HF operating on 10m and
|posses the necessary rig with which they are familiar enough to be useful
|in an emergency.

|
|And we should run regular emergency preparedness Nets, and perhaps a big
|traffic-handling contest, on 10m to be sure.
|
|Let's press the FCC to "make it so"! 73, DavidC AA1FA

What are you talking about? We can save our cab fare, we're already there. We have three entry level licenses and two have have 10 meter phone privileges.

The problem is Novices and Tech Pluses are repeatedly excluded from ALL your emergency preparedness festivities. You could have been doing this all along.

73 de Dick, N1SJM

2832. Re: Yaseu Antenna Rotors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dennis <NSn1kcl@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <717ckf$aqp@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 127655

>Also, RF seems to get into mine for some reason, even VHF at high
>powers (50-150) will cause it to move 5-8 degrees as I xmit, then
>move back to original spot upon unkey

mine moved also at first but after making a good ground to a ground bus which has all equipment connected, it's solid. also mine does't move at all even during high winds. I also received a direct lightning hit last year which blew a 2 mtr vertical apart (the 2mtr is above my tri-band hf antenna) and the rotator was not affected. in fact i have a globe with a light in it right next to the control box and the lightning hit was so severe that it arced from the ground stap to the ac cord (or visa-versa) , melted the ac cord blew the light bulb in the globe out and burnt the ground strap.

or course my hf,vhf/uhf rigs got wiped out along with a tnc,computer,a couple phones, various lighting fixtures, a refrigerator and on and on, but my Yaesu rotator still works and was unaffected.

Dennis (N1KCL)
NSn1kcl@worlnet.att.net
(Items for sale) click below
http://home.att.net/~n1kcl/
please remove the (NS) from my email address to reply

2833. WTB: Dualband Base Ant. 144/440MHz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: rjb@interactive.net
Message-ID: <3638605f.412064472@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 127656

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WTB: DualBand Base Ant.
144/440MHz
Reply email with model and price.
Thanks,Rich.
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2834. Re: A tough choice - ts-570sg, ft-920 or the ic-746.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: cookt@ouvaxa.cats.ohiou.edu
Message-ID: <F1JMAx.9xn@boss.cs.ohiou.edu>
Source record: 127657

In article <36364B56.C8F@zk3.dec.com>, corbin <corbin@zk3.dec.com> writes:
>I just passed my General license exam this past weekend
>and now I'm looking to get my first radio. I have come
>down to 3 choices: the Kenwood TS-570SG, the Yaesu FT-920
>or the ICOM IC-746. It is a difficult choice and I just
>keep wavering among them. I expect that I would be using
>the rig for CW predominately but who knows what I'll get
>into in the future.
>
>Help me out here! Tell me why you like your rig (one of
>the above) and what made you choose it over others.
>
>- steve

Congratulations Steve, I hope you enjoy ham radio as much as
I do. I don't know much about the new rigs but if I were you
I'd buy a Ten-Tec. They a 30 day money back deal if you don't
like it, and I would give anything for a new Ten-Tec. Good Luck
with your choice.

Tim Cook WB8BCO

2835. SALE: ALL M&TE 30 PERCENT OFF ALREADY LOW PRICES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: ValueRocket Labs <labNOSPAM@valuerocket.com>
Message-ID: <kQGZ1.758$fl.9342099@audrey2.cais.com>
Source record: 127658

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M&TE: http://www.valuerocket.com/gear.html
MICROWAVE: http://www.valuerocket.com/microwave.html

As always, full refunds on all equipment within 30 days.
Prices do not include shipping, handling and insurance.
Best Regards and Thanks! - VR Labs

EMail labNOSPAM@valuerocket.com

Remove NOSPAM tag to reply.
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2836. Icom 2710 Mod Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: n1xbd@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <717gklhre1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127659

Hi
Looking for Icom 2710 radio modification and any software available.
Also looking for cross band repeating commands.

Regard's
N1XBD
Jim
You can email me at jacraver@ra.rockwell.com

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2837. Re: Mobile antenna placement?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Carroll <w0ex@scan.missouri.org>
Message-ID: <717dim$7pd$0@208.207.71.167>
Source record: 127660

What frequency band? What mode? Intermittant continuous
duty FM/AM or limited duty cycle SSB service? You have to
know these things to do a valid evaluation of the RF hazard.
Personally in MY case, I don't worry about mobile activity.
It's always a good practice to hold the power level down to
that necessary to complete the desired communication, even
if it were not spelled out in the regulations to do so.

Dick W0EX

Tony Szablowski wrote:
>
> Folks, I've got a 75W, but probably pushing 80W, Kenwood mobile.
> I have it mounted on the rear trunk lip of the car, about 3.5' - 4'
> away from the driver. What's the health risks with this scenario?
> Should I NOT keep the antenna there? Thanks.
> --
> Regards,
> Tony

2838. 11C90DC prescaler chip $15

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: hduff@ica.net
Message-ID: <363739c3.0@lightning.ica.net>
Source record: 127661

I have an unused 11C90DC prescaler chip
for sale...I'd like to get $15 for it.

email hduff@ica.net
DO NOTAUTOreply

2839. Re: Mobile antenna placement?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tony Szablowski <aszablowski@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <717f0u$j95@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 127662

Toe Jam wrote in message
<3634202C.63E08DD7@remove.all.except.bga.com>...
>Although I don't have a good answer for you, I can add that I
>HOPEit's ok, since one car I drive extensively has a 1/2 wave (or
>maybe it's 5/8 wave) whip center-mounted on the trunk lid, being
>pushed by a 100 watt VHF transceiver.

<G> I hope so too, for both our sakes!
--
Regards,
Tony

2840. Re: Mobile antenna placement?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tony Szablowski <aszablowski@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <717f96$k66@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 127663

Tom Currie wrote in message <36366A4A.430@worldnet.att.net>...
<SNIP!!>

>You might want to move the antenna to get better performance, but
>certainly not from any fear of exposure to RF.
>Incidentally, the best location for the antenna performance is
virtually
>the same as the position giving lowest radiation exposure -- Top
>Dead Center of the roof.

I considered that but this being a new Honda and I don't want to cut any holes or use mag mounts on it. I plan on trading it in in a year or two. I considered using a glass-mount but I've heard more bad than good about UHF(400-500MHz) ones. So, the next best thing was the trunk-lip mount. I'd rather have the roof-mount though.
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Regards,
Tony

2841. Re: Another SB-200 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alexander Poliakov <ka2r@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <#7K2k0oA#GA.157@upnetnews03>
Source record: 127664

>> -> Thinking of dropping a new set of Svetlana 572B's into my SB-200, and a
>> -> local has told me that there are circuit mods that have to be made to
>> -> accomodate the Svet tubes (of course, he offered no specifics as to what has
>> -> to be done).
>> ->
>> -> Fact or hogwash?
>> ->
>> -> 73,
>> ->
>> -> -Marty KI+LO
>> -> martyt@pobox.com

Visit http://www.svetlana.com/docs/TechBulletins/appnoteNO.15.html .
No mods have to be made for SB-200.

73, KA2R.

2842. Re: WTD: FT-51R & ADAMS HELP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Jack T.Dragon" <tdragonn@blarg.net>
Message-ID: <363744FB.448E@blarg.net>
Source record: 127665
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Michael Smith wrote:
>
> I need to know what the fix is for allowing Adams-1d (version.24) to enter
> any freq...? If I enter a freq.. outside the FT-51R's band plan it tells me
> to enter a valid receive freq... I use to know how to do this, I thought I
> had to add a line to the yaesu.ini file.

With my ft-50, I added teh line to my win.ini file (where my adms software
stores it's settings) AllowAnyFrequency=1. Here's what I have in my win.ini file:

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[FT-50 Programmer]
DataDir=C:\YAESU\FT-50
AllowAnyFrequency=1
Calibrate=7636
Com=2
TemplateFile=C:\YAESU\FT-50\TEMPLATE.TPL
UseTemplate=1
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Yes, it's not the ft-51, but hopefully it'll help.
However, even with it switched from a 0 to a 1, I haven;'t noticed any
difference, I still can't program cell, below 76mhz, or 200-299.995 mhz. I'm pretty
sure this didn't do anything. :(I wonder what this setting does, or if there's a
setting to let you truly enter in any frequency.

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/--------------------------+--------------------------\
-=Jack the TechnoDragon=-	Please remove the second,
a.k.a.	anti-spamming N from the
-=Jack T.Dragon=-	end of tdragon in my
tdragonn@blarg.net	address to respond.
+--------------------------+--------------------------+

2843. AL-572

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: sac40@dimoni.com
Message-ID: <3637424f.6733456@news.vlc.servicom.es>
Source record: 127666

I'm considering buying a Ameritron AL-572 amplifier. I'd like
to know if anybody knows if, when one of this four tubes fails, one
must change one, two or the four tubes.

Thanks in advance! 73,

Fidel Leon - EA3GIP
sac40@dimoni.com

Fidel Leon - EA3GIP
sac40@dimoni.com

2844. Info re. SSTV-ATV & Sound Card etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: DavidC <davidc@bit-net.com>
Message-ID: <01be0293$138e6620$a98492d0@davidc.bit-net.com>
Source record: 127667
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.packet,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I think you will find what you need, and a whole lot more, at these sites:

http://www.siliconpixels.com/
http://www.qsl.net/wb6izg/
http://www.ultranet.com/~sstv/
http://www.ultranet.com/~sstv/faq.html
http://dijon.nais.com/~jaffejim/
http://www.intranet.ca/~ve3esz/mfj1278.htm
http://www.teleport.com/~nb6z/
http://www.interlog.com/~saturn/david/links/interfaces.htm
http://users.icanect.net/~rlehman/
http://users.neca.com/warych/narcact3.htm
http://www.links2go.com/more/http:/ns.netmcr.com/~SSTV/
http://www.nwnet.co.uk/dexter/link.html
http://sstv.home.mindspring.com/index.html
http://www.cdc.net/~bammbamm/sstv.html
http://www.qsl.net/wu2m/SSTV.HTM
http://www.ladas.com/ATN/

Oh, and this one just because it has a fun midi and incredibly fascinating technology!
http://home3.swipnet.se/~w-33382/

73, DavidC AA1FA

2845. SALE: ALL M&TE 30 PERCENT OFF ALREADY LOW PRICES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: ValueRocket Labs <labNOSPAM@valuerocket.com>
Message-ID: <_4IZ1.773$fl.9378472@audrey2.cais.com>
Source record: 127668

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Best Regards and Thanks! - VR Labs

EMail labNOSPAM@valuerocket.com

Remove NOSPAM tag to reply.
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2846. WTB: Yaesu SP-5 Speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ameritech <bhackett@ic.net>
Message-ID: <RfIZ1.12305$53.23821236@nntp0.detroit.mi.ameritech.net>
Source record: 127669

If anyone would like to sell me a Yaesu SP-5 speaker, please let me know.
Send email to bhackett@ic.net or call my work at (734) 996.5750.

Thanks

Brian, WV1R

2847. WTB: Yaesu YF110CN 250 Hz Filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ameritech <bhackett@ic.net>
Message-ID: <ehIZ1.12306$53.23821896@nntp0.detroit.mi.ameritech.net>
Source record: 127670

If anyone has the YF110CN CW filter for a Yaesu FT1000D and would like to sell it, please let me know. My email is bhackett@ic.net or call me at work at (734) 996-5750.

Thanks

Brian, WV1R

2848. alinco DR-130

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: noshoot@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <717ntnths1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127671

I am wanting to hook my private patch V (autopatch) to my alinco DR-130 mobile rig. where is the discriminator tie-in located on the DR-130??
is there a layout somewhere on the web that can help me with this??

thanks
noshoot

noshoot@yahoo.com
noshoot@my-dejanews.com

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2849. Re: Comet Antenna Problems.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@groucho.cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <717kvi$99v@groucho.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 127672

"WK1V" <jjm@Pshore.net> writes:
>I use an SMA-3 for my IC-T21A and I agree it is a great antenna. I may be
>incorrect in reference to the FT-50 now that I think about it...it might be
>one of those thin skinny flexible antennas that has the pin problem I was
>thinking of.

I've got a Comet SMA-503, one of those thin "rat tail" antennas and it
works well too. Better than the stock antenna, not quite as well as
the SMA-3. But its "rib poking" factor is much less, so it's the
antenna that's on the FT-50 about 90% of the time.

I have heard about problems with some other antenna, maybe a Diamond one,
and its centre pin not making contact. This seems very strange - after
all, an SMA is a standard connector with standardized dimensions.

Dave

2850. New maha-rexon dual band ht EXPOSED !! look@@!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: user66@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981028124115.27114.00000470@ng113.aol.com>
Source record: 127673

The new maha-rexon RL 501 2m/440 HT is an exact copy of :

standard c 558a !!!!!!!

only maha includes (optional on standard) 200ch memory and pl decode

c558 is a very high quality radio with a trully excellent receiver

I hope maha-rexon didn't mess it up...

they have pictures www.maha-comm.com

Andy (not associated with either one)

2851. Re: radio transmission "fingerprinting" ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Pemble <pemble@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <717l80$srt@dfw-ixnews10.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 127674

QST carried ads for a board called TxID-1 - Transmitter FingerPrinting
System
$699.00

They can be reached at:

http://www.motron.com

Motron Electronics
310 Garfield St. Suite 4
P.O. Box 2748
Eugene, Oregon 97402
541-687-2118

Cheers

Rick W4RP

Toe Jam wrote in message <36342972.FA5F3C67@remove.all.except.bga.com>...
>Someone I spoke to recently mentioned a device selling in the
>mid-hundreds that takes a "print" of a received signal for later
>comparrison, etc. Apparently similar to 'voice printing', this
>device can log radio transmissions and you can identify each
>one -then if they ever key up again, you can tell who they are
>just from the transmission "print."
>
>In fact, the guy mention that Ham Radio Outlet may have them
>(he thinks remembers seeing them there) and I tried looking
>at their site but cannot locate this device. Hopefully someone
>out there knows what I am trying to describe and can point
>me in the right direction.
>
>Many thanks,
>Chris
>

2852. FS: IC820H $750

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al <K6DJP@postoffice.pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <36375990.46A76AB5@postoffice.pacbell.net>
Source record: 127675
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Radio is in excellent condition,and is an all mode 2 mtr and 440 radio.
Al

2853. Re: Icom 2710 Mod Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: user66@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981028130259.10403.00000674@ng114.aol.com>
Source record: 127676

Never heard abt any software ...

x band

set desired freq, tone offset etc.

PRESS [VHF] AND [UHF] MAIN KNOBS
AND THE [SET L] KEYAT THE SAME TIME (an 'L' will appear on display)

FOR ZERO HANG TIME ALSO PRESS
[LOW] KEY WITH THE ABOVE THREE KEY COMMAND

TO EXIT X BAND - PRESS [SET]

You'll need three hands to press all these buttons at the same time

The other way:
to do it remotelly from your ht or other radio:

first manually set 2710 to "remo" mode by pushing [dtmf] button several times

than:

to enter remote mode tx on your ht the following:
B+XXX+#

(where xxx is your previously chosen password <see manual >)

X BAND on: B+XXX+#+DB*

X band off : B+XXX+#+B*

exit remote mode: B*

You can also change freq's and memories remotelly

BUT FOR <ANY> !!!!!!!!! REMOTE OPERATION YOU MUST HAVE UT-49
MODULE INSTALLED.

Andy nn6d

2854. Re: Another SB-200 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: martyt@pobox.com
Message-ID: <36376263.175933178@news.supernews.net>
Source record: 127677

On Wed, 28 Oct 1998 11:07:50 -0500, "Alexander Poliakov"
<ka2r@email.msn.com> wrote:
>Visit http://www.svetlana.com/docs/TechBulletins/appnoteNO.15.html .
>No mods have to be made for SB-200.

Thanks! That's exactly the kind of reponse I was looking for - I
hadn't considered looking for such tech notes on the Svetlana web
site...

Now that I know it's no big deal to drop the Svetlana's in, all I have
to do is weasel some $$$ from the XYL and I'm all set... ;-)

Thanks to all who responded!

73,

-Marty KIï¿½LO
martyt@pobox.com

2855. Re: Mobile antenna placement?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jones <Jones@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <36376DC2.3BC6@nomail.com>
Source record: 127678

> Folks, I've got a 75W, but probably pushing 80W, Kenwood mobile.
> I have it mounted on the rear trunk lip of the car, about 3.5' - 4'
> away from the driver. What's the health risks with this scenario?
> Should I NOT keep the antenna there? Thanks Tony

I think you have more to worry about at VHF/UHF than at HF. My
hamstick is mounted on a trunk lip mount also. The rear window has
heater wires which probably give some shielding. My mother-in-law
used to ride in the back seat before she died. I sometimes wonder...

2856. Re: radio transmission "fingerprinting" ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jones <Jones@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <36376FC5.6F5F@nomail.com>
Source record: 127679

> QST carried ads for a board called TxID-1 - Transmitter FingerPrinting
> System
> $699.00

Hurry, they are on sale for 3 more days for $499...

http://www.motron.com/products/180.info.html

2857. WTB: J-38 key

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: steve.rimsa@alliedsignal.com
Message-ID: <36376a85.18599362@news.mto.allied.com>
Source record: 127680

Hello!

I am trying to find an old J-38 war surplus straight key to replace one that was lost during my college years. This key was originally affixed to a black bakelite base plate which could be reversed to provide a sturdy platform. If you have one you would consider parting with please email me.

Thanks for reading!

Steve

srimsa@eclipse.net

2858. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <363774B1.6CF4@ibm.net>
Source record: 127681
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Bob Lewis wrote:
> I agree with you here, Cecil. I'm not anti-code, I just don't know
> (other than satisfying current international agreements) why we need
> to test for code to get on HF. Why do we test for Morse Code when we
> don't have a typing test for RTTY or a phonetics test for SSB? As
> for troublemakers, most of them have their Extra already :-)

Hi Bob, I'm pro-code and anti-code-test. CW is my favorite mode but
I do not believe it admits one to ham heaven although it is used
as a requirement to admit one to ham heaven-on-earth.
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73, Cecil, W6RCA http://people.delphi.com/CecilMoore

2859. Re: WTB: Dualband Base Ant. 144/440MHz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Repstad <rcc@together.net>
Message-ID: <36377496.2CC685F8@together.net>
Source record: 127682

Hi Rich,

Arrow Antenna makes a real nice solid aluminum J-Pole, I love mine works great and they are very inexpensive. You can check them out at: http://hometown.aol.com/Arrow146/index.html

--Tom
KB1CGA

RJB wrote:

> WTB: DualBand Base Ant.
> 144/440MHz
> Reply email with model and price.
> Thanks,Rich.

2860. Re: AL-572

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Eckhardt <dave_eckhardt@hp.com>
Message-ID: <363773E8.6F32@hp.com>
Source record: 127683

Fidel Leon wrote:
>
> I'm considering buying a Ameritron AL-572 amplifier. I'd like
> to know if anybody knows if, when one of this four tubes fails, one
> must change one, two or the four tubes.
>
> Thanks in advance! 73,
>
> Fidel Leon - EA3GIP
> sac40@dimoni.com
>
> Fidel Leon - EA3GIP
> sac40@dimoni.com

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I don't own the Ameritron amp, but do use four paralleled 572B tubes on 160-meters. For best performance, all four should be matched. However, I now have two new tubes in the amp. Both are Chinese. One has a rated gain of 80 while the other has 60. I have no idea what the other two old tubes come in at. When one burns out, the output just decreases appropriately with a slight increase in input SWR. It just keeps on working at reduced output. I have tried it with two tubes, and just less output with higher input SWR. Of course, with two of four tubes operational, the design begins to depart from optimum. You'll start losing in a hurry between 3 of 4 and 2 of 4 tubes, but it works.

Dave - W6LEV

2861. Re: A tough choice - ts-570sg, ft-920 or the ic-746.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: adam@onramp.net
Message-ID: <MPG.10a13369b4262d48989692@news.onramp.net>
Source record: 127684

In article <36364B56.C8F@zk3.dec.com>, corbin@zk3.dec.com says...
> I just passed my General license exam this past weekend
> and now I'm looking to get my first radio. I have come
> down to 3 choices: the Kenwood TS-570SG, the Yaesu FT-920
> or the ICOM IC-746. It is a difficult choice and I just
> keep wavering among them. I expect that I would be using
> the rig for CW predominately but who knows what I'll get
> into in the future.

Congratulations, Steve. As others have told you, it is a tough choice between those radios. I bought a Kenwood (570D, non-G model), but my reasoning was based entirely on cost and availability. If I were you, I would keep a close on on this group, and rec.radio.swap, and try to find any of these rigs on sale secondhand. Or, you might consider the TS-570S (not the G model) from Texas Towers or most other outfits - there is a generous coupon offer on the non-G models that saves several hundred dollars.

All of that being said, I will give you some opinions about the 570D. I have been more than satisfied with the radio. I use it predominantly for CW work, although I work perhaps 15% phone and 5% digital with it. I would wish for better selectivity in some cases, although the slope controls will allow some fine tuning in crowded conditions. The built in DSP filters are, IMO, very good for CW and less than optimal for SSB. They do a very good job quieting static and garbage for CW. I have also installed the optional 270 hz CW filter, which has limited usefulness. In most cases, the built in DSP is fine, but there are circumstances when the add in filter is very helpful. It will start ringing pretty badly at 200 hz, but there are times when that is the only way to dig a signal out of QRM (like 40 meters at night). Audio quality is OK, although not as good as the R-5000 shortwave receiver I sold to buy the TS-570. Controls are probably average in their ease of use; they certainly take some experience, but there are a number of functions and they have to be controlled somehow. <shrug> They really aren't any worse than the R-5000 the rig replaced.
One thing I do wish I had was 6 meter and 2 meter capability on the rig. The 570S you are considering will do 6 meter, although I can't comment on it (not having the experience, you see). I think the IC-746 is supposed to have 2 meter capability, that would be a major selling point for me. In fact, I was looking for that rig or the FT-847 on the newsgroups, but nobody was selling them at the time.
In the end, though, it will come down to your opinion. Go someplace and check them out. If you do decide on the Kenwood, you will likely be happy with it. They can't compare to the very high end rigs, but then again, you won't go broke buying one, either. Also, I would

definitely suggest purchasing used. HF rigs are like cars, the depreciation once you get it out of the showroom is murder.

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Adam Adkins, KM5SS
adam@onramp.net

2862. Yaesu FT-847

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard <tbolt@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <36377A0E.D2281EE7@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 127685
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

YAESU-FT-847 As New with Automatic antenna tuner. 160-10 meters/ 2 meters/ 70 cm.. All Mode XCVR, DSP, Satellite Ready.. All Manuals, Box, Etc. Etc... Beautiful Radio.. To large for my new car... Price $1595.00 and w/help with shipping.. Tnx

2863. Re: ADI AT-600?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: harris@hazeltine.com
Message-ID: <71846g$ht8$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127686

In article <6vtip3$l69$1@autumn.news.rcn.net>,
"Mike N2OX" <globalcm@erols.com> wrote:
> Does anyone have any opinions on the AT-600?
> Is it the Radio Shack HTX 204 in disguise?
> What is the average going price?
>
> Mike N2OX
> Long Island, NY
>
> --
> http://www.qsl.net/mid-islandarc
> http://members.aol.com/kg2mmike/n2ox/webpage.html
>
>
Hi Mike,

It got a very good review in QST. It is made in Taiwan and is essentially the same as the RS unit. There are various firmware versions, some of which allow mods via the keypad.

Check out http://members.aol.com/adimods/at600.html

73,
Art N2AH

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2864. WTB: Drake R8, R8A or R8B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: wplanck@netusa1.net
Message-ID: <7184adhug1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127687
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Want to buy Drake R8, R8A, or R8B in excellent cond. Not interested in VHF converter or R8 speaker.
Bill K9KZ
wplanck@netusa1.net

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2865. W32A Low Voltage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: rlindzen@mit.edu
Message-ID: <36377aed.91219334@news.mit.edu>
Source record: 127688

I have an ICOM W32A, and it now reads 'low voltage' whenever I start
-- even if I'm operating off the charger or off my car's cigar
lighter. Otherwise it seems to be operating o'kay. Any idea of what
might be wrong?

Dick Lindzen KA1SA

2866. DCS-23 in amateur equiptment??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ted Woodzell <TJWood@va.tds.net>
Message-ID: <01be01e3$9b198ee0$cb5689d0@tjwood>
Source record: 127689

Has anyone tried using this Digital Coded Squelch unit in amateur vhf/uhf gear? I know Yaesu is now making a vhf unit with DCS but I'm looking to modify my existing equiptment (lack of funds to change rigs at this time). I've so many illegal users on 2/440 that I would like to give it a try (DCS) if someone can shed some light on the process. Please, this is not an ad for Com-Spec.com, but this is the unit I was looking at...
http://www.com-spec.com/dcs23.htm
I'd be very thankful for any and all Ideas..
Ted KR4KJ
tjwood@va.tds.net

2867. Kenwood PS-52 power supply mint.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michel Morin <morinm@csdgs.qc.ca>
Message-ID: <_TLZ1.503$dB4.34817@carnaval.risq.qc.ca>
Source record: 127690

Kenwood PS-52 power supply, matches TS-850 and TS-870.
Mint condition. Serial 41,xxx,xxx.
Currently sells for $269.

Asking $175. U.S. including shipping and insurance.

73 Michel
VE2CJW

2868. Re: EMP pulse wave?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <363772cd.38900637@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 127691
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Mon, 26 Oct 1998 04:29:47 GMT, "Jeff" <eprom@uscom.com> wrote:
>Hey Gary, with all due respect, where a you getting your
>information from?
> I was going on the information that the USAF has
>documented in studies.

The primary unclassified source is The Effects of Nuclear Weapons.
That gives us event duration and the X-ray (gamma) fluence. A book
on atmospheric physics will then give us the plasma frequency (and
hence mean free path of electrons) as a function of atmospheric density
(height). With those two facts in hand, we can calculate the current
density and plasma wave induced by the event, and the rest is just
ordinary classical electromagnetics.

(There are secondary effects which are exceedingly messy to calculate.
If we were designing a certain type of bomb, they'd be critical, but for
the purposes of determining NEMP at the surface, they can be ignored.)

As a very rough estimate, we can assume that a 20 MT device produces
a forty million ampere pulse at a height of 100 miles, and model it assuming
the electrosphere is a sheet conductance. That gets us in the ballpark for
estimating surface effects. This crude model is far from accurate, but it
gives rough order of magnitude values which are close enough for our
purposes.

As a cross check on effects, I have Destructive Testing Systems' EMP
simulator which allows me to directly measure the effects of EMP on
various pieces of equipment. That correlates with various data points
from the Navy's NEMP whole ship simulator which have appeared in the
open literature, when correction factors are applied for the difference in
risetime of the pulse.

The EMP simulator generates a pulse in conformance with IEEE 8/20
(lightning) while NEMP has a pulse shape corresponding to the NCS
TIB-85-10. Basically, using the IEEE notation, that would be a pulse
of 0.01/1.0 (microseconds rise and duration). And *that* cross checks
with the theoretical pulse calculated as noted in the first paragraph.
The physics hangs together nicely, as it should.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

2869. Re: Radio Shack Simplex Repeater; More Questions . . .

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: bdiaz@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7187u9$n85$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127692

In article <71659biqn1@news.xmission.com>,
"Dan" <n7wpd@xxmission.com> wrote:
> I know this topic has been dragged through the mud already, but I am
> wondering what the results are.
> Are they any good? They're on backorder for 3-4 weeks.
> Thanks,
>
> Dan

I haven't had a chance to "play" with one yet, but there are some things
I wonder about...

(1) ID: Does the unit provide ID, like in CW OR does it expect you to
give your ID and it just echos that? If it doesn't have any extra
ID, one can not keep it running as an Open Symplex Repeater for others
to use. Or at least, it won't be following the FCC rules.

(2) Does it offer some external way to shut it off? Again, the FCC rules
require that we have some way, phone line or another frequency to
shut off a repeater, should there be a problem.

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2870. Re: New maha-rexon dual band ht EXPOSED !! look@@!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: clintbrad4d@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <7187t7$n7s$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127693

In article <19981028124115.27114.00000470@ng113.aol.com>,
user66@aol.com (User 66) wrote:
> The new maha-rexon RL 501 2m/440 HT is an EXACT COPY of
> standard c 558a !!!!!!!

Please add Andy to your list of folks who haven't a clue of what they're talking about.

I own a Standard C-558a. And have played with a Maha/Rexon RL-501. They are entirely different HTs.

> they have pictures www.maha-comm.com
> Andy (not associated with either one)

Andy must also be sight-impaired, too...because there are pictures of both HTs in question readily available.

- Clint Bradford, KE6LCS

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2871. Re: A tough choice - ts-570sg, ft-920 or the ic-746.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: martyt@pobox.com
Message-ID: <36378a22.186107578@news.supernews.net>
Source record: 127694

On Tue, 27 Oct 1998 17:38:14 -0500, corbin <corbin@zk3.dec.com> wrote:

>I just passed my General license exam this past weekend
>and now I'm looking to get my first radio. I have come
>down to 3 choices: the Kenwood TS-570SG, the Yaesu FT-920
>or the ICOM IC-746.

Congrats on the upgrade! Buying a rig is certainly a hard decision - but unless you've got money coming out your ears, I would personally advise buying one of the older (as in not brand new) solid-state rigs to start with. You can pick up a good used rig for around $500 that will have far more knobs and switches on it than you'll be able to figure out for a while and it'll give you a chance to experiment with different modes, etc. while you're learning.

A nice benefit of the older radios is that you will almost certainly be able to get nearly all of your money back out of it when you sell - I bought my first rig, a FT-757GX, a little over a year ago for about $500. Sold it a couple of months ago for about $450. It cost me almost nothing to play with that radio for a year, learn what I was interested in and generally get my feet wet on the air.

Now, if you buy a brand new rig, you'll get that great "new electronics" smell for a while, but you'll also take an immediate hit in the pocketbook - for example, if you pay $1500 for a new FT-920, you'll be doing good if you can sell it for $1000 in a year (I'm seeing FT-920's at local hamfests, less than a year old, for $1000-1200.)

And, since you're brand new to HF, you'll probably be spending a good chunk of money on other parts of your station - a tuner, power supply, antenna(s), etc. etc. - save the money you'd drop on a new rig and put it toward other things you need.

With that said, if you're still determined to buy a new rig, I'd look seriously at the FT-920. I bought one about 3 months ago after looking at all of the current models available. I've been quite happy with the rig so far; it's easy to use, has tons more features than I've been able to find a use for and generally is a very solid rig. Plus, Yaesu is known for their excellent customer service in the event you need to have the rig worked on - Icom and Kenwood have less complimentary reputations.

If you haven't already found it, there's a great web page dedicated to the FT-920 at
http://www.wm7d.net/hamradio/ft920.html

Lots of great info from users, links to other reviews on the net, etc.

No matter what you decide on, you're sure to have a great time on the air - you're getting on just in time for the ARRL Sweepstakes contest which is a great chance to make tons of contacts around the USA and Canada and you can see whether contesting is something you're interested in. Check out the ARRL web site for more info on the dates, etc.

73 and welcome to HF!

-Marty KIï¿½LO
martyt@pobox.com

2872. R8A clock

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Leder <k8cxm@one.net>
Message-ID: <36378EA3.978D9473@one.net>
Source record: 127695

I just acquired a used Drake R8A that is in pretty good condition. It has one flaw: Time really flys on it. The internal clocks gain about 6 hours *A DAY*. Needless to say, they are worthless like this. Does anyone else have this problem and know of a cure? Thanks.

--
Jim Leder
Amateur radio operator K8CXM since 1961
IBM retiree since 1996

2873. ICOM 6 Meter QRP Rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981028164653.18209.00000639@ng08.aol.com>
Source record: 127696

I was at a hamfest awhile back and saw a Icom 6m QRP radio I'll describe it
for you
It had a rod antennna
It did SSB/CW
put about 5-10 watts

Anyone know the model? I'd like to buy one of these sometime next year,
This one went for 50.00 at the Hamfest, but it was sold the next time I went
to the table... Oh well

--
Lloyd Davies, N0VFP
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP/
HTX-202,212 ADI HT-204
ATS-909, DX-302
Hallicrafters S-120 , S-125
See Me:
http://www.qrz.com/wrad/directory.cgi?n0vfp

2874. FS CUSHCRAFT R5 ANTENNA LIKE NEW

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gabriel G melo <n1hhf@110.net>
Message-ID: <71835o$m6g$1@stalker.oem.net>
Source record: 127697

$150.00 WILL SHIP R5 IS A VERTICAL 10 12 15 17 20 CALL
1-401-434-2606

2875. WTB Yaesu SP6 Speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: K1SWR <fleet@mbl.edu>
Message-ID: <36378CB2.445E@mbl.edu>
Source record: 127698
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Looking for SP6, must be in mint shape.

2876. Re: Mobile antenna placement?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <36388f48.46192654@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 127699

On 27 Oct 1998 19:03:10 GMT, "Tony Szablowski" <aszablowski@worldnet.att.net> wrote:
>Folks, I've got a 75W, but probably pushing 80W, Kenwood mobile.
>I have it mounted on the rear trunk lip of the car, about 3.5' - 4'
>away from the driver. What's the health risks with this scenario?
>Should I NOT keep the antenna there? Thanks.

The free space distance puts you just under the exposure limit, but
there may be waveguide coupling effects to the car interior which
aren't accounted for in the free space model. I'd say that if you
transmit for more than 6 minutes at a time, you're pushing things
a bit. You probably aren't that long winded, however, and the exposure
limits have an unknown, but probably fairly large, safety factor built
into them.

If it bothers you that you're pushing the limits, and if you'd like a
better signal to boot, then relocate the antenna to the center of
the roof. Exposure for the car's occupants becomes minimal
in that case, and the antenna pattern will be much more satisfactory
too.

As a side note, I normally use center of roof mounting, but on *my*
new car, I'm using a trunk lip mount too. Of course I'm only running
35 watts, and the defroster grid on the rear window supplies some
shielding, and I haven't timed out a repeater in a long time, so I'm not
concerned.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

2877. FS: IC 706 (MK l)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: James EDX News <jamesk@edx.com>
Message-ID: <3637951a.0@news-out1.newsnerds.com>
Source record: 127700

Icom IC-706 (MK l) with box & manual, head separation cable & mobile bracket.

$750 Shipped

reply to: kg7fu@cyber-dyne.com e-mail or kg7fu@n7dxt.#eugen.or.usa packet.

2878. FS: Scanners/Xceiver/Video stuff

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Private Dick <mcguyver@bv.net>
Message-ID: <36379B60.7DAE31FE@bv.net>
Source record: 127701
Cross-posted to:
alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.video,sci.electronics,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have the following items for sale. Prices are negotiable. Shipping to be paid by buyer, US Money orders anly please.

Uniden Bearcat BCT-7 800MHz mobile scanner with wall charger/adapter, antenna. Unit 10/10 condition, has roadway Highway Partol Alert. New item cost $199, sell for $125.00 obo

Uniden Bearcat 350A, mobile with antenna, 12V car adapter, sell $50 obo

MAXON sl500 UHF 99 channel transceiver with battery/charger, works fine $100 obo

4" Sharp BW LCD NTSC input display with power supply, input 75ohm composite video, great for monitor $100.00 obo

APPLE Macintosh LCIII with 14" color monitor, keyboard/mouse, HP Deskwriter 680C color inkjet printer(mac), Zoom 33.6K modem(external), SyQuest Ez-Flyer 230MB tape backup (with 2 cartridges) and some software, unit works fine. Asking $250 for setup, will sell units separately.

CASIO RM-7400G Scientific Calculator with IR remote Over Head Projector screen unit. Calc does graphs, sketches and all scientific functions. Great shape, perfect for teaching with power supply for OHP(also uses batteries) Sell setup for $100.00

Panasonic SL-S162 Portable CD player, works great, no headphones to sell. Asking $35.00 obo

E-mail with questions..Thanks

2879. On-glass UHF antennas any good?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tony Szablowski <aszablowski@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <7185dv$oh4@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 127702

Folks, I'd like to hear any and all opinions/info on on-glass
UHF(460-470MHz) antennas, please. Plus, I'd like to know if it's
better than a trunk-lip mount antenna? Thanks.
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Regards,
Tony

2880. John Grow. Please e-mail me concerning the EV-950 Mic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: cwdoit@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981028172952.29716.00000205@ng37.aol.com>
Source record: 127703

John. Still looking in the mail for the microphone. Please e-mail me. Thanks.
Bill

2881. FS/Trade Icom SP20 Speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: K1SWR <fleet@mbl.edu>
Message-ID: <36378D11.5A82@mbl.edu>
Source record: 127704
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have a SP20 in exc. cond., would like to trade for a Yaesu SP6 or sell outright for 120.00

2882. HyGain HDR-300 Heavy Duty Rotator

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: be <w5kft@nts-online.net>
Message-ID: <363790CD.12E5172E@nts-online.net>
Source record: 127705
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,misc.industry.electronics.marketplace,sci.electronics.components,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.cb,sci.electronics.misc

HyGain HDR-300 heavy duty rotator for sale. Just serviced by
CATS. Complete with control head. Designed for LARGE
arrays. Sells new for $1050 at AES. Will sell for $375 plus
UPS

Bryan Edwards W5KFT
Lubbock, Texas

2883. Icom IC-22S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Boris Lavrinoff <ve5bl@dlcwest.com>
Message-ID: <36379e12.0@news.dlcwest.com>
Source record: 127706

This radio currently covers 146-148 Mhz
Anyone know how to bring it down to 144-146 so that it could be used on APRS
at 144.39 ??

Thanks
73s de ve5bl

2884. Re: radio transmission "fingerprinting" ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Daniel & Tia Kitchens <kd5blc@netdoor.com>
Message-ID: <3637A129.2DC4@netdoor.com>
Source record: 127707

Chris,
Here is and address were you can locate what you are looking for.
motron.info@emerald.com
Phone 541-687-2118

Dan

2885. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: DavidC <davidc@bit-net.com>
Message-ID: <01be0295$30aed760$a98492d0@davidc.bit-net.com>
Source record: 127708
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

> What are you talking about? We can save our cab fare, we're already
there.
> We have three entry level licenses and two have have 10 meter phone
> privileges.
>
> The problem is Novices and Tech Pluses are repeatedly excluded from ALL
your
> emergency preparedness festivities. You could have been doing this all
> along.
>
> 73 de Dick, N1SJM

Yes, yes, but they seem intent on focusing attention on a single
entry-level license and enhancing the privileges a bit. Since we are
losing membership it sounds like a good idea.

Keeping our somewhat protected status will require three things:
1. Intentionally enhancing the size and quality of our emergency
preparedness role
2. Intentionally enhancing the training and preparation of young people
for careers in military
and commercial communications and technology.
3. Aggressive rules enforcement (we have just seen an example, but it
required aggressive and
unrelenting lobbying of the FCC to get action, and no I am not a
member of the qrm'ed net)

Failing this we will see more hams lost, bands lost to commercial
interests, and fewer protections against local government interference with
towers and antennas.

We should request a clarification from the FCC as to the threshold
necessary for a waiver permitting a Tech-Plus (or novice) to operate 80,
40, 20m during declared emergencies.

We have weak areas that we need to address, let's get to it!

73, DavidC AA1FA

2886. Test message

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Duane Park <dspark@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3637A12B.A008B6E2@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 127709

This is only a test thru my isp

2887. Club Equipment Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: J R FENNELL <electron@enterprise.net>
Message-ID: <718931$n0c$1@news.enterprise.net>
Source record: 127710

The Finningley Amateur Radio Club in South Yorks UK requires a mains transformer for a Yaesu FT 200 HF Tx/Rx left to the Club by a silent key. Also the loan or copy of the circuit diagram + instruction manual for the repair of a Kenwood TS700S 2mtr Tx/R from another silent key. All reasonable expenses paid. G4HOY electron@enterprise.net John

2888. Re: Yaesu VX-1R Questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rod Thompson <tech@rtsars.com>
Message-ID: <tyE4CBtA#GA.204@newstoo.hiwaay.net>
Source record: 127711

There are a total of 290 memory channels in the VX-1
Group 1 -> 52 memories plus 20 scan limits
Group 2 -> 142 memories plus 20 scan limits
AM Broadcast -> 10 memories
Grp 1 Home -> 8 memories
Grp 2 Home -> 8 memories
Smart Search -> 30 memories

clintbrad4d@earthlink.net wrote in message
<714vsdvjv1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>In article <713ru5$o2l@fletch.fix.net>,
> kjsmith@fletch.fix.net (Kirk J. Smith) wrote:
>
>> How many channels does this thing have?
>
>52 "complete" channels - that is, 52 with CTCSS encode/decode and offset
>capabilities. I have forgotten how many additional channels (at least
another
>52) are available.
>
>> What kind of bank arrangements?
>
>By "service/band." Although there are modifications that allow you to place
>more than one band into a bank for scanning. Most of your answers are here:
>
>http://www.icongrp.com/~sllewd/
>
> - Clint Bradford, KE6LCS
>
>-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2889. Re: John Grow.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve <smann@advi.net>
Message-ID: <3637B663.490C@advi.net>
Source record: 127712

Cwdoit wrote:
>
> John. Still looking in the mail for the microphone. Please e-mail me. Thanks.
> Bill

I'm still looking for a book that I paid John Grow for. I haven't heard
anything from him.

Steve, N4EY

2890. Re: Comet Antenna Problems.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: WK1V <jjm@Pshore.net>
Message-ID: <cTOZ1.719$dP4.127354@news.shore.net>
Source record: 127713

Dave Martindale wrote in message <717kvi$99v@groucho.cs.ubc.ca>...
>"WK1V" <jjm@Pshore.net> writes:
>>I use an SMA-3 for my IC-T21A and I agree it is a great antenna. I may be
>>incorrect in reference to the FT-50 now that I think about it...it might
be
>>one of those thin skinny flexible antennas that has the pin problem I was
>>thinking of.
>
>I've got a Comet SMA-503, one of those thin "rat tail" antennas and it
>works well too. Better than the stock antenna, not quite as well as
>the SMA-3. But its "rib poking" factor is much less, so it's the
>antenna that's on the FT-50 about 90% of the time.
>
>I have heard about problems with some other antenna, maybe a Diamond one,
>and its centre pin not making contact. This seems very strange - after
>all, an SMA is a standard connector with standardized dimensions.

I can't for the life of me remember which antenna it is. I do remember the
center pin was pretty far up into the base of the antenna and it did not
reach the FT-50's SMA center conductor. When I remember it I will post it.

Now, what is the second thing they say goes???

jim, wk1v

2891. FS: Radio Racks (cabinets)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kenneth Stewart <kstewart@webwide.net>
Message-ID: <718ejlenj1@news.unicomp.net>
Source record: 127714

Electronic Equipment Enclosures For Sale

19" Mounting width
70" Mounting Height
78" Heigth
24" Width
26" Deep

Excellent condition. Gray in color. Features include: doors front & rear with matching key locks, heavy duty castors, 2 sets of chassis supports, 4 each access panels located on top, Anti-tip adjustable legs. E-mail for more details. Prices range from $150.00 - $275.00ea. Discount to all amateur operators!! Don't pass up a good deal. It's worth checking out!

e-mail kstewart@webwide.net

Thanks
Kenneth Stewart

2892. Re: radio transmission "fingerprinting" ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Louis Bybee <louisb@datacomm.com>
Message-ID: <3637BFB1.94F057B5@datacomm.com>
Source record: 127715

I saw this board demonstrated at SeaPac Ham Convention two years ago. I was very impressed. It was also very interesting that no two radios of the same make and model had exactly the same print. The response time between transmission, and screen display of the radio in question, if in the database, was almost instantaneous. The fellow I talked with said that the most productive method of use would be to implement this device with little fanfare, recording the prints along with the call sign. If in the future, problems occur, the offender wouldn't be likely to include the call sign. The best case scenario would be that you have already recorded the print and call sign previous to the problem transmission. Second best would be to identify the offender later, with a transmission that included the call sign when the offender had sobered up, or had their head back where the sun would shine on it.

Louis

Toe Jam wrote:
>
> Someone I spoke to recently mentioned a device selling in the
> mid-hundreds that takes a "print" of a received signal for later
> comparrison, etc. Apparently similar to 'voice printing', this
> device can log radio transmissions and you can identify each
> one -then if they ever key up again, you can tell who they are
> just from the transmission "print."
>
> In fact, the guy mention that Ham Radio Outlet may have them
> (he thinks remembers seeing them there) and I tried looking
> at their site but cannot locate this device. Hopefully someone
> out there knows what I am trying to describe and can point
> me in the right direction.
>
> Many thanks,
> Chris

2893. B&W 5100-B Bias Setting

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Denis P. Cote" <denis_c@edgenet.net>
Message-ID: <3637D17A.211518B9@edgenet.net>
Source record: 127716

Hello to all,

I have two questions regarding a B&W 5100-B Transmitter:

1- On 40 Meters only, during tune up, the excitation levels are abnormally high as the excitation control is practically fully CCW. The current goes completely off scale, exceeding 40mA when the finals are loaded to 225 mA. This does not happen on the remaining bands. The nominal grid excitation current is 20 - 25 mA. Has anyone noticed this occurance or is there a problem with the circuit?

2- When setting the idling plate current (Bias), I can't get the current to fall below 100 mA. The manual states a normal resting "AMP" current of 55 mA. The lowest I can achieve (with POT R514 set all the way CCW) is 100 mA.

Could any owners help me with these minor problems.

73 Denis
W1WV
Swansea, MA

2894. HW7 TUNEUP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: GREGORY HEATH <kb2qqm@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <u4ZAwFtA#GA.226@upnetnews03>
Source record: 127717

Hi........I just rebuilt a HW7 and need to tune it up. Can anyone send the the tuneup procedures......for aligning the rig.... I would like to get this rig back on the air. Thanks. Greg

2895. Re: FS: Icom Headset

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Louis Bybee <louisb@datacomm.com>
Message-ID: <363808F7.44840171@datacomm.com>
Source record: 127718

For sale, one Icom HS-60 Handie Talkie Head Set. Will fit the following radios.

2SRA, D1A, W2A, X2A, and 4SRA.

This unit is new, still in blister pack.

I will sell it for $50 shipped in CONUS.

Please EMAIL for further details if interested.

Louis

2896. need manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bruce Starr <BassStar@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <36381981.BC1D907F@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 127719

I getting a used Palomar FC-40 frec. counter in a few days. Does anyone have a manual I could get a copy of. Thanks, Bruce

2897. Re: radio transmission "fingerprinting" ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Toe Jam <toejam@remove.all.except.bga.com>
Message-ID: <3637E433.37C67982@remove.all.except.bga.com>
Source record: 127720

re: MoTron TxID-1 board:

> I saw this board demonstrated at SeaPac Ham Convention two years ago. I
> was very impressed.

I have been communicating with Don Moser of MoTron Electronics. He
is very helpful and informative, and if the performance is as expected, I
can't wait to get my hands on one.

My first impression is that this is a high-quality setup from a reputable
company, but must qualify that by stating that I have not yet purchased
anything. Just been doing some homework is all.

Thanks to everyone who pointed them out!

Chris

2898. FS S108 Hallicrafters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Asp <larry.asp@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <363663A6.20CC@sympatico.ca>
Source record: 127767
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

S108 receiver, clean radio and working well. One knob is missing the chrome insert, and the cabinet has been refinished, although it would be hard to tell. Good front panel, markings etc. $70.00 plus foam in place packing and shipping costs.

2899. WTB: KENWOOD SW-100 POWER/SWR METER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: radioeg@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981027193412.27114.00000193@ng113.aol.com>
Source record: 127768

IN GOOD CONDITION AND AT A REASONABLE PRICE Ed K6EG

2900. Re: Mobile antenna placement?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Currie <tom.currie@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <36366A4A.430@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 127769

Toe Jam wrote:
>
> > Folks, I've got a 75W, but probably pushing 80W, Kenwood mobile.
> > I have it mounted on the rear trunk lip of the car, about 3.5' - 4'
> > away from the driver. What's the health risks with this scenario?
> > Should I NOT keep the antenna there?
>
> Although I don't have a good answer for you, I can add that I HOPEit's ok, since
> one car I drive extensively has a 1/2 wave (or maybe it's
> 5/8 wave) whip center-mounted on the trunk lid, being pushed by a
> 100 watt VHF transceiver.

Once you upgrade and start running a few megawatts, then you can start worrying. In the meanwhile just sit back and wait until you hear some jury make an award on one of the ridiculous "my cell phone gave me brain cancer" lawsuits, then move to that location and sue your ham radio manufacturer and antenna manufacturer.

The figures on exposure to non-ionizing radiation are all expressed in field strength (not guessed power into an antenna), but even with the most conservative figures it is nearly impossible to get within several orders of magnitude of the safe limits with any transmitter you could reasonably install and operate in an automobile.

You might want to move the antenna to get better performance, but certainly not from any fear of exposure to RF.

Incidentally, the best location for the antenna performance is virtually the same as the position giving lowest radiation exposure -- Top Dead Center of the roof.

73 de N4AOF

2901. FS BC348 Parts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Asp <larry.asp@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <3636668C.131E@sympatico.ca>
Source record: 127770
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

I have some small remains from parting a BC348, plus a part that a chap renigged on purchasing. 2 knobs (ie Vol control type,) bandswitch knob, and avc switch handle. Also have a dial glass cover and 2 case bolts, antenna and ground posts, two case handles, a right angle band switch drive, and an assortment of screws etc. $15.00 shipped.

2902. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <369a638d.898335972@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 127771
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Tue, 27 Oct 1998 04:20:56 GMT, billsohl@planet.net (Bill Sohl) wrote:
>On 27 Oct 1998 02:54:06 GMT, Richard Carroll <w0ex@scan.missouri.org>
>wrote:
>>Bill Sohl wrote:
>>> > But lets look at the sort of disaster I'm trained for and
>>> >much more familar with. What if it's a massive earthquake,
>>> >stretching over a wide region covering parts of several
>>> >states involving several major cities?
>>>
>>> Sure would be nice to have even one such example
>>> in history to base your What If on.
>>
>> Not hard to find at all, just do a bit of searching and
>>read the historical accounts of the New Madrid earthquakes
>>of 1811-1821 wherin the earth shook for most of 3 months,
>>during which time several quakes of >magnitude 8 occurred.
>
>The earth shock every day for 3 months???
>Magnitude 8 earthquakes didn't happen every
>day, now did they. How widespread was the
>area?

New Madrid was no joke. The Mississippi River ran *backwards*
for three days. Considering the flow of the Mississippi, that should
give you some idea of the amount of displacement that had to occur.
This was the really Big One in the Midwest. Church bells rang as far
away as Boston. This was *not* the sort of localized quake that
California suffers. The fault rupture was very long. Heavy damage
occurred over an area that now includes parts of Arkansas, Illinois,
Indiana, Kentucky, Missouri, and Tennessee.

There was a big scare back about a decade ago when a prediction
was made that the fault was due to let go again. There are now
millions of people in the area, and the effect of a recurrence would
be devastating. Fortunately, the prediction missed, and the fault
didn't let go, but it got a lot of EMA types to do some hard thinking
about what they'd have to do if it ever did let go again in such a
dramatic fashion.

That thinking does *not* include amateurs using CW, however.
Dick is very much alone with that idea. One might as well plan
to use the Pony Express. Its utility would be about the same in
a disaster of that scope (which is to say, while not zero, so close
to zero as to not matter).

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

2903. Re: A tough choice - ts-570sg, ft-920 or the ic-746.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Seth Miller <seth.miller@NOSPAMworldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <36367DE8.F0CE974E@NOSPAMworldnet.att.net>
Source record: 127772

Hi Steve,

I'm sure that you won't find this very helpful, but... you're right, it is a tough choice!

These are all fine radios, though, and I don't think you would be dissatisfied with any of them. I had to make the same choice recently and during my subjective testing the performance of all three seemed so close that I think it will pretty much boil down to which radio feels and sounds right to you. The published specs are so close as to be almost identical, but each has its own set of advantages and 'feel'. I settled on the IC-746 and have never looked back (it seemed to have a bit of an edge over the others, but certainly nothing dramatic... I just felt that it was easier to operate, had a somewhat better DST implementation, etc.). I have not been disappointed with the '746 in any way, but as I said you will probably be quite happy with whatever unit you choose - they are all great price/performance bargains (at least as much as any new units are in these rather pricey times), especially the FT-920 now that Yaesu has lowered the price so dramatically. I think one big advantage of the Icon for me was how easy and intuitive it is to use, for a modern do-everything rig. I have no trouble programming a VCR and am not scared of complex features, it just chaps me when a rig requires months of use before you can put the manual away because of an inconsistent user interface... you won't need the '746 manual after the first week. It is also very space-efficient and has a considerably smaller footprint than the others, if that matters at all to you. Because of this, it would be practical to sub as a mobile unit, if you are so inclined.

As far as CW operation goes, the IC-746 has all the current bells & whistles except for automatic zero beating. That would be nice, but once I got the feel of it down I have no trouble doing it manually. The FT-920 has a zero beat tuning aid (that I couldn't get to work very well, but maybe that was me...). They all have full QSK, memory keyers, etc...

Anyway, just spend some time with each of them (even if it is in the store... ugh...) and eventually one will stand out to you.

- Seth

corbin wrote:
>
> I just passed my General license exam this past weekend
> and now I'm looking to get my first radio. I have come
> down to 3 choices: the Kenwood TS-570SG, the Yaesu FT-920

> or the ICOM IC-746. It is a difficult choice and I just
> keep wavering among them. I expect that I would be using
> the rig for CW predominately but who knows what I'll get
> into in the future.
>
> Help me out here! Tell me why you like your rig (one of
> the above) and what made you choose it over others.
>
> - steve

2904. Re: Help 706MKII programing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Toste <saturn@interlog.com>
Message-ID: <715uidqdj1@news.interlog.com>
Source record: 127773

I've played around with some programming of the 706 and there is NO way of
downloading or uploading text to the radio.

BOB MILLS <k8wx@infinet.com> wrote:
> I just purchased a 706MKII and built a ic interface so I could load the
> memory channels with the free software from ICOM.

> It does work but the software has no way to enter or download the memory
> names.

> Does anybody know what software might be able to handle this, or is
> the radio not capable of this? It seems that if you can enter the names from
> the front panel you should be able to do it with the software.

> Any help is appreciated.

> K8WX

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David Toste [VE3TOS] Internet - saturn@interlog.com
Brampton, Ontario. SWLOGit - The Ultimate Shortwave Listeners Software
ftp://qsl.net/pub/ve3tos/swlit20a.zip
http://www.interlog.com/~saturn/SWLOGit.html (SWLOGit Web Page)
ICQ: 4422700

2905. Re: FT-50RD problem...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Smith <bs@BSartist.com>
Message-ID: <715v56$ann@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 127774

I'm not so convinced. If you read the manual, the documented behaviour is opposite. It's supposed to take a second hold to turn it *on*. This makes more sense to me so my bet is that the radio has a "bug". Must have been a bug that was hard to "patch". So they ship you a new button.

Bill
n2asa

J. Hall wrote in message <70j6k2$r16@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>...
>This was no accident.

2906. Help: Any PL/DPL Ham Rigs?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: 123rnelson@farmtel.com
Message-ID: <36367ff1.15410262@news.mwci.net>
Source record: 127775

Does anyone know of a dual-band ham rig mobile or HT that will do PL
AND DPL??

I know the FT51 will but are there anyothers?

Please reply via e-mail

Remove the 123 to reply

Randy, WB0VHB

2907. Ebay...HW-9 QRP Station with matching accessories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: k0fl@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <363686fc.962977021@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 127776

Nice station....hard to find all items together.

web address below

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=38351839

73 de Tim K0FL

2908. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <369b8962.908022795@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 127777
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On 28 Oct 1998 02:53:49 GMT, ddgsk@tic.net wrote:
>The requirement of knowing electrical and antenna theory is keeping
>otherwise qualified emergency operators off the Ham bands. Knowing theory
>is not critical to dialing an automated digital HF radio (with an
>attached auto antenna tuner) to a frequency and transmitting critical
>emergency information. IMO, the requirement of knowing irrelevant
>electrical and antenna theory does a lot more harm than it does good.

Isn't it interesting that only those adamantly intent on retaining the
archaic Morse speed tests are advocating eliminating those test elements
Part 97 says are designed to determine if an applicant is sufficiently
knowledgeable to operate safely and legally. Apparently it is true that
high speed Morse leads to brain damage.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

2909. Icom 2710 Software???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Ottria <Gottria@Inreach.com>
Message-ID: <uSvZ1.52631$D5.22563359@news.inreach.com>
Source record: 127778

Anybody ever use the software to program there Icom 2710H? Is it made by
Icom or adms?

--
Greg Ottria KE6PTP
Castro Valley, California
Gottria@Inreach.com

2910. WTB: UT-49 For Icom 2710H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Ottria <Gottria@Inreach.com>
Message-ID: <GVvZ1.52632$D5.22565525@news.inreach.com>
Source record: 127779

Looking to buy the UT-49, DTMF unit, for an Icom2710H

E-mail price.

Greg Ottria KE6PTP
Castro Valley, California
Gottria@Inreach.com

2911. -FS- Kenwood TM-721A SERVICE MANUAL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Sibbitt <n8lmt@123.net>
Message-ID: <J8wZ1.84$Y3.448@news3.ispnews.com>
Source record: 127780
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

TM-721A/E service manual
(original no-photocopy)
Kenwood part # B51-3476-00(T)864

$12.00 +$2.postage = $14.00

n8lmt@usa.net

Ron Sibbitt
Croswell, MI 48422

2912. -FS- Kenwood TS-700S Owners Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Sibbitt <n8lmt@123.net>
Message-ID: <vhwZ1.88$Y3.227@news3.ispnews.com>
Source record: 127781
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.boatanchors,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Owner Manual for TS-700S 2m All-Mode

27 pages plus fold-out diagram sheets....

this is a original, (no photocopy).

clean, like new.

$9.00 plus $1.00 postage = $10.00

Email-me

n8lmt@usa.net

Ron Sibbitt
Croswell, MI 48422

2913. GPS location of HRO in Oakland?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb6uda@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981027231451.17624.00000306@ng146.aol.com>
Source record: 127782

Does anyone out there have the GPS location of HRO in Oakland?

Than ks Jack

2914. Re: ICOM T8 HT Opinions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: np2jf@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <71674jqgt1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127783

In article <3613D5B9.355E34C0@umich.edu>,
boblyons@umich.edu wrote:
> A Jury wrote:
> >
> > Any one have this rig? What do you think of it. I need to reccomend a
> > rig for a emergency comm group, any comments very welcome. Thanks,
> > Art. KF7GD
>
> Where can I find the "mods" mentioned for out of band tx, and rx, not that I

would use them, but just curious about tx on marine VHF. thanks de
np2jf@sgi.net

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2915. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: DavidC <davidc@bit-net.com>
Message-ID: <01be022e$e1f91060$cc8492d0@davidc.bit-net.com>
Source record: 127784
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

> > The problem Harvey describes is that there aren't enough of
> > those HF operators or HF stations on the ground in the area
> > to carry out the mission properly. But there are a lot of Techs,
> > who if they had HF authority, would likely have the equipment
> > and hands on experience to carry out the mission. As Harvey
> > notes, CW skills weren't required in any event, so lack of same
> > would be no hinderance to the effectiveness of the operators.
> > But lack of day to day hands on experience with HF operation
> > would be a hinderance to their effectiveness.
> >
> > Gary
>
> Dead on target! I did have one tech who had an HF rig and who used
> it under his own initiative to pass a critical message while I was
> unavailable (asleep!). The rest had neither the gear nor the skills
> needed to work effectively. As you point out, if I was available
> to supervise, I would be available to do the job myself.
> Before someone makes the accusation, I am NOT against CW, I'm just
> against forcing someone to learn a skill which is no longer
> ESSENTIAL to the license.
>
> Harvey, WB5MCT

Well, the FCC proposal looks as though it will result in an entry-level license that will include HF voice on 10m. This being the case we know that most will buy a 160-10m, 160-6m, or older 80-10m HF rig with every intention of upgrading. Meanwhile they will learn HF operating on 10m and posses the necessary rig with which they are familiar enough to be useful in an emergency.

And we should run regular emergency preparedness Nets, and perhaps a big traffic-handling contest, on 10m to be sure.

Let's press the FCC to "make it so"! 73, DavidC AA1FA

2916. Re: How to filter distance repeaters?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: jleikhim@nettally.com
Message-ID: <3636a6ae.15943444@news2.nettally.com>
Source record: 127785
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Simple. I'll trade you my north Florida swampland for your mountain
QTH. I am surrounded by 80 ft pine trees. My 89 ft motorized crankup
gets me up top to work DX, down low to stay "local". Send pix.

linda@nospam.com wrote:

>Hi,
>
>my friend just put up a 15' vertical dual band (2m & 70cm) base
>antenna on the top of my roof. I live on top of a mountain. The good
>news is that the antenna works good. Maybe too good!?
>
>Not only do I pick up all our local repeaters, I now also pickup the
>repeaters that's on the same frequency 60 miles, 120+ miles away!
>When I tried to listen to our local repeaters frequency, I get a lot
>of traffic and I cannot tell who is on which repeater.
>
>Question: How does one filter out distance repeaters with the same
>frequency (if some don't have PL output)?
>
>I have this problem with almost all the local repeaters I use?!! I am
>currently using a Yaesu mobile as a base.
>
>Linda
>
>Please post your replies here as I do not yet have e-mail.

Joe Leikhim K4SAT (EX KE4TZH)
Jleikhim@nettally.com

"tv dinner by the pool,
i'm so glad i finished school" -F.Zappa 1967

"The Revolution will NOT be televised" -Gil Scott Heron

2917. Re: ADI AT-600?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: ccom@murlin.com
Message-ID: <3638e6d1.435117@news.sound.net>
Source record: 127537

I believe the HTX-204 is made by ADI

harris@hazeltine.com wrote:

>In article <6vtip3$l69$1@autumn.news.rcn.net>,
> "Mike N2OX" <globalcm@erols.com> wrote:
>> Does anyone have any opinions on the AT-600?
>> Is it the Radio Shack HTX 204 in disguise?
>> What is the average going price?
>>
>> Mike N2OX
>> Long Island, NY
>>
>> --
>> http://www.qsl.net/mid-islandarc
>> http://members.aol.com/kg2mmike/n2ox/webpage.html
>>
>>
>Hi Mike,
>
>It got a very good review in QST. It is made in Taiwan and is essentially the
>same as the RS unit. There are various firmware versions, some of which allow
>mods via the keypad.
>
>Check out http://members.aol.com/adimods/at600.html
>
>73,
>Art N2AH
>
>------------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
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2918. FS MFJ Filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Asp <larry.asp@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <3638EAC1.1CE9@sympatico.ca>
Source record: 127538
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

MFJ CWF2 audio filter, working fine, good shape $15.00 plus postage.

2919. Re: New maha-rexon dual band ht EXPOSED !! look@@!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: clintbrad4d@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <71atlv$ht0$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127539

In article <19981029032630.10603.00000965@ng-fb2.aol.com>,
user66@aol.com (User 66) wrote:
> rexon 501 and standard 558
> are using the same exact battery !!!
> the radios are exact same phisical size
> and knob layout on top is the same

Well...by using your simplistic logic, then I guess my commercial Icom U-16 HT is the same as a Radio Shack HTX-202...'cause the knobs are the same, they use the same battery and accessories, and are similar in size.

No - the specs on the Rexon dual bander don't quite meet the Standard specs, and they are NOT the "same" radio.

- Clint Bradford

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2920. Re: Yaesu VX-1R Questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: clintbrad4d@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <71au7t$im7$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127540

Thanks for the accurate figures...I mis-interpreted the original poster and thought he wanted to know how many Amateur channels were available - and we just have 52 "full settings available" channels.

There are two options on the VX-1R for memory configuration:

- 52 memories which store simplex or semi-duplex frequencies, which include "odd" splits and Tone Mode and Tone frequency; or

- 142 "simplex" memories which can store repeater shifts and tone mode bot NOT Tone Frequency.

Each of the above configurations has 10 BC Band memories, 10 pair of "band limit" memories, and 31 "Smart Search" memories.

Both configs store power output level, memory skip condition, and alpha-numeric memory labels.

The factory settings configure memories to group one - the 52 channel config. To change to group two, you hold the M/V key while pressing the PWR key to turn the unit ON. When the VX-1R powers up, it'll state GRP-2 in the display.

- Clint Bradford

In article <tyE4CBtA#GA.204@newstoo.hiwaay.net>,
"Rod Thompson" <tech@rtsars.com> wrote:
> There are a total of 290 memory channels in the VX-1
> Group 1 -> 52 memories plus 20 scan limits
> Group 2 -> 142 memories plus 20 scan limits
> AM Broadcast -> 10 memories
> Grp 1 Home -> 8 memories
> Grp 2 Home -> 8 memories
> Smart Search -> 30 memories

>>clintbrad4d@earthlink.net wrote:
>>52 "complete" channels - that is, 52 with CTCSS encode/decode and offset
>>capabilities. I have forgotten how many additional channels...

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2921. FD: ANOTHER CELWAVE DUPLEXOR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: DALE EATON <rapidcomm@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01be038d$de49c080$4e92480c@fff>
Source record: 127541

I also have a Celwave PD633-6A-1N 406-450 MHz duplexor
It is new
Someone ordered the wrong range
It is a 6 cavity mobile/base rated @ 50 watts w/75 db isolation
List Price $ 356.00

I am asking $ 150.00 or best offer

Dale

Rapid Communications
2737 E. 22nd Street
Tucson, Az 85713
(520) 324-0997
(520) 623-3100 @ night

2922. FS: VHF MOBILE DUPLEXOR 155-162 MHz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: DALE EATON <rapidcomm@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01be038e$710d77e0$4e92480c@fff>
Source record: 127542

Guess what I found on the shelf
A Celwave 636-6A-2-1 VHF duplexor
Range 155-162 MHz
List price $ 395.00

$ 150.00 or make me an offer

Dale

Rapid Communications
2737 E. 22nd Street
Tucson, Az 85713

(520) 324-0997
(520) 623-3100 @ night (PS I go to bed @ 10:00 PM)

2923. WTB: AC3 or AC4 Drake PS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: clowery@halifax.com
Message-ID: <71at04oqv2@Skuzzy.cstone.net>
Source record: 127543

Still looking for a good used Drake AC♯ or AC4

Thanks Chuck NM4V

clowery@halifax.com

2924. Re: NEXTEL i600 for sale (Like NEW in box) $150

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: alan@1netrox.net
Message-ID: <alan-2910981826270001@ppp-36.mia-tc-2.netrox.net>
Source record: 127544

In article
<jandrewsNOSPAM-2410981535180001@sf-asc1-176-177.dialup.slip.net>,
jandrewsNOSPAM@slip.net (John B Andrews) wrote:

> In article <19981020085717.05105.00003450@ng93.aol.com>, ligosa@aol.com
> (LIGOSA) wrote:
>
> > NEXTEL i600 for sale (Like NEW in box) $150
> > Includes Dual slot desktop rapid charger
> > Nickel metal Hydrde battery
> > Papers, booklets etc. And Leather case
> >
> > Chris
> > 718-642-1087
> > ligosa@aol.com
Just bought a new i390, the upgraded 600 for 89.00 on s special at Nextel.
>
> Is this still available?
>
Remove the '1' from my e-mail address when sending e-mail

2925. TenTec Corsair II

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alan Slusher <aslusher@erols.com>
Message-ID: <71avft$n1u$1@autumn.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 127545

WTB: Corsair II in good working condition, preferably with power supply.
Please email Alan at aslusher@erols.com.

2926. Which best HF transceiver with DSP on rx and tx?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: 106255.1565@compuserve.com
Message-ID: <3638fa1a.2297267@news.compuserve.com>
Source record: 127546
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I am looking to add to / replace my old TS440SAT. I am trying to find
out which HF (not HF / VHF) transceiver has DSP on tx as well as rx as
I want to be able to optimise my bandwidth on tx to match my mode. My
requirements are:
WARC transmit coverage
Full HF receive to arounf 50 kHz
Tuning in 10 Hz ore less steps, ideally 1 Hz
Best possible dynamic range
Modes to include FSK /RTTY
DSP on rx and tx which does not suffer from 'overload' effects.
100W + out
VERY comprehensive external control via a PC including DSP settings,
pass band tuning, agc speed etc.
Internal ATU is less important but if present should also be capable
of use on receive.
I'm told the latest Kenwood rigs will fit the bill but there may be
alternatives. The computer control capabilities and dsp on transmit
do not seem to be featured in most advertising from Yaesu/Icom/others.
I know this will hit my bank balance but I want something to last as
long as the TS440 has.
Richard G4BBH

2927. FS: 10M FM Commerical Synth Rig 35Watts, $80+ship

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe K7JOE <k7joe@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <363903C3.7E3715DB@yahoo.com>
Source record: 127547
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hello,
I have a very nice condition Pace Mobile Commerical low band radio
that has been converted to 10 meter FM. Radio runs 8 channels and
is diode programmable. Rated at 35 watts FM output. Radio includes
matching hand mic too.

Rig controls include Power, Volume, Squelch, Channel Selector
with LED read out and Tone (CTCSS) switch. Busy/On Air
lamps too. Size is about the
same as a bigger 2 meter rig, older CB rig, etc. Looks commerical.

The radio is rated at 35 watts output per the back panel heat sink
marking. On the bench into a dummy load, I measured 40 watts
steady output at 13.8V DC drawing about 6 amps. The heat sink
was just warm to the touch after a 1 minute TX. Receive sensitivity
is about 0.5 microvolt (very sensitive).

I worked several JA's from the west coast this past weekend when
CQWW SSB got boring. I also worked lots of stateside stations
via the 29.640 repeater. Reports were good.

Radio is currently set up as follows:

Channel Freq RX Freq TX
1 29.600 29.600 simplex calling freq
2 29.620 29.520 repeater
3 29.500 29.500 simplex alternate calling freq
4 29.640 29.540 repeater
5 29.400 29.400 simplex
6 29.660 29.560 repeater
7 spare spare nothing programmed here
8 29.680 29.580 repeater

This is diode programmable, so you can change/add the freq that
you desire. All current USA-bandplan repeaters have
been programmed. Rig works fine per on-the-air contacts, and with
40 watts of output, this rig provides ample output to maintain
a contact (compared to the 10M all mode rigs which typically
run a mere 8 to 10 watts on FM).

Makes a great mobile/home 10M FM rig, or connect it up to your
440 rig or repeater for 10M FM remote base. Simple to use,
rugged, inexpensive.

$80+shipping from Portland, Oregon

Email if interested.
thanks,
Joe K7JOE

2928. Re: Which best HF transceiver with DSP on rx and tx?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom <topdog@advicom.net>
Message-ID: <3638C565.3F5B@advicom.net>
Source record: 127548
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Richard C. Ferryman wrote:
>
> I am looking to add to / replace my old TS440SAT. I am trying to find
> out which HF (not HF / VHF) transceiver has DSP on tx as well as rx as
> I want to be able to optimise my bandwidth on tx to match my mode. My
> requirements are:
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> do not seem to be featured in most advertising from Yaesu/Icom/others.
> I know this will hit my bank balance but I want something to last as
> long as the TS440 has.
> Richard G4BBH

I believe a Yaesu FT-1000 MP would meet your requirements.

Tom K4AKC

2929. Re: icom 756 with amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: w4th@webtv.net
Message-ID: <20693-363917AC-62@newsd-171.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 127549

I forgot to mention that my amp is an old Alpha 78.....Tom..W4TH

2930. Re: Yaesu FT-840

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jonathan Kaplan <jonk@jskent.com>
Message-ID: <hHa_1.2347$Xy1.3777@news6.ispnews.com>
Source record: 127550

I have an ft-840, that I bought used two years ago for about $600. It's worked pretty well with two reservations:
1) The power module went out once. Had it replaced
2) Doesn't have the filtering and DSP capapabilities I'd like;
But maybe this is just a measure of the amount of learning I've done since acquiring this rig. It's a good basic performer.

73
Jonathan Kaplan KO6XS
Scott Thayer wrote in message <3636A180.8B905426@pacinfo.com>...
>Has anyone used the Yaesu FT-840, is it good radio. Just getting
>started in HF, actually still not even have my general license, so will
>just be listening for a while. Is their another radio out there that
>would better and in the same price range?
>
>Thanks for any information/comments that anyone will provide for me.
>
>Scott, N7ZTI
>

2931. Re: Comet Antenna Problems.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: K3SLS <~steves@clark.net>
Message-ID: <71bd56$js5$1@clarknet.clark.net>
Source record: 127551

The Diamond SRH-519 is the offending unit.

^^

73 de K3SLS 442.55+ PL100
~steves@clark.net (remove the tilde for email replies)

WK1V wrote in message ...
>
>Dave Martindale wrote in message <717kvi$99v@groucho.cs.ubc.ca>...
>>"WK1V" <jjm@Pshore.net> writes:
>>>I use an SMA-3 for my IC-T21A and I agree it is a great antenna. I may
be
>>>incorrect in reference to the FT-50 now that I think about it...it might
>be
>>>one of those thin skinny flexible antennas that has the pin problem I was
>>>thinking of.
>>
>>I've got a Comet SMA-503, one of those thin "rat tail" antennas and it
>>works well too. Better than the stock antenna, not quite as well as
>>the SMA-3. But its "rib poking" factor is much less, so it's the
>>antenna that's on the FT-50 about 90% of the time.
>>
>>I have heard about problems with some other antenna, maybe a Diamond one,
>>and its centre pin not making contact. This seems very strange - after
>>all, an SMA is a standard connector with standardized dimensions.
>
>
>I can't for the life of me remember which antenna it is. I do remember the
>center pin was pretty far up into the base of the antenna and it did not
>reach the FT-50's SMA center conductor. When I remember it I will post it.
>
>Now, what is the second thing they say goes???
>
>jim, wk1v
>
>

2932. for sale-Velo computer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charles L Starke MD FACP <cstarke@alumni.princeton.edu>
Message-ID: <36393E91.20B8FD12@alumni.princeton.edu>
Source record: 127552
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: cstarke.vcf

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For Sale:
Velo 1 Phillips computer with docking bay and all parts.
Essentially new. 8meg of memory.
Charles
cstarke@alumni.princeton.edu

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]
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2933. FS: Interceptor by Optoelectronics

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charles L Starke MD FACP <cstarke@alumni.princeton.edu>
Message-ID: <36393EF9.42E4FF08@alumni.princeton.edu>
Source record: 127553
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: cstarke.vcf

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For Sale:
Optoelectronic Interceptor, essentially new.
Charles, nx2t
cstarke@alumni.princeton.edu

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]
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2934. Re: radio transmission "fingerprinting" ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: HP Authorized Customer <joe@user.com>
Message-ID: <71ap4g$s8k$1@fnord.systemsoft.com>
Source record: 127554

I've seen fingerprint type devices in ads in a number of magazines.

But I was told by someone who knows his stuff, that with the
right equipment, you can do almost as good yourself.

He told me to use a soundblaster and record the audio, then
look for stuff like low level phase whine and such. Obviously
this isn't as good as the commercial products that tap right
off the IF, but if you're just trying to trap someone, you'd be
surprised what you can find out. Even at just the audio level.

I dealt with a jammer on a local repeater once. I set up my
laptop and recorded it off the repeater since I wasn't in a
position to get it direct (the prefered way) using BlasterMaster software.
I then pieced the 'quiet times' together, and boosted background volume.
Guess what I found? A VERY distinctive
clock (turned out to be an expensive Coocoo clock!). Not
evidence that could be used to really nail someone, but the
word went out, the jamming stopped. What more could you
ask for.

Mike Yetsko
N1DVJ

2935. My site

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Valentin Gvozdev <gvozdev@ufn.ioc.ac.ru>
Message-ID: <36384972.FBF6B342@ufn.ioc.ac.ru>
Source record: 127555

Hello, all!
If you are interested in homebrew equipment - check out my site. I hope,
you will enjoy.
http://ufn.ioc.ac.ru/~gvozdev/mypage.html.
Have fun.
73! RUAEP, Valentin, Russia

2936. FT-100 Is it soup yet????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Madden <mmadden@suffolk.lib.ny.us>
Message-ID: <71b0kv$ag0$1@news01.li.net>
Source record: 127556

Any date yet on its release or more importantly how much it will cost????

2937. Re: On-glass UHF antennas any good?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sean Baxter <XXXsbaxter@gte.net>
Message-ID: <71lr3v$e1f$3@news-2.news.gte.net>
Source record: 127557

I use a Pro-AM 2m/440mhz glass mount with very good results, mounted on the back window. The thing to keep in mind is the tinted glass has lead in it. So try and mount on untinted glass. I think that is why you get very different responces about the glass mounted antennas, those mounted on heavy tinted leaded glass will not work well. I do not think many know about the lead in tinted glass issue.

Sean

Tony Szablowski wrote in message <7185dv$oh4@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>...
>Folks, I'd like to hear any and all opinions/info on on-glass
>UHF(460-470MHz) antennas, please. Plus, I'd like to know if it's
>better than a trunk-lip mount antenna? Thanks.
>--
>Regards,
>Tony
>
>

2938. Re: ICOM 6 Meter QRP Rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: n1yus@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981028231817.29395.00000840@ng42.aol.com>
Source record: 127587

> was at a hamfest awhile back and saw a Icom 6m QRP radio I'll describe it
>for you
>It had a rod antennna
>It did SSB/CW
>put about 5-10 watts
>
>Anyone know the model? I'd like to buy one of these sometime next year,
>This one went for 50.00 at the Hamfest, but it was sold the next time I went
>to the table... Oh well
>
>--
>Lloyd Davies, N0VFP
>http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP/
>HTX-202,212 ADI HT-204
>ATS-909, DX-302
>Hallicrafters S-120 , S-125
>See Me:
>http://www.qrz.com/wrad/directory.cgi?n0vfp
Most likely an Icom 502 . nice little ssb rig.
I think it's becoming quite a collectors item.
I have one for sale with manual for $200 or best offer.
Best wishes
Ben N1yus@aol.com
Lexington , MA

2939. fs: great ham gear cheap - n1yus@aol.com

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: n1yus@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981028232933.29395.00000850@ng42.aol.com>
Source record: 127588

http://hometown.aol.com/n1yus

lots of gear
am
hf
ssb
antique radios
tube gear
6 meter stuff
vhf amps
73 and thanx ---------ben

Ari Ben Harav
Tiger Floors, Inc.
Lexington, Ma
www.tigerfloors.com

2940. Alinco 112T..which decoder board?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ted Woodzell <TJWood@va.tds.net>
Message-ID: <01be0223$a4ec19c0$f45689d0@tjwood>
Source record: 127589

Anyone know which tone decoder board the DR-112T uses?? EJ-10U? EJ-??U
Thanks
Ted KR4KJ
TJWood@va.tds.net

2941. Re: dumb question from a new Ham re: 10m and CB.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: cyril8814@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <718u8joln1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127590

In article <7135jiini1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
bdiaz@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> In article <36328b76.8528383@news.earthlink.net>,
> pat@replyhere.please.com wrote:
> > Hi,
> >
> > I am a new HAM. I have a dumb question:
> >
> > Since the 10 Meter HF band is so close to the CB band. Does the CB
> > radios also do skip and radio wave propagation?
> >
> > Pls. post replies here.
>
> Yes, when we're at the "upper end" of the solar cycle, DX could be done
> in the 10 meter CB Band. However, according to the FCC, CB is not to
> be used as a DX Band. Still, I'll bet that a lot of CBers do it anyway.
>
> CB, the No Code HF Band. <smile>
>
> ----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own
>

As the previous writer said, the Citizen Band experiences skip the same as 10 meters and 10 meters is opening up more these days. I have experienced skip from Canada down to Argentina, Chile and Brazil in the last three days using 100 watts. I suspect my neighbour next door with a CB unit and 5 watts may be able to experience soom success - not as well as the 100 watts but with the right conditions he would do as well as anyone running Low Power. Ernie VE6ECK

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http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2942. Re: ICOM 6 Meter QRP Rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: magilla4738@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <718taf$nd8$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127591

I'd say you have 2 choices here:

Icom IC502 6M SSB/CW, VXO and 3w PEP. Analogue dial
Icom IC505 6M SSB/CW, synthesized, 10W PEP, digital readout. 6 mems

Both of these radios have a rod antenna. The IC502 uses crystals which can be pulled slightly to the frequency you want to operate on. The IC502 stands vertical. The IC505 has an LCD frequency display, 6 memories, scanning etc. It is a normal horizontal radio with an extendable antenna on the side.

I have a IC505 but haven't used it much so I can't comment much on the performance. The audio both transmit and receive is very thin but intellegible. I don't know of any other similar radios.

Aaron

In article <19981028164653.18209.00000639@ng08.aol.com>,
n0vfp@aol.com (N0VFP) wrote:
> I was at a hamfest awhile back and saw a Icom 6m QRP radio I'll describe it
> for you
> It had a rod antennna
> It did SSB/CW
> put about 5-10 watts
>
> Anyone know the model? I'd like to buy one of these sometime next year,
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>
> --
> Lloyd Davies, N0VFP
> http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP/
> HTX-202,212 ADI HT-204
> ATS-909, DX-302
> Hallicrafters S-120 , S-125
> See Me:
> http://www.qrz.com/wrad/directory.cgi?n0vfp
>

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2943. Re: radio transmission "fingerprinting" ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott Thayer <n7zti@pacinfo.com>
Message-ID: <3638A754.D97B19F6@pacinfo.com>
Source record: 127592

The only information that I can give you is a fingerprinting system made by Motron Electronics. They are located at 310 Garfield St Suite 4, P.O. Box 2748, Eugene, OR 97402, they web address is http://www.motron.com. Hope this helps.

Scott (N7ZTI)

WK1V wrote:

> Toe Jam wrote in message <36342972.FA5F3C67@remove.all.except.bga.com>...
> >Someone I spoke to recently mentioned a device selling in the
> >mid-hundreds that takes a "print" of a received signal for later
> >comparrison, etc. Apparently similar to 'voice printing', this
> >device can log radio transmissions and you can identify each
> >one -then if they ever key up again, you can tell who they are
> >just from the transmission "print."
> >
> >In fact, the guy mention that Ham Radio Outlet may have them
> >(he thinks remembers seeing them there) and I tried looking
> >at their site but cannot locate this device. Hopefully someone
> >out there knows what I am trying to describe and can point
> >me in the right direction.
> >Many thanks,
> >Chris
>
> I go to Ham Radio Outlet New Hampshire once a week and can tell you they
> don't have them Chris. Sorry.

2944. Re: WTB: Drake R8, R8A or R8B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: J W Schermerhorn <skemi?@capital.net>
Message-ID: <36383580.71A@capital.net>
Source record: 127593
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

10/29/98

Bill,

Hold out for the "B" if you can. The SSB sync detector is great. JW

wplanck@netusa1.net wrote:
>
> Want to buy Drake R8, R8A, or R8B in excellent cond. Not interested in VHF
> converter or R8 speaker.
> Bill K9KZ
> wplanck@netusa1.net

2945. Re: TS-450S/AT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: tesla <tesla@access1.net>
Message-ID: <36380A91.5BA9@access1.net>
Source record: 127594

Dear Asshole,

I guess you do not want to sell your 450 SAT, with messages like the one
below. What a fucking DORK!!! BTW moron, the 450 is worth maybe $650 on
a good day. What a jack off!!!

> > ----------
> > When replying or sending messages to this user,
> > they must be addressed with your "REAL" Account
> > Name. Any messages from Bogus mail programs like
> > "HotMail" are deleted at the server prior to
> > viewing from the user. Bounced Messages are
> > forwarded to the proper authorities for
> > prosecution under Mail Fraud and, or,
> > other penalties set forth by the
> > United States Congress
> > Communications Act(s).
> >
> > *** e o f ***
> >
> >
>
> ----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2946. ICOM IC-CM8

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: mack501@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <71912s$s46$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127595

Does anyone know where I can find out more information on this VHF radio? Such as original price and operating instructions. I saw one in a pawn shop for $150. Im trying to decide if its worth it. I was trying to find something I could use with my motorola MX-300 R. Please email me mack501@hotmail.com Much Thanks in advance mack!

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2947. Ebay item - dualband HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Vlack <k2dv@rochester.rr.com>
Message-ID: <36381B6D.DE6D2FEA@rochester.rr.com>
Source record: 127596

For sale Kenwood TH-77A 144/440 HT
http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=38484188
--

73 from
Don Vlack K2DV

2948. Re: New maha-rexon dual band ht EXPOSED !! look@@!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: user66@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981029032630.10603.00000965@ng-fb2.aol.com>
Source record: 127597

rexon 501 and standard 558
are using the same exact battery !!!
the radios are exact same phisical size
and knob layout on top is the same

Yes they are cosmetically different and keypads are different as well
Obviously They changed it slightly to conceal the true identity , probably
changed the software for user interface(the way you progrm it etc.)
But it's still the same radio !!!!!
READ THE SPECS AND FEATURES

coincidance ???
...NOT !!!

eg: remember Radio shack Dual band ht
and the current ADI dual band ht ??

They shure look different but are the same exact radio too

Don't worry Clint my sight is fine and I don't care if YOU BELIEVE ME
You're not even capable of having an argument without insults !!!
CB influence ?

The facts remain ...!!!

Andy>

2949. Re: WTB: ICOM W32A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: user66@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981029034235.10602.00000870@ng-fb2.aol.com>
Source record: 127598

Why would You want an w32 ??
Don't waste Your money !

I bought one new and send it back two days later
The receiver on the w32 is trully pathetic !!!
Gets completelly clobbered and overloaded with desense and inermod
(even on rubber duckie)
It's like a handheld deaf-ear ht !!!

all I did was make a simple comparison
holding a W32 in one hand and Yaesu Ft-530 in the other, both tuned in to same freq.
(2 meter simplex with qso going on)

530 heard all three stations close to full quieting- PERFECT

W32 IN the other hand only heard the strongest station couple of miles away during the transmissions of others I heard their signals dissapearring in worble , noise , scratchiness and garbage or just full scale nothing and the squelch would close...

What more can I say ?
Andy> nn6d

very unscientific but than again real life not always is...

2950. Re: IC761 and FT736 question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: HARTEVELD <a.harteveld@io.tudelft.nl>
Message-ID: <36383E5C.267EAA08@io.tudelft.nl>
Source record: 127599

Mike Pastore wrote:

> Heya all
> I have an IC-761 and an FT-736. I'm thinking of selling them and upgrading
> them. Both systems are in good shape. What kind of prices do you think
> this gear will go for?
>
> Thanks
> Mike
> WA7SCH "Seattle's Craziest Ham"
>
> -.. . ..-- .- --... ... -.-. .... <- I apologize, just always wanted to do
> that :-)

Hapens to me all the time Mike, a dot to many in my callsign..... HI
Arend PE1PVB

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Arend Harteveld
Industrieel Ontwerpen
Jaffalaan 9
2628 BX Delft
Tel: (+31 15) 2781198
Fax: (+31 15) 2787316

2951. EBay Item - FT890AT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Vlack <k2dv@rochester.rr.com>
Message-ID: <3638187B.B91B0B55@rochester.rr.com>
Source record: 127600

Yaesu FT-890AT HF Rig.
http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=38482614
--

73 from
Don Vlack K2DV

2952. FA: TEKTRONIX 453 MANUAL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Argus <rlong3@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <719k7d$1b1@sjx-ixn4.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 127601

Complete instruction / maintenance manual for this classic scope.
Photo on eBay. See item number 37950203.

2953. DX 70TH ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Perry <w7av@wolfenet.com>
Message-ID: <36385B78.694B@wolfenet.com>
Source record: 127602

AES has a sale on the Alinco DX 70TH 779.00. Any comments on how good this rig plays? Looking for something that covers 160-6 meters but don't want to spend alot of money.

Thank You, Rick W7AV

2954. Icom-502

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Castiglione <mcast@flashnospam.net>
Message-ID: <01be0337$dd9a15a0$7bd7c2d0@gma00000tech00>
Source record: 127603

Hello...I picked up a Icom IC-502 6 Meter ssb transciever, without any manuals...Does anyone have a copy to send me,via Email or US mail..I will reinburse the postage and copying cost if you like. I am good in the callbook. Thanks in advance for any help....73 Mark N8rez mcast@flash.net

2955. Re: ICOM 6 Meter QRP Rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Castiglione <mcast@flashnospam.net>
Message-ID: <01be0338$c8563f60$7bd7c2d0@gma00000tech00>
Source record: 127604

It was an IC-502....and at that price I would have grabbed it FAST...I just posted looking for the manual for the one I bought for $100 at our swap...and on my way back to my table, a guy offered $175 on the spot!.....Too bad you didn't know it's worth....fyi..It puts out 3watts..and runs on 9 D cells...a nice old and different looking rig.. 73 Mark N8rez mcast@flash.net

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> for you
> It had a rod antennna
> It did SSB/CW
> put about 5-10 watts
>
> Anyone know the model? I'd like to buy one of these sometime next year,
> This one went for 50.00 at the Hamfest, but it was sold the next time I went
> to the table... Oh well

2956. FS 275H and 475H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: #fleet@mbl.edu
Message-ID: <#fleet-2910980831510001@pom1.mbl.edu>
Source record: 127605
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Both radios are mint, 275 is 100W radio 475 is 75W radio. Also have the
CT16 Sat. interface 75.00
275-800.00 shipped
475-875.00 shipped
pkg-1500.00 you ship and I will include CT16 for free.

--
Do not autoreply, remove # sign from email address to respond

Barry Fleet K1SWR
Cape Cod MA

2957. Re: radio transmission "fingerprinting" ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim - WK1V <jjm@Pshore.net>
Message-ID: <3HZZ1.2$%C5.2860@news.shore.net>
Source record: 127606

Thanks for the info Scott. You can go to Ham Radio Outlet's web site and search for items with their search engine if you like. That way if they ever do begin carrying Motron Electronics or other devices related to this thread you will know whether they have them in stock or not.. http://www.hamradio.com and click on "SEARCH" at the top of the page.

73, de jim - wk1v

Scott Thayer wrote in message <3638A754.D97B19F6@pacinfo.com>...
> The only information that I can give you is a fingerprinting system made by
>Motron Electronics. They are located at 310 Garfield St Suite 4, P.O. Box >2748, Eugene, OR 97402, they web address is http://www.motron.com. Hope this
>helps.

2958. TS-830 Rx Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Marshall-Read <robert.marshallread@aethos.co.uk>
Message-ID: <36386ABF.D56756E5@aethos.co.uk>
Source record: 127607

Does anyone know of any mod for separate receive antenna input for the TS-830. I assume it is into the XVRTR Din plug, but is there an internal switch that must be thrown or is the link between the RX and the relay broken when the Din plug is inserted? Does this also break the transmit link?

Please let me know.

Bob

G4VGO/EI7IU

2959. Re: New maha-rexon dual band ht EXPOSED !! look@@!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: fishbags@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981029092040.04358.00000829@ng19.aol.com>
Source record: 127608

>emember Radio shack Dual band ht
>and the current ADI dual band ht.................
But they were both made by ADI in the same country & factory by ADI
The Rexon is not made in japan by Standard. By the way the same battery fits the ADI, the Rexon, the standard & many others. It seems that both ADI & Rexon have "loosley" patterned all their HT's on the "Standard" mold, but there are differences. (the current USA version of the Rexon dual bander will allow direct entry of cellular freqs if you know what to do.....)

2960. Pager standards and encoding?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: eric_fre@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <71a2eh$6pe$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127609

Does any body out ther have information on or know where I can get it from
on text pager standards such as operating frequencies and modes.
Two reasons I have, one I have a pager in the UK and when I return home I was
hoping to retune it to the Australian frequencies and use it there.
Secondly I was toying with the idea of trying to decode the signals from my
rxver with a pc and a modem or sound card.
I know its FSK but I'm not sure of baud rates and tones? Any ideas?
PLS reply by e-mail
THX in advance.
Cheers
ERIC.

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2961. Re: WTB: ICOM W32A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Ottria <Gottria@Inreach.com>
Message-ID: <My%Z1.3973$E5.720064@news.inreach.com>
Source record: 127610

I would have to agree, the Icom W32 has a lot of problems in a high RF environment. However I only had a problem with an outside antenna. With an outside antenna attached I would try to key up the repeater and not hear a reply from it, I thought I wasn't making it in. Wrong, I was making it in just fine the radio was so overloaded with RF that it couldn't hear the repeater reply. If I used the rubber duck antenna it was OK. I took it back and got a Yaesu FT-51R. Not a problem anymore!!!

Greg Ottria KE6PTP
Castro Valley, California
Gottria@Inreach.com
http://home.inreach.com/sony

User 66 wrote in message <19981029034235.10602.00000870@ng-fb2.aol.com>...
>Why would You want an w32 ??
>Don't waste Your money !
>
>I bought one new and send it back two days later
>The receiver on the w32 is trully pathetic !!!
>Gets completelly clobbered and overloaded with desense and inermod
>(even on rubber duckie)
>It's like a handheld deaf-ear ht !!!
>
>all I did was make a simple comparison
>holding a W32 in one hand and Yaesu Ft-530 in the other, both tuned in to same
>freq.
>(2 meter simplex with qso going on)
>
>530 heard all three stations close to full quieting- PERFECT
>
>W32 IN the other hand only heard the strongest station couple of miles away
>during the transmissions of others I heard their signals dissapearring in
>worble , noise , scratchiness and garbage or just full scale nothing and the
>squelch would close...
>
>What more can I say ?
>Andy> nn6d
>
>very unscientific but than again real life not always is...

2962. Re: W32A Low Voltage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: warchief@triax.com
Message-ID: <warchief-2910980113040001@spk-39.cet.com>
Source record: 127611

In article <36377aed.91219334@news.mit.edu>, rlindzen@mit.edu (Richard S. Lindzen) wrote:

> I have an ICOM W32A, and it now reads 'low voltage' whenever I start
> -- even if I'm operating off the charger or off my car's cigar
> lighter. Otherwise it seems to be operating o'kay. Any idea of what
> might be wrong?
> Dick Lindzen KA1SA

Hello!

I have a theory as to what is causing your "low voltage" situation. If I remember correctly, the radio gives you a readout of the battery strength each time upon startup. Just above this readout, the word "Low" may or may not appear in the display. This word might be what is causing you the confusion.

If the battery is depleted to the point of supplying insufficient power, the entire display blinks, and I believe a audible beep warning is given as well. I have never seen the words "low voltage" accompany this blinking and audible warning.

However, the word "Low" in the display is an indication that your radio is transmitting on low power, a mode designed to conserve battery life. The way to check this out is to look at the radio key panel, and look for the button to the right on the number 3. That button should be labeled "H/L" Push that button, and you should hear a confirming beep. Does the word "Low" disappear from the display? If so, you have solved your problem!

I hope this helps you out!

2963. Re: A tough choice - ts-570sg, ft-920 or the ic-746.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: davidho@one.net.REMOVE
Message-ID: <3638917e.64715215@news.netnews.att.com>
Source record: 127612

On Tue, 27 Oct 1998 17:38:14 -0500, corbin <corbin@zk3.dec.com> wrote:

>I just passed my General license exam this past weekend
>and now I'm looking to get my first radio. I have come
>down to 3 choices: the Kenwood TS-570SG, the Yaesu FT-920
>or the ICOM IC-746. It is a difficult choice and I just
>keep wavering among them. I expect that I would be using
>the rig for CW predominately but who knows what I'll get
>into in the future.
>
>Help me out here! Tell me why you like your rig (one of
>the above) and what made you choose it over others.
>
>- steve

I think there is a sale going on from Kenwood. Kenwood will give you
a $250 rebate if you buy the TS-570SG, 707A, and 71A all at once.
Offer good only in the US.

This sounds like a good deal for those who are not particularly loyal
to one brand and want "more boxes" for what same money can buy.

Just my 2 cents worth.

Best 73!

de David Ho, AF4BH
Covington, KY
davidho@one.net

2964. Re: Anyone Know about GREG GOLDA K2GKG-Lexinton, SC ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: sigintman@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981029112223.28134.00001071@ng71.aol.com>
Source record: 127613

Murray,
We did a swap a few months back...talked with him several times during the deal and after....had some e mail from him after the deal, seemed like a nice guy, I would deal with him again. I'll look around to see if I still have his phone number...hope things work out.
Ed Hutton N3KEX+

2965. Re: New maha-rexon dual band ht EXPOSED !! look@@!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: ko6ux@adi-radio.com
Message-ID: <71a89pfhm1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127614

In article <19981029032630.10603.00000965@ng-fb2.aol.com>,

> rexon 501 and standard 558
> are using the same exact battery !!!
> the radios are exact same phisical size
> and knob layout on top is the same
>
> Yes they are cosmetically different and keypads are different as well
> Obviously They changed it slightly to conceal the true identity , probably
> changed the software for user interface(the way you progrm it etc.)
> But it's still the same radio !!!!!
> READ THE SPECS AND FEATURES
>
> coincidance ???
> ...NOT !!!
>
> eg: remember Radio shack Dual band ht
> and the current ADI dual band ht ??
>
> They shure look different but are the same exact radio too

There is quite a bit of difference between this situation and the ADI/Radio Shack situation. ADI Taiwan designed and manufactured both the AT-600 and the HT-204. While Rexon may (or may not) be copying the Standard C558A, the RL-501 is CERTAINLY not made in Japan by Standard. It may be a similar design, but it is NOT the same radio.

Standard is VERY popular in Taiwan, Korea, and China and an awful lot of manufacturers in that part of the world copy the Standard cosmetics for that reason. Reference the Relm commercial HTs. Those look suprisingly Standard-like, but nobody in their right mind is about to imply that they were actually made by Standard.

It's funny that you try to use the "they use the same battery pack" argument to prove your point. I can actually go into any two-way radio store and find radios made by Standard, Relm, ADI, Maxon, Midland, Ritron, and many other manufacturers that are using the exact same Standard CNB-151 battery pack. The CNB-151/152/153 is by far the most popular battery pack on the planet. Are you insinuating that all of these brands are made by the same company?

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2966. Need help on features of these rigs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: fantbb@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <71a8g8$g8g$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127615

Hello all;

I am looking at picking up a used rig and I was hoping some of those out there could tell me what the following rigs have as standard equipment on them. Like solid state finals, noise limiters, filters etc... I know nothing about what they have so any help that any one could give me would be really appriciated!

The rigs are I am looking at picking up one of are;

Kenwood TS 140S
430S
520S
820S
830S

Icom 725
751

Yaesu 747

Thanks for any and all help!

73!

Jeff
AB6MB

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2967. FS: Yaseu FT-920 - $950.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pat Armstrong <Pat_Armstrong@ccm.ra.intel.com>
Message-ID: <363899DA.494E@ccm.ra.intel.com>
Source record: 127616

I offer for sale a Yaseu FT-920 160-6 meter DSP transceiver with low hours in excellent condition. Radio has antenna tuner, keyer and voice recorder.Rig has the AM thru board for AM transmit/receive capabilities, but no other options. The radio comes with the stock hand microphone, original box, ops manual and VCR tape. I am asking $950.00, but also open to reasonable offers. Many thanks for the read...

Pat - AA7FG, Oregon

2968. Tokyo HyPower reflector

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Caitlyn M. Martin" <cait.martin@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <3638a028.0@news1.ibm.net>
Source record: 127617

Hi, everyone,

I recently bought a Tokyo HyPower HT-750, which has to be the absolute best ham radio purchase I have ever made. There are a couple of not-so-great pictures of me operating the rig at Hemlock Bluffs (a wildlife refuge near Cary, NC)on the radio page of my web site. I'll be operating from Falls Lake (near Creedmoor, NC) this Saturday on 6 and 15 meters with it. It really is the perfect rig for portable QRP operation.

When I posted to the QRP-L about the HT-750 I got a ton of e-mail from folks who were curious about it, wanting to know how to get one, wanting to know how I got one (Dumb luck, really), wanting to know how I liked it, and so on... This rig really seems to capture the imagination of QRP and 6 meter operators.

Anyway, the HT-750 is one of three pieces of Tokyo HyPower equipment I own. It struck me that most manufacturers have a reflector to discuss everything from technical issues to buying and selling to operating anecdotes, but not THP, so... I started one.

Anyone is welcome to subscribe. The list will cover both equipment marketed under Tokyo HyPower's name and OEM equipment manufactured by THP (such as the monobanders sold first by Amp Supply and then by Kantronics). Who knows, maybe those who want to buy an HT-750 (which is still in production), or any of THP's other current models, can arrange a group purchase.

If you'd like to subscribe, please go to the following URL:

http://www.onelist.com/subscribe.cgi/thp

It should be a unique discussion.

Thanks, 72, and 73,
Cait
KU4QD

Caitlyn M. Martin cait.martin@ibm.net
http://www.caitys-world.com

"They have computers... and may have other
weapons of mass destruction" - Janet Reno

2969. Re: On-glass UHF antennas any good?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "T. David Cohen" <tdavid@eatel.net>
Message-ID: <3638A68C.236D4E5B@eatel.net>
Source record: 127618

Tony, I've been using one with an ICOM 207H (on both 2 meters and 440 MHz) for about a year and it seems to work great. I don't have anything to compare it to though.

Good luck.

Tony Szablowski wrote:

> Folks, I'd like to hear any and all opinions/info on on-glass
> UHF(460-470MHz) antennas, please. Plus, I'd like to know if it's
> better than a trunk-lip mount antenna? Thanks.
> --
> Regards,
> Tony

2970. FORSALE - MINT Kenwood TS-520S + VFO-520S, great starter rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: jpl@hoserve.ho.lucent.com
Message-ID: <71aapa$dm5@nntpb.cb.lucent.com>
Source record: 127619
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,nj.forsale,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

I have a mint Kenwood TS-520S plus the optional matching remote
VFO-520S that I would like to sell. In my opinion, the 520
and 520S are some of the best rigs around and would make a
fantastic beginner station or a great backup rig.
The remote VFO is a wonderful option to have and gives
the capability to either run split frequencies or to flip-flop
between two frequencies.

For any novices not familiar with this radio, it is all solid state
(discrete components, so its very easy to repair if ever needed)
except for a tube driver and a pair of very
robust 6146 tubes as the finals. It has a builit in power supply,
but can also run off of 12VDC with an optional DS-1A
DC-DC convertor (not included). It also has connections for the
Kenwood DG-5 digital display.
It covers 160,80,40,20,15, and 10 meters in CW and SSB (upper and lower) modes.
The receiver section is excellent and I always get excellent audio quality
reports. Many folks say that these older Kenwoods are some of the best
sounding rigs on the air.

This rig also has the optional 500Hz CW filter
installed (genuine Kenwood option).

The price is $400 firm + shipping. You might find one for a few $ less,
but NOT is this great condition.

Joe Levantino
KB2FSH

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2971. icom 756 with amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: w4th@webtv.net
Message-ID: <20693-3638A40D-25@newsd-171.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 127620

I recently ran across a icom 756 at an estate sale which I bought. It didnt have a owners manual with it. I have one comming, but in the time being, I would like to run my amp with the rig. My question concerns the use of the amp with the rig. Can the 756 be used with an amp without the use of an external relay keying box? I have been told that it had to have the external box, and someone else told me it did not need the external box, that it could handel the amp keying just fine all by itself. What is the right answer? Thanks for you input....Tom Hix

2972. Icom IC-706 S-meter adjustment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Hall <nojunkmail_boating@worldlynx.net>
Message-ID: <3638AC88.44A8@worldlynx.net>
Source record: 127621

I have an Icom 706 Mk I, and although I like the radio, I find that the S-meter is way too generous, especially below S-9, and I would like to adjust it. I've looked at the schematic (A poorly copied version with hard to read numbers), and as near as I can figure, there isn't a pot to turn. I was wondering if the S-meter range is in software (Like my FT-50R), and if so, how does one access it?

Any ideas?

Thanks
Dave
N3CVJ (Remove the "Nojunkmail" from my email address)

2973. WTB KENWOOD TH78A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed boerner <boerner@ptd.net>
Message-ID: <R93_1.787$vH.1259@nnrp1.ptd.net>
Source record: 127622

I AM LOOKING TO BUY A TH78A .

kb3ayy @ptd.net
Thanks Ed

2974. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: dlpearce <dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu>
Message-ID: <3638C8DA.BDE700A2@eos.ncsu.edu>
Source record: 127623
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

>
> > The estimate assumed the US and Soviet Union at peak nuclear
> > strength. With current levels of disarmament, nuclear war has
> > become much more thinkable than just a few years ago. Instead
> > of having to absorb 20,000 nuclear explosions, today either side
> > would only have to deal with less than a thousand. And today's
> > bombs are smaller too (average 150 KT). That's a somewhat
> > scary trend. It is making nuclear war fighting look like a winnable
> > proposition to a leadership willing to take large losses.
> >
> > Gary
>
>
> A likely scenario may be a network of chemical and/or biological attacks to
> which we respond aggressively, that sets off a series of ever-widening
> responses and counter-responses which then triggers a nuclear barrage from
> multiple sources. The complex nature of initial blast death and damage,
> fallout, firestorms, polluted air, water and soil, lost infrastructure
> (described above) may geometrically magnify losses. We may also consider
> that the bombs that we drop elsewhere in the world will deposit garbage in
> the atmosphere that, together with what we receive, likely drift over us
> and alter for decades the world's weather system ... eco-Chicken-Little Al
> Gore would be in his glory!
>

I didn't think we had so much of our nuclear capability dismantled, just the ICBM delivered stuff. I thought much of our aircraft delivered weaponry (some of the heaviest available) was very much alive and kicking. Hence the continuation of many of our stealth aircraft projects. I remember reading about several plane mounted devices that were designed to penetrate and destroy Russia's equivalent to NORAD that were capable of yields in the 200MT range. Popular Science used to cover all sorts of nuclear weaponry during the early eighties.

I doubt seriously even multiple 3rd world countries would want to target us. Their missles are just coming to the point where they are viable within their own continents, much less cross an ocean reliably. After the 4 or 5 warheads go off in the US, given 100% accuracy, our retaliation would more than likely be swift and brutal enough to discourage any further attacks from any other parties.

On your comment of biological weapons, the US considers bio weapons to be weapons of mass destruction. Given we no longer play with biological weapons in conflicts (or so we say), a bio attack on us would be grounds for nuclear

retaliation.

What you really need to be concerned about is terrorist attacks involving nuclear and biological weapons. Terrorists typically can't be found to punish, whether because the play a macrocosm on a microcosmic level or they choose to become martyrs for their own cause. Frankly, they just don't give a damn. Even a trunk mounted "fizzling" nuclear device can kill 100's of thousands of people instantly, and their poisoning of the environment has been theorized to be much worse than a well designed weapon of the same size (though instantaneous destructive capability is much lower).

David

2975. Equipment for sale - Estate sale.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: lynneandre@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981029152617.24010.00001078@ng-fd1.aol.com>
Source record: 127624

Estate sale.

Lots of Tektronix 5XXX series storage and multi-channel scopes with all sorts of plug-ins. The list is too long to post here. E-mail me for a complete list.

Also, antique instruments and laboratory standards.

2976. Re: icom 756 with amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul <pab1@home.com>
Message-ID: <8w4_1.977$Ff6.9162376@news.rdc1.mi.home.com>
Source record: 127625

Hello, Yes and no! There is a small relay in your IC-756
That can switch up to 16 VDC @ 2 A
If these values are exceeded than you may do damage to your internal relay.

Hope this helps.

Paul

2977. Yaseu FT-920 SOLD...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pat Armstrong <Pat_Armstrong@ccm.ra.intel.com>
Message-ID: <3638D6CE.F93@ccm.ra.intel.com>
Source record: 127626

Thanks to all for your readings and interests, but I am happy to report
that the Yaseu found a good home!

73' Pat - AA7FG...

2978. Re: On-glass UHF antennas any good?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Roland Messerschmidt <bull.graz@netway.at>
Message-ID: <71aks6imr1@news.netway.at>
Source record: 127627

I used such antenna on a company's car to remove it without damages, had never problems.
Now I use a on-glass antenna for my cellular phone and the 2m/70cm ant is on the trunk lip.
Both on-glass ant. gets/got a little bit loud when driving over 150 km/h (90 mph).
When I got the new car, I worked a short time with a dummy load _IN_ the trunk, had nice QSO on several repeaters.....

Roland, OE6MOD

Tony Szablowski schrieb in Nachricht
<7185dv$oh4@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>...
>Folks, I'd like to hear any and all opinions/info on on-glass
>UHF(460-470MHz) antennas, please. Plus, I'd like to know if it's
>better than a trunk-lip mount antenna? Thanks.
>--
>Regards,
>Tony
>
>

2979. Icom IC-2SAT - seems dead???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bruce Barnes <bruce.barnes@unocal.com>
Message-ID: <71al8j$2j@news.unocal.com>
Source record: 127628

My buddy brought in his somewhat elderly Icom IC-2SAT for me to look at. It hasn't been used for 8 or 9 years. He recently charged it, we get receiver squelch but there is no display.

The radio worked the last time he used it all those years ago and has been just sitting since then. Does anybody have an idea of what may be wrong?

Regards,
Bruce
KF6EZT

2980. Re: Icom IC-2SAT - seems dead???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bruce Barnes <bruce.barnes@unocal.com>
Message-ID: <71am00$1c2@news.unocal.com>
Source record: 127629

Well, I answered my own question. It only took a call to Icom in Washington.

I hit the reset keys and it came back to life. Hold the Function key and the "A" key then power on. It reset and we're listening to CLARA (Orange County).

2981. Re: Pager standards and encoding?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Lyons <boblyons@umich.edu>
Message-ID: <3638DEE1.189A15FA@umich.edu>
Source record: 127630

eric_fre@hotmail.com wrote:
>
> Does any body out ther have information on or know where I can get it from
> on text pager standards such as operating frequencies and modes.
> Two reasons I have, one I have a pager in the UK and when I return home I was
> hoping to retune it to the Australian frequencies and use it there.
> Secondly I was toying with the idea of trying to decode the signals from my
> rxver with a pc and a modem or sound card.

As I recall, there was a POCSAG decoder for PC's described in a recent
issue of Popular Electronics. Sorry I don't have details, but head for
a library and look in the last 12 issues - probably about 6 months ago
would be my closest guess.

Bob, KI8AB

2982. ::::NEW!!..I say NEW Eimac 4CX1000 For Sale:::

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Murray Neece" <kc5mdm@iglobal.net>
Message-ID: <3638DDEA.23D2B0A0@iglobal.net>
Source record: 127631
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Still in the unopened plastic ...new in the factory
box....$700...gauranteed NEW!! Thanks Murray

2983. For Sale -- Gemini DS 824 Samplers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: entertainer@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <71aotf$9f5$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127632

I have 10 Gemini DS 824 samplers as a result of taking apart a home-made sampler center that incorperated 12 of these units which could be activated by a keyboard so you could play them assuming that you have the proper samples recorded on them. They make smaller, eaiser, and better units than that now, so it has been dis-assembled. Anyway, I am keeping two of the samplers because I like them, but I would like to sell the rest. All work fine 100%. The only thing you will need is to purchase a new 12 VDC power adapter for each unit. When they were mounted together, they were all being run off one large power supply rather than 12 transformers. The original transformers are no longer around. Radio shack sells replacements for about $15.00. These samplers have 5 channels. 4 3 sec. samples and 1 12 sec. sample each. I will accept $50.00 each if buying the whole lot, or $75.00 individually. Please email if interested.

entertainer@prodigy.net

Thank you!

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2984. :::Collins 30-SI::like new For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Murray Neece" <kc5mdm@iglobal.net>
Message-ID: <3638DF7C.E63423C9@iglobal.net>
Source record: 127633
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

This unit would be New if there werent one little 1\8" ding from shipping 10 years ago(its hidden on the side though)...its been put up all that time and will just blow your mind when you see it...4CX1000 in it with virtually no hours on it...This is $2300.. FOB Austin Texas, from an estate....Trade of current HF Gear considered but no BA's or junk please....prefer cash, and if you want the nicest one around , here it is...Its winged emblem....not willing to ship but might arrange delivery in Texas...Thanks Murray K5MDM

2985. :::Collins Miscellaneous For Sale:::

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Murray Neece" <kc5mdm@iglobal.net>
Message-ID: <3638E035.B91D7963@iglobal.net>
Source record: 127634
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

#1. CC1 Carrying Case in good but not excellent shape...winged
emblem $250.oo+ shipping...
#2. Crystal Pack for 32S3 &etc perfect shape....$250.oo + shipping

This is all from an estate, but can ship this stuff.. Thanks Murray

2986. [== PRC-47: Need source for LSB Mechanical Filter ==]

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: thor@otter.mbay.net
Message-ID: <71ao6k$qb0$1@supernews.com>
Source record: 127635
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

[== PRC-47: Need source for LSB Mechanical Filter ==]

I have a PRC-47 Military HF tranceiver and would like to do the
mod to transmit on Lower Side Band. It is my understanding that
the stock mechanical filter can be replaced with one that will
put the radio on LSB. If any one knows where to obtain one of these
filters, please let me know!

Also, if there is any other mod that can be done to get LSB, I would
like to know. I have heard that there is a mod that is done
electronically that provides LSB and USB.

-Thor N6FNP

2987. WTB: 150-170 MHz Bandpass cavity filters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gareth Bennett <garethb@es.co.nz>
Message-ID: <909584522.442183@Chaos.es.co.nz>
Source record: 127721

Pref with "N"connector fittings, please email me with what you have, and price. garethb@es.co.nz
cheers/ gareth

2988. FS: HENRY C80A02 VHF AMPS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: DALE EATON <rapidcomm@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01be02cf$0423e660$0292480c@fff>
Source record: 127722

I HAVE A COUPLE HENRY AMPS
THE TAG ON THE SIDE SAYS:

1 TO 5 WATTS IN
80 WATTS OUT
TUNED TO 155.985

HENRY STILL MAKES THESE AND YOU SHOULD BE ABLE TO TUNE THEM DOWN TO 2 MTRS.
CALL HENRY IF NEED MORE INFO.

$ 50.00 EACH (includes shipping in USA)

DALE

2989. wtd. Johnson Ranger or Ranger II

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: AMFONE@CONCENTRIC.NET
Message-ID: <718h17$504$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127723

Hello
Would like to find a nice good working Johnson Ranger or Ranger II
thanks tim

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2990. WTB: TenTec Omni V

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3bj@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <718l46$be5$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127724
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Wanted: TenTec Omni V, don't need the power supply or FM or voice board.
Please let me know what you have that is surplus to your needs.

Alan, N3BJ
Bent Mountain, VA

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2991. Re: ICOM 6 Meter QRP Rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: dickhughes@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <3637c51a.70110898@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 127725

It sounds like you are describing the IC-502. There was also an
IC-202, 2-meter SSB, an IC-402, 432 SSB & CW and IC-215, 2-meter FM in
the series. The IC-502 you saw covered the first 800 Khz of the 6
meter band. It was rated at 3 watts PEP, and 3 watts CW. I always
wanted one, but don't know what I would do with it. I don't have a
good memory, I'm reading from the Icom brochure. :-)

Dick Hughes - W6CCD

On 28 Oct 1998 21:46:53 GMT, n0vfp@aol.com (N0VFP) wrote:

>I was at a hamfest awhile back and saw a Icom 6m QRP radio I'll describe it
>for you
>It had a rod antennna
>It did SSB/CW
>put about 5-10 watts
>
>Anyone know the model? I'd like to buy one of these sometime next year,
>This one went for 50.00 at the Hamfest, but it was sold the next time I went
>to the table... Oh well

2992. MIDLAND 1530 SOFTWARE WTD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: ahd@wr.com.au
Message-ID: <718jbm$13j$3@the-fly.zip.com.au>
Source record: 127726

Hi:
Is there anyone out there that has a copy of the software to program

these radios.
I have lots of software to contol other radios,
E-mail me for a List.

Thanks
Alex

2993. NEC PAGER SOFTWARE WTB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: ahd@wr.com.au
Message-ID: <718jdc$13j$8@the-fly.zip.com.au>
Source record: 127727

I am looking for the control software
for this pager Model No R3A4-7B
Can anyone help?

Thank you
Alex Dampier

Sydney
Australia

2994. homebrew COR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don <pooky@excelr8.net>
Message-ID: <01be02e3$95fbee20$c9a071d1@default>
Source record: 127728

I'm looking for info or diagrams on connecting two radios as a repeater.
I must warn you that the question has been asked by me a couple times, and
everyone answers the same. ie." look is this manual" or "you need these
parts"

I"M looking for a explanation on how to wire two radios together, as is ,
to make a repeater. And what is a COR??? do i need one????
Does any one have the plans for a simple design i could build.
Thank you

pooky@nospam-toexpress.com

Don

2995. DENTRON DL-1000 linear - Good or Bad?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R. P. Peters" <rpeters@gis.net>
Message-ID: <01be02e5$9f570840$0e1e29d8@rpeters.gis.net>
Source record: 127729

I've got a chance to buy a Dentron DL-1000 kilowatt linear. I don't have much info about this amp and don't see any ads for Dentron in the mags.

Do you have an opinion about the Dentron??

Thanks. Dick - K1~WOW! near Boston, MA

2996. Re: DENTRON DL-1000 linear - Good or Bad?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Carroll <w0ex@scan.missouri.org>
Message-ID: <718m17nbl0@208.207.71.132>
Source record: 127730

Are you sure that's not a GL-1000? I've never heard of a DL model....the GL has 4 sweep tubes that are easily ruined, hard to find and a bit pricey.. so be sure you know it has a good set of tubes, and be careful how you tune up or you'll ruin them yourself.

73, Dick W0EX

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2997. WTB IC SP20 & IC SM10/6

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: ki3b@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981028222227.25062.00001078@ng-fi1.aol.com>
Source record: 127731

A friend of mine is looking for a IC SP20 and a IC SM10. He may be interested in a IC SM6 instead if the price is right.

He's looking for reasonably priced equipment in good condition and working.

Please contact him direct at w3tu@juno.com.

Thanks,

Joe KI3B

2998. WTB ten tec 234 speech processor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: rhka0fbj@netins.net
Message-ID: <718n67$6l0$1@ins8.netins.net>
Source record: 127732
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Cul8r

Robert Hull rhka0fbj@netins.net KA0FBJ

Want to help stop Spam? (also known as UNSOLICITED COMMERCIAL E-MAIL)
Support the Anti-Spam Amendment. Join at http://www.cauce.org/

Net-Tamer V 1.10 - Test Drive

2999. Re: homebrew COR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Carroll <w0ex@scan.missouri.org>
Message-ID: <718ni0qhd0@208.207.71.132>
Source record: 127733

Don wrote:
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A friend and I once made an interface for emergency use that made it possible to turn any two transceivers into a "repeater". It consisted of a VOX unit that took receiver speaker audio and rectified it, biasing on a transistor that drove a small relay that activated the PTT on the other (transmitter) radio, and speaker audio was patched into the mike port on the transmitter as well. (most of these solid state radios don't get too picky about input impedance's). The thing worked quite well, much better than I expected. There was literally NO lost syllable on the first word as I expected, and by building in adjustable delay on dropout, it could be set to hold in for the entire transmission quite well, even had a "squelch tail". It sounded exactly like a COR type repeater. I believe that thing is still around here somewhere.

Don't look for such a circuit in the literature, most designers would tell you that such a circuit will not work well, but it can be made to do so.

If you can figure out how to bias a transistor with rectified audio you can make one yourself.

Also note that no provision was made to ID the repeater, so that had to be done verbally by users. It never got used beyond a shakedown, and was kept for emergency use only,(and was never needed for that either) where an automatic IDer wouldn't be a big concern.

73, Dick C W0EX

3000. Re: Icom IC-22S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: bheaton@txdirect.net
Message-ID: <3637df27.517077540@news.txdirect.net>
Source record: 127734

You change the reference oscilator crystal to drop it down and change
the channel steps. I'll poke around some and try to find the exact
mod for you. I've talked to a couple guys that have modified several.

BDH

On Wed, 28 Oct 1998 16:43:13 -0600, "Boris Lavrinoff"
<ve5bl@dlcwest.com> wrote:

>This radio currently covers 146-148 Mhz
>Anyone know how to bring it down to 144-146 so that it could be used on APRS
>at 144.39 ??
>
>Thanks
>73s de ve5bl
>

3001. Re: ICOM 6 Meter QRP Rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: ni6l@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <718or7$79f@dfw-ixnews3.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 127735

Possibly could have been a IC 505 if it was 10 W and had a rod antenna.
The 505 was the successor to the 502 but in a "horizontal" (std mobile)
format rather than the "vertical" 502 format.

Tim

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>>to the table... Oh well
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>

3002. Kenwood 950-sdx xmit problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Boyer <gboyer@computech-online.net>
Message-ID: <KUp_1.73$Mt.82@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 127389

When I am on 20 meters I seem to get a null and can not hear anything in the headset,,,if I keep tuning I can hear myself in the monitor audio. I transmitted in to a dummy load and still get the same problem result. I also have tried taking the ground off with similar result. Any suggestions? Thanks...Gary..K8BY

3003. The Return of FCC Enforcement!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: DavidC <davidc@bit-net.com>
Message-ID: <01be0449$6a7db6e0$dd8492d0@davidc.bit-net.com>
Source record: 127390

I do not desire to comment on the specific cases mentioned in the ARRL bulletin, but this is wonderful news for Ham radio -- the return of FCC enforcement. Clearly voluntary controls have been utterly ineffective and the hobby has suffered terribly as a result. KUDOS to Mr. Riley!

Amateurs should note the Enforcement Line at the bottom. It is my understanding that one of these enforcement actions resulted from persistent efforts to engage FCC enforcement. Take note.

Anyone have a simple checklist for what critical information the FCC would like to have when such calls are placed?

Looking forward to the re-civilization of our bands! 73, DavidC AA1FA

ARRL Bulletin 91 ARLB091
ARLB091 FCC cracks enforcement whip

The FCC has begun to crack its amateur enforcement whip. A New Jersey ham has been ordered off 40 meters until further FCC notice after allegedly causing interference to the ANARC Net on 7.240 MHz October 18. The FCC also issued an Official Notice of Violation October 21 against James C. Thompson, KA2YBP, of Waretown, New Jersey.
...
It's the Commission's first amateur enforcement action since the FCC announced it would consolidate amateur enforcement within the Compliance and Information Bureau under the coordination of Riley Hollingsworth, K4ZDH, the CIB's legal advisor for enforcement.

Hollingsworth said he expects to have some additional amateur enforcement cases develop as a result of calls to the Amateur Enforcement Line, 202-418-1184.
--
Thank You! & 73, DavidC AA1FA

"Faith is the posture that life is not a cruel joke played on us by no one." Anonymous

3004. Wtd: Tech in Chicagoland

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gregory <news@megsinet.net>
Message-ID: <71dc9q$4os$1@news.megsinet.net>
Source record: 127391

Need someone in Chicagoland who can replace the memory battery in my Yeasu
2400 and do the same in my TS50 ..... or anyone who did this before
and can tell me how to do it .
Greg , KA9MVP

3005. Re: Rigs To Survive Nuke War?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: dlpearce <dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu>
Message-ID: <363A32DF.B97DF38E@eos.ncsu.edu>
Source record: 127392
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Rob Kling wrote:

> I have one question. Who operates the radio....?
>
> Are you selling lead suits as well?
>
> Rob Kling

What about the lead for the cabinets to keep radiation from fast fissioning the thorium on the cathode?

David

3006. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: dlpearce <dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu>
Message-ID: <363A35E0.9B07C195@eos.ncsu.edu>
Source record: 127393
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Gary Coffman wrote:

> On Mon, 26 Oct 1998 12:08:19 -0500, dlpearce <dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu> wrote:
> >But what about particle radiation triggering high levels of secondary radiation in
> >the tube itself? It seems this would cause some measure of improper operation
> >within the tube.
>
> Two factors make this of little concern. First, alpha radiation cannot penetrate
> the tube envelope, and most beta radiation can't either. Gamma can, but there
> has to be something for ionizing radiation to ionize, and a tube is mostly empty
> vacuum. The amount of secondary emission due to ionizing radiation impact
> on tube structures is insignificant. Tubes can be used around nuclear reactor
> cores because they are very immune to the effects of ionizing radiation. That's
> a higher radiation environment than any communications equipment will ever be
> exposed to in a nuclear war, except if it is *very* near ground zero, in which case
> the blast and heat pulse effects of the detonation make any concerns about
> ionizing radiation moot.

What of high energy neutron and gamma radiation on the thorium coated cathode?

David

3007. FS/FT AOR AR2500 Wide Band Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: n9patsmk@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981030172533.08074.00001986@ng39.aol.com>
Source record: 127394

Hello,

I have an AOR AR2500 for sale or trade. The radio covers from .5~1500 MHz continuous coverage and all modes(AM, WFM, NFM, BFO for SSB and CW). The radio has 2000 memory channels and computer control. It comes with the mobile bracket, power cord, manual, and scancat computer software. The radio is in excellent shape and I am asking $300 obo or will consider trade on a 10 meter mobile radio. Email for more info or questions. Thanks,

Steve

3008. FS. 3KV. PLATE TRANSF.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Ship <ve2js@total.net>
Message-ID: <363A3EE3.6F29@total.net>
Source record: 127395

FOR SALE HAMMOND 3 KV PLATE POWER TRANSFORMER.

Brand New. Still in the crate. Hammond No. 37478.
2900-0-2900 volt @ 750ma ICAS rating.

Weight approx. 100 lbs.

For sale USD $200. plus transport.

3009. FS. GEN. RADIO ADJ. AIR LINES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Ship <ve2js@total.net>
Message-ID: <363A3F07.1149@total.net>
Source record: 127396

GENERAL RADIO 874LAL 50 OHM ADJUSTABLE AIR LINE.
Freq. range DC to 7GHz. Adjustment length 15 11/16"
collapsed to 24 1/4" extended. GR 874 type N female
connectors at each end.

These are brand new. I have a quantity of these.
For sale @ (USD) $60. each plus $5. Air Mail to
continental U.S.A.

3010. FS. ANTIQUE RADIO TUBES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Ship <ve2js@total.net>
Message-ID: <363A3F20.17F2@total.net>
Source record: 127397

FOR SALE Antique tubes (new in original boxes).

3 only RK60
2 only RK39
For sale @ $15. each (U.S.$) plus shipping

Please reply via email to: ve2js@total.net

Joe Ship, VE2JS
5637 Melling Ave.
Montreal, Que. Canada. H4W 2C1

phone: 514 482-6500
fax: 514 482-0828

3011. FS. UHF CAVITY FILTERS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Ship <ve2js@total.net>
Message-ID: <363A3F39.42CC@total.net>
Source record: 127398

FOR SALE UHF CAVITY FILTERS

Mfg. by TELEWAVE INC., Mountainview, CA.

2 only pass cavities for UHF Mod. TWPC 4508-1
These are in like new condition
JPG photo available by on request.

For sale at U.S. $125. each (U.S.D) plus shipping.
Please reply to:

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Montreal, Que. Canada H4W 2C1

phone: (514) 482-6500
fax: (514) 482-0828
email: ve2js@total.net

3012. FS. GEN. RADIO 940G DECADE INDUCTOR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Ship <ve2js@total.net>
Message-ID: <363A3F5C.33ED@total.net>
Source record: 127399

GENERAL RADIO 940G DECADE INDUCTOR.
100 mH step. 10 steps.

For sale @ (USD) $100. plus shipping.

Please contact:

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Montreal, Que. Canada H4W 2C1

phone: (514) 482-6500
fax: (514) 482-0828
email: ve2js@total.net

3013. FS. H.P. UHF SIG. GEN.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Ship <ve2js@total.net>
Message-ID: <363A3F75.40EF@total.net>
Source record: 127400

HEWLETT PACKARD 612A UHF SIGNAL GENERATOR

450 to 1230 MHz in one band.
Accuracy plus/minus 1%.
Output voltage from 0.1 microvolt to 0.5 Volt into 50 ohm.
Dial is calibrated in V and dBm.
Internal modulation of 400 & 1000 hz.

For sale @ (USD) $300. plus shipping.

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Montreal, Que. Canada, H4W 2C1

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fax: (514) 482-0828
email: ve2js@total.net

3014. FS. H.P. 803A VHF BRIDGE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Ship <ve2js@total.net>
Message-ID: <363A3F96.186B@total.net>
Source record: 127401

HEWLETT PACKARD 803A VHF BRIDGE.

Provides direct impedance measurements
from 2 to 2000 ohms, 55 to 500 MHz.
Phase angle is plus/minus 90 degrees.

For sale @ (USD) $300. plus UPS shipping costs.

Please contact:

Joe Ship, VE2JS
5637 Melling Ave.
Montreal, Que. Canada, H4W 2C1
email: ve2js@total.net

3015. Re: Shipments to and from Canada

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: ve6inm@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <71dhdc$34u$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127402

In article <3639FEFF.45E5@bc.sympatico.ca>,
barry_bogart@bc.sympatico.ca wrote:
>
> What is the definition of 'amateur equipment' for this purpose? Does a
> general coverage HF receiver qualify? Or a computer receiver like the
> Winradio?
>

I would assume so Barry, but a quick call to Canada Customs would verify that. There is no duty on most electronic parts either, excepting PhotoTransistors for some reason. That is how companies such as DigiKey can ship to Canada and no duties are paid. I know that the Canadian Digikey catalogue is different from the American one in the availability of certain parts that they can ship to Canada. Again, a quick call to the Feds would let you know. Or it may even be on their website. 73 de Glenn -- VE6INM (Glenn)

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3016. Re: Shipments to and from Canada - definition

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: dutch@dish-NET.com
Message-ID: <71dj34$5a5$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127403

> > Does anyone know the proper procedure for declaring the value of a piece of
> > used amateur radio equipment sent to or from Canada. I have been told that
> > threre is no duty on it. Any help will be appreciated. Thank you

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The Canadian Customs (or the U.S. Customs for that matter) has never questioned me about this. And I import/export electronics equipment (in either direction) on a regular basis. Anything computer I normally list as computer equipment (duty free anyway), but anything that can receive or transmit AND NOT INTENDED FOR COMMERCIAL USE, I always list as amateur radio equipment. Including power supplies to be used with this equipment. My feeling is, that common sense would prevail. If you were to import 25 satellite DSS receivers, I'm sure that the Customs people would not believe you when you tell them that you're working on a hamradio project and that you need all of those to make the contact.......And yes, I recently imported two WINRADIO's (from the U.S. to Canada) as amateur equipment and this was accepted. Rene VE6WCA (dutch)

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3017. FS. ASSTD. TUBES, NEW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Ship <ve2js@total.net>
Message-ID: <363A3FC0.775C@total.net>
Source record: 127404

TUBES FOR SALE. All are brand new, recent inventory, in the original manufacturers boxes. All prices in US$.

8 only 6AH6WA G.E. $3.00 ea.
2 only 6AH6 RCA $3.00 ea.
2 only 6AU6A G.E. $3.00 ea.
3 only 6BE6 RCA $3.00 ea.
4 only 12AT7 G.E. $14.00 ea.
16 only 12AX7A G.E. $14.00 ea.
1 only 12BH7A G.E. $16.00 ea.
1 only E80CC Siemens $40.00 ea.

Mininmum order $25.
Shipping to U.S. & Canada $10.00, on orders less than $100.
Shipping to U.S. & Canada included in price on orders over $100.

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3018. FS. TRANSMITTER TUBES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Ship <ve2js@total.net>
Message-ID: <363A3FDE.4788@total.net>
Source record: 127405

New transmitter tubes for sale.

4 only 4-125A Eimac @ US$40. ea.
2 only 3-400Z Eimac @ US$75. ea.
1 only 7704 Mullard (Philips QBL5-4000) US$450.
Shipping extra.

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5637 Melling Ave.
Montreal, QC. Canada H4W 2C1

phone (514)482-6500
fax (514)482-0828
email ve2js@total.net

3019. ISO RF Communications HF SSB Info.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Donald E. Smith" <desmith@innercite.com>
Message-ID: <363A475F.3EF57D40@innercite.com>
Source record: 127406
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

A couple of months ago I posted a message requesting information on a RF Communications HF SSB Transeiver that I had just picked up. There was a gentleman that worked at RF Harris that thought he could find a manual from the company archives. He was going to look for it and see if he could get me a copy. I have since lost his email address and would like to recontact him or anybody that might help me locate a manual for this unit. It is the SB-6FA and its antenna tuner. My unit uses 6146's as finals. Can anyone out there help me Thanks Don KB6GQA

3020. Re: How to filter distance repeaters?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: linda@nospam.com
Message-ID: <3639e0ce.1849399@news.flashcom.com>
Source record: 127407
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Yes, now I know. That's what I should have done. I bought a nice antenna(8-9db gain). Everyone always told me to spend the money on a good antenna and not to skimp. So.. I bought a good antenna!

Unfortunately, I already put up the antenna and it's not returnable...

On Fri, 30 Oct 1998 11:37:53 GMT, "Mike Cox" <ki5df@home.com> wrote:

>Linda, since you live on a mountain top, try using an antenna with less
>gain...or even an antenna with no gain, such as a 1/4 wave.....
>
>Mike KI5DF
>

3021. PCR-1000, again!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Crocker <bcrocker@home.com>
Message-ID: <m8s_1.1051$Ff6.9811359@news.rdc1.mi.home.com>
Source record: 127408
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

After regretting the sale of my Icom PCR-1000 last year, I decided to get another one. Now I need to come up to speed on what's new, i.e.; hardware, software, frequency databases, modifications, etc.

Thanks in advance for any advice!

Sincerely,
Bill Crocker

3022. Looking for ten tec 234 speech processor.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: rhka0fbj@netins.net
Message-ID: <71diek$r1e$1@ins8.netins.net>
Source record: 127409
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

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Net-Tamer V 1.10 - Test Drive
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3023. Re: radio transmission "fingerprinting" ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <363d48b7.24701097@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 127410

On Thu, 29 Oct 1998 17:07:24 -0500, "HP Authorized Customer" <joe@user.com> wrote:
>I've seen fingerprint type devices in ads in a number of magazines.
>
>But I was told by someone who knows his stuff, that with the
>right equipment, you can do almost as good yourself.
>
>He told me to use a soundblaster and record the audio, then
>look for stuff like low level phase whine and such. Obviously
>this isn't as good as the commercial products that tap right
>off the IF, but if you're just trying to trap someone, you'd be
>surprised what you can find out. Even at just the audio level.

Yeah, but if you can make a direct discriminator connection
you'll get more information. That's often easy with today's
"packet ready" rigs. It is often available on an accessory
connector, or even on a pin of the mic connector, so no
surgery may be required.

>I dealt with a jammer on a local repeater once. I set up my
>laptop and recorded it off the repeater since I wasn't in a
>position to get it direct (the prefered way) using BlasterMaster software.
>I then pieced the 'quiet times' together, and boosted background volume.
>Guess what I found? A VERY distinctive
>clock (turned out to be an expensive Coocoo clock!). Not
>evidence that could be used to really nail someone, but the
>word went out, the jamming stopped. What more could you
>ask for.

Absolutely.

A few words about how transmitter "fingerprinting" works might be
appropriate here for those who want to do it themselves. Because
of component tolerances, every transmitter has some nearly unique
characteristics at key up. The primary thing for FM rigs is VCO
settling characteristics.

A rig doesn't just come up clean on frequency, the VCO has to settle into
a solid lock. By monitoring discriminator voltage, you can tell which side
of zero the transmitter starts, and note the ringing pattern as the VCO
settles into lock. This pattern is the result of the exact filter response
in the PLL error loop, component tolerances in the VCO, and the exact
value of loop gain. No two transmitters are likely to have exactly the
same combination of factors even if they are the same make and model,
so you can tell them apart by comparing their key up patterns.

Note, it should be obvious that you have to hear the transmitter direct
to be able to fingerprint it according to its VCO characteristics. If you
can only hear it through the repeater, then it is the repeater you are
fingerprinting instead.

Other factors, like alternator whine, AC hum, PL characteristics, etc
can also be tipoffs. They aren't as tightly tied to the particular transmitter
as is VCO lock up, but at least some of them can be used through the
repeater to identify the bogie. And of course if you can hear environmental
sounds being transmitted, that's a clue too as Mike's story indicates.

A good *free* program for doing all this is Gram 4.2. It will produce a
sonogram which you can analyze to detect the unique characteristics
of the signal. Another useful program (not free) is Cool Edit. This program
lets you do all sorts of things to the signal to enhance various unique
features of the signature.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

3024. RF Probe for the Heath IM-5228 VTVM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Cooper <pcooper@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <363A4F9F.BE90FBFA@primenet.com>
Source record: 127411

I am looking for the RF Probe which was a small kit, used as a separate
part for the
above Heath VTVM.

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Paul Cooper - - - - - - - - - -- - -pcooper@primenet.com

818.341.3499 Voice
818.772.8863 FAX

3025. FS: Motorola HT1000 UHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan <n7wpd@xxmission.com>
Message-ID: <71disglbu1@news.xmission.com>
Source record: 127412
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have forsale a Motorola HT1000 UHF 403-470Mhz 2ch portable.
Recently re-cased, so looks and works great. Has 97' datecode Ultra High
Cap battery(ntn7144), antenna. No charger.

MDL# H01RDC9AA1DN
SRL# 402AXEA604

First $275 takes it. Acceptable payment is postal moneyorder in advance.

Remove one 'x' in the adress to reply.

Dan

3026. Re: DX 70TH ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim <amcastmis@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <363A5476.ADB0F430@earthlink.net>
Source record: 127413

I have the T model and think it's a pretty good radio, especially for the money. The TH obviously has the higher output on 6 but other than that they're the same. I think you'd be hard pressed to get anything better for the money. I don't have the noise problem mobile but maybe I'm just lucky and have a quiet ignition! HiHi. Good luck.

Jim WB6YAW

Rick Perry wrote:

> AES has a sale on the Alinco DX 70TH 779.00. Any comments on how good
> this rig plays? Looking for something that covers 160-6 meters but
> don't want to spend alot of money.
>
> Thank You, Rick W7AV

3027. Re: Wtd: Tech in Chicagoland

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <363A6086.33CF@onramp.net>
Source record: 127414

Gregory wrote:
>
> Need someone in Chicagoland who can replace the memory battery in my Yeasu
> 2400 and do the same in my TS50 ..... or anyone who did this before
> and can tell me how to do it .
> Greg , KA9MVP

Don't know about the Yaesu but the TS50 is easy, remove the bottom cover
and there it is. Soldered in of course but not hidden.
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Clif Holland KA5IPF
Owner of AVVid, an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
Click on the following or call 1-800-214-5779
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

3028. Re: PCR-1000, again!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clay Schneider <clayxschneider@lucent.com>
Message-ID: <71drdm$ls9$1@news1.fast.net>
Source record: 127415
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

See:

http://hoth.gcn.ou.edu/~jahern/home/pcr1000/

Everything you wanted to know [well, about the 1000 anyway].

Clay

Bill Crocker wrote in message ...
>After regretting the sale of my Icom PCR-1000 last year, I decided to get
>another one. Now I need to come up to speed on what's new, i.e.;
hardware,
>software, frequency databases, modifications, etc.
>
>Thanks in advance for any advice!
>
>Sincerely,
>Bill Crocker
>
>

3029. Rare Item for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: RightUpMyAlley@webtv.net
Message-ID: <25217-363A659C-48@newsd-151.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 127416

I have a very rare Instructograph Code Machine for sale if interested
email me with offer.

3030. ::SOLD.I say NEW Eimac 4CX1000 ;;;Sold:::

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Murray Neece" <kc5mdm@iglobal.net>
Message-ID: <363A935F.2AEB63FB@iglobal.net>
Source record: 127417
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

brought $575

This guy is still at it !! can you believe it?

Bored of Your Bull wrote:

> Murray .equipment is not a sales group. Take your stupid little business
> elsewhere.
> And, oh by the way, learn to spell.
>
> J. Murray Neece <kc5mdm@iglobal.net> wrote in article
> <3638DDEA.23D2B0A0@iglobal.net>...
> > Still in the unopened plastic ...new in the factory
> > box....$700...gauranteed NEW!! Thanks Murray
> >
> >

3031. Re: advise on ic-746 anybody...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Erik Skovgaard <Erik_Skovgaard@bc.sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <71e5ckdtp1@news.bctel.net>
Source record: 127418

Istvan,

I am not sure where the four filters come in. As far as I recall, it only has a 2.4 kHz filter (although the ad said 2.1 kHz). I bought the 500 Hz CW filter and the 1.9 kHz SSB filter since I like to work DX. The standard DSP filter is not adequate, IMHO.

One nuissance about the IC-746 is that it will not allow you to use the 500 Hz filter in mode which I use for Pactor. But there is a work-around. You have to "lie" to the setup menu and tell it that it has another filter. Then you can select the narrow filter option for the 500 Hz bandwidth. A minor nuissance to be sure.

No doubt about it, the IC 746 is a nice radio.

73 de VE7MDL ....Erik.

Istvan Agg wrote in message <36350884.1CDD00B@email.mot.com>...
[stuff deleted because my ISP (Sympatico) insists on deciding the proper ratio between included and reply text]

3032. WTB: Kenwood TS-940SAT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: DUKE <na1a@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <363A7D34.3F5253AB@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 127419
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Wanted: Late model (9 million and higher serial number) Kenwood
TS-940SAT. Must be in clean condition, fully functional, non-smoker
radio. Send detail description and price to the above address.
73,
Duke

3033. Need Info on Icom IC-2100 Mobile Rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Gary Zabriskie, N7ARE" <gary@sginet.com>
Message-ID: <71e8jf$fn7$1@quartz.inquo.net>
Source record: 127420

I am considering buying a new Icom IC-2100 2mtr mobile from AES in Las Vegas as they have
them on sale for $194.00

First things first. Does anyone who has used one of these have positive or negative thing to say about it that the rest of the group might benefit from?

I would like to modify it to have TX and RX outside the normal limits for emergency use only in a last resort while in Mexico at the Baja 1000.

Please no flames or ranting about this request. I don't have any intention of using the rig out of band unless there was a life in immediate danger.

Does anyone have a copy of the MARS/CAP or other full-range TX modifications that
are possible with this rig that could e-mail a scan of it to me at gary@sginet.com ? I am primarily wanting to open it to be able to TX in the 150-160 MHZ range.

As I said, I don't have ANY intentions to EVER use it there EXCEPT while out of the
U.S.A. if an occassion arises where there is no other method available to contact the
emergency frequency that is used during the race.

N7ARE, Gary

3034. Re: W32A Low Voltage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: warchief@cet.com
Message-ID: <warchief-3010982149380001@spk-78.cet.com>
Source record: 127421

In article <363b1c20.5929761@news.mit.edu>, rlindzen@mit.edu (Richard S. Lindzen) wrote:

> > I have a theory as to what is causing your "low voltage" situation. If I
> >remember correctly, the radio gives you a readout of the battery strength
> >each time upon startup. Just above this readout, the word "Low" may or
> >may not appear in the display. This word might be what is causing you the
> >confusion.
> >
>
> I'm afraid I misdesribed the situation. The lcd reads LOW V. I am
> not running on low power. I've emailed ICOM for help. I'm not sure
> what is going on.
>
> Dick

Sorry I wasn't able to help. When you hear from ICOM, please post the answer here so we will BOTH know....just in case!

Thanks

3035. Re: PCR-1000, again!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: dcisive@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <MPG.10a458352a1103129897c7@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 127422
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

I just received my UT-106 Digital Processing Unit that fits inside as an add-on device. It adds an automatic notch filter and digital noise reduction. I tried it tonight and it definitely adds some flexibility in chasing after those weak signals on HF. Good Luck

3036. WTB SG-230 Smart tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: f <fran123@burgoyne.com>
Message-ID: <71cr4a$4ae$3@news.burgoyne.com>
Source record: 127423

Want to buy a SG-230 Smart Tuner

3037. Re: DX 70TH ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark <BinfordV@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <36397F77.FC3396DE@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 127487

I like mine fine except the noise filter. Not very aggressive if you're going to go mobile with it. I'm using it as a base rig and have no complaints.

Mark KU4MP

3038. SUPER DEAL-->>DB-4170 VHF CAVITIES "BRAND NEW"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: msisco9939@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981030040452.21475.00002181@ng92.aol.com>
Source record: 127488

Yep:

I have 9 DB Products DB-4170 Series VHF Band-Pass Cavities With type "N" conmectors on each side....Variable insertion loss. These cost $500.00ea from DB products and are still current items.

These Cavities were purchased "Brand New" and never installed for a County Communications System.....They may have a little dust on them, but other than that, they are perfect....

Rack mountable too.....Buy 3, and I will throw in the Rack mount kit

Asking $120.00ea+ Shipping and handling (Shipping probably on the order of $15.00-18.00)

Buy 3 and I will foot the bill on shipping.....Buy all 9 @ $110.00ea. and I have the heavy Duty Rack Stand as well....Makes a Super VHF Duplexer for High-Power stations.

Terms:

Acceptable PrePayment in the form of a Postal Money order or other mutual piror arrangements.

Monty

3039. Re: New maha-rexon dual band ht EXPOSED !! look@@!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: user66@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981030051832.10601.00001211@ng-fb2.aol.com>
Source record: 127489

well, I never said (or implied)
that rexon IS actually made by standard
in Japan or wherever
just that it's a copy and maybe a bad one.

Than again it depends on what Your definition of the word "is" is ... :-)

You forgot to mention Cherokee , it too looks like standard...

3040. Re: On-glass UHF antennas any good?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed Juge <ed_juge@zianet.com>
Message-ID: <usTcIB$A#GA.186@ntawwabp.compuserve.com>
Source record: 127490

If you use repeaters, they work fine. Several years ago, a bunch of us living in the Ft. Worth, TX area, ran simplex on 2 meters. Most used 5/8-wave cowl or roof-mounted antennas. One in the group put on a thru-the-glass antenna. He had horrible results. He went to a trunk mount and we could communicate over 10-12 miles, mobile to mobile, up from 3-4 miles with the glass mount.

We also found that single-band antennas for each band worked considerably better than dual band units... even Larsens. So, I guess if you translate all that it means if you're within comfortable range of repeaters, go for it. If you operate simplex or if you travel outside repeater coverage areas often, then there is no substitute for a good, single-band 5/8 whip.

Ed, W5EJ
T. David Cohen wrote in message <3638A68C.236D4E5B@eatel.net>...
>Tony, I've been using one with an ICOM 207H (on both 2 meters and 440
>MHz) for about a year and it seems to work great. I don't have anything
>to compare it to though.
>
>Good luck.
>
>Tony Szablowski wrote:
>
>> Folks, I'd like to hear any and all opinions/info on on-glass
>> UHF(460-470MHz) antennas, please. Plus, I'd like to know if it's
>> better than a trunk-lip mount antenna? Thanks.
>> --
>> Regards,
>> Tony
>

3041. Re: Hamtronics

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Christopher Zeman, KB9RHA" <zman@iwc.net>
Message-ID: <vwh_1.2399$Xy1.4140@news6.ispnews.com>
Source record: 127491

I am currently constructing a 6 meter repeater. The TX is a Hamtronics. I still haven't bought the RX yet though. The transmitter seems to be alright. I, to, am wondering what kind of reputation their equipment has earned. I've seen what they print in their catalog, who could expect anything else?

Christopher Zeman, KB9RHA

bill wrote in message <01be03c6$f30128e0$c9a071d1@default>...
>Has anyone heard of this company
>Hamtronics, Inc.
>65 Moul Rd., Hilton, NY 14468-9535
>
>
>I was looking at a couple of kits for my son.
> He wants to build a repeater for his science project and i would like to
>get a good deal for my money.
> any other ideas???
> thank you Bill
>

3042. Re: New maha-rexon dual band ht EXPOSED !! look@@!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4jdr@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <71cc9masq1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127492

In article <19981029092040.04358.00000829@ng19.aol.com>,
fishbags@aol.com (Fishbags) wrote:
> >emember Radio shack Dual band ht
> >and the current ADI dual band ht..................
> But they were both made by ADI in the same country & factory by ADI
> The Rexon is not made in japan by Standard. By the way the same battery fits
> the ADI, the Rexon, the standard & many others. It seems that both ADI &
> Rexon have "loosley" patterned all their HT's on the "Standard" mold, but
> there are differences. (the current USA version of the Rexon dual bander will
> allow direct entry of cellular freqs if you know what to do.....)
>

I recently purchased the Rexon RL-501. I find it to be a fine radio for it's
price. It seems to include a lot of the features of many radio types. Has
anyone done any mods that they will share? E-mail me at rcasey1@bellsouth.net

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

3043. Re: How to filter distance repeaters?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Cox <ki5df@home.com>
Message-ID: <lyh_1.2115$l86.9082628@news.rdc1.tx.home.com>
Source record: 127493
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Linda, since you live on a mountain top, try using an antenna with less gain...or even an antenna with no gain, such as a 1/4 wave.....

Mike KI5DF

3044. Re: radio transmission "fingerprinting" ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiobufff@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981030065201.18372.00001267@ng-fa1.aol.com>
Source record: 127494

Way to go Mike

>He told me to use a soundblaster and record the audio, then
>look for stuff like low level phase whine and such. Obviously
>this isn't as good as the commercial products that tap right
>off the IF, but if you're just trying to trap someone, you'd be
>surprised what you can find out. Even at just the audio level.
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>word went out, the jamming stopped. What more could you
>ask for.
>
>Mike Yetsko
>N1DVJ
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Radio in the Bufff
Co-ed Naked Radio
Support your local Oscillator

3045. Re: Aussie UHF Repeater Locations??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3639AD55.6688@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 127495

J Ottery wrote:
>
> Does anyone know where (or what newsgroup) I would find locations and
> details of Victorian UHF repeater stations. Excuse if this is
> crossposted!!
> Email reply appreciated.

Try browsing the WW repeater links at URL:
http://www.ac6v.com/pageai.html

Five VK links there as well as many other countries.

73
Rod in San Diego
--
AC6V INDEX TO DX AND HAM RADIO
FEATURING 88 PAGES AND 3000 LINKS
Over 200,000 visits on the counter
http://www.ac6v.com/pageas.html -- Alphabetical Index
http://www.ac6v.com/ -- Home Page

3046. Re: Hamtronics

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3639ADF9.77B0@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 127496

bill wrote:
>
> Has anyone heard of this company
> Hamtronics, Inc.
> 65 Moul Rd., Hilton, NY 14468-9535
>
>
> I was looking at a couple of kits for my son.
> He wants to build a repeater for his science project and i would like to
> get a good deal for my money.
> any other ideas???
> thank you Bill

Howdy Bill --- see the real thing at URL:
http://www.hamtronics.com/

73
Rod in San Diego
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3047. Re: Need help on features of these rigs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3639AFB1.6589@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 127497

fantbb@yahoo.com wrote:
>
> Hello all;
>
> I am looking at picking up a used rig and I was hoping some of those
> out there could tell me what the following rigs have as standard equipment on
> them. Like solid state finals, noise limiters, filters etc... I know nothing
> about what they have so any help that any one could give me would be really
> appreciated!
>
> The rigs are I am looking at picking up one of are;
>
> Kenwood TS 140S
> 430S
> 520S
> 820S
> 830S
>
> Icom 725
> 751
>
> Yaesu 747
>
> Thanks for any and all help!
>
> 73!
>
> Jeff
> AB6MB

Hi Jeff -- I owned a TS-830S back in the 80's and it is superb. Has
vacuum tube finals however, 6146's as I recall and a tube driver. Has
noise limiter. You can add the filters. The Variable Bandwidth Tuning
--VBT is outstanding. It would be my choice of the Kenwoods u listed.

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3048. Maha-Rexon RL-501 Dual Band HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: rcasey1@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <71ceg0dkp1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127498

I have recently purchased a Rexon HT, I find it to be good buy for what it can do. I have some review comments to share if anyone is interested. Has anyone performed any keyboard Mods or any other Mods to this ht? If so reply to rcasey1@bellsouth.net tnx

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3049. Kenwood PS-52 power supply.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: morinm@csdgs.qc.ca
Message-ID: <71cgac$fq4$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127499

Kenwood PS-52 power supply in mint condition.
Matches TS-850 and TS-870 transceivers.
Serial number is 41,xxx,xxx.
Currently sells for $269.95.

Asking $175. U.S. including shipping and insurance.

73 de Michel Morin
VE2CJW.

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3050. FS/Trade:Collins 75S1, 32S1, 516F2, D-104

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: seleong@gte.net
Message-ID: <71cda2$3at$2@news-2.news.gte.net>
Source record: 127500
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

For Sale or Trade: Complete Original Collins Station
75S1 Receiver (S/N 1582)
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516F2 Power Supply (S/N 1397)
Astatic D-104 Microphone
Complete Original Manuals for all.
Original Cables for all.
All in excellent condition.
Asking $1000 OBO (+ shipping) or will trade for newer HF
rig. (Kenwood TS-440/450SAT, etc.).
E-mail here or to: buhek@robles.callutheran.edu

Thanks!

Steve KC6IJM

3051. FS:Icom IC-751A HF Transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: kvanderlin@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981030082848.16069.00001313@ng127.aol.com>
Source record: 127501

Late serial # with dotted I Icom Logo. Internal PS-35 power supply.
9.5 cosmetically, 10 electrically. Original box, owners manual, service
manual, HM-36 mic. $695 shipped conus. Van

3052. Re: icom 756 with amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Patrick Cain <pcain@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3639C646.323DFE1B@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 127502

Tom,
I don't run an amplifier with my 756 but I'll give you the information from my manual. I am assuming the amplifier is not one of the Icom amps.

The ALC connection has this warning: Set the transceiver output power and linear amplifier ALC output level referring the the linear amplifier instruction manual. The ALC input level must be in the range 0 volts to -4 volts, and the transceiver does not accept positive voltage. Non-matched ALC and RF power settings could cause a fire or ruin the amplifier.

The SEND connection has this warning: The specifications for the SEND relay are 16 V DC 2A. If this level is exceeded, a large external relay must be used.

I hope this helps.

73, Pat Kï¿½PC

Tom Hix wrote:

> I recently ran across a icom 756 at an estate sale which I bought. It
> didnt have a owners manual with it. I have one comming, but in the time
> being, I would like to run my amp with the rig. My question concerns the
> use of the amp with the rig. Can the 756 be used with an amp without the
> use of an external relay keying box? I have been told that it had to
> have the external box, and someone else told me it did not need the
> external box, that it could handel the amp keying just fine all by
> itself. What is the right answer? Thanks for you input....Tom Hix

3053. --FS: Mobile radio Special

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pursuit <75313.1154@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <ezK9A2AB#GA.305@nih2naac.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 127503
Cross-posted to: misc.emerg-services,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,alt.firefighters,alt.law-enforcement

New Standard GX1510 25 watt 10 channel mobile with scan VHF or
UHF $299.00 ea. for this unit and many other for sale check out
http://www.pursuitmic.com
We also sell Used radios and Emergency lights and sirens.

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3054. WTB ICOM 202

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Martin <pmartin@bright.net>
Message-ID: <71chir$4r7$1@cletus.bright.net>
Source record: 127504

Looking for non-working ICOM 202 or similar.

Paul
pmartin@bright.net

3055. Re: Shipments to and from Canada

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cedar Ridge Landscape Ltd <crll@infinet.net>
Message-ID: <01be0411$a9a572a0$dbf817cf@Pmontse>
Source record: 127505

there is no duty just our goods and services tax of 7% on goods coming in.
it has been my experience that any resonable declared value by the shipper
is accepted by customs as the taxable value here in canada. jason ve7agg
vancouver, cn89

kd1my@banet.net wrote in article <71be02$6ll$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
> Does anyone know the proper procedure for declaring the value of a piece
of
> used amateur radio equipment sent to or from Canada. I have been told
that
> threre is no duty on it. Any help will be appreciated. Thank you
>
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3056. Re: Shipments to and from Canada

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: ve6inm@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <71clheoan1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127506

In article <71be02$6ll$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
kd1my@banet.net wrote:
> Does anyone know the proper procedure for declaring the value of a piece of
> used amateur radio equipment sent to or from Canada. I have been told that
> threre is no duty on it. Any help will be appreciated. Thank you
>
> -----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own
>

You are correct in your info. There is no duty on Amateur Equip. shipped between Canada and the States. Since NAFTA came into being, it is one of the exempted categories. The only reason for declaring value of the equipment is to allow the Feds in Canada a chance to calculate the GST (Goods & Services Tax) which is a national "sales tax" of 7%. About the only thing necessary is to fill out the small green sticker, that the Post Office will give you, and make sure to clearly write "Amateur Radio Equip." and the value of the shipment in US dollars. My preferred shipper is the Postal Service, as they are cheaper for shipping and only charge $5.00 customs brokerage fees. Generally, they are 5 to 7 days from anywhere in the States to Canada. Having tried UPS and Fedex, and paying through the nose for their customs brokering service, I no longer use them. The Posties do have a maximum size and weight that they will accept (I think it is 45 pounds) but most ham gear easily falls within the limits. Hope that helps a bit. 73 de VE6INM (Glenn Inman) -- VE6INM (Glenn)

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3057. Re: FS: 10M FM Commerical Synth Rig 35Watts, $80+ship

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: don davis <71411.1534@compuserve.com>
Message-ID: <3639FB92.2544@compuserve.com>
Source record: 127507
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Joe K7JOE wrote:
>
> Hello,
> I have a very nice condition Pace Mobile Commerical low band radio
> that has been converted to 10 meter FM. Radio runs 8 channels and
> is diode programmable. Rated at 35 watts FM output. Radio includes
> matching hand mic too.
>
> Rig controls include Power, Volume, Squelch, Channel Selector
> with LED read out and Tone (CTCSS) switch. Busy/On Air
> lamps too. Size is about the
> same as a bigger 2 meter rig, older CB rig, etc. Looks commerical.
>
> The radio is rated at 35 watts output per the back panel heat sink
> marking. On the bench into a dummy load, I measured 40 watts
> steady output at 13.8V DC drawing about 6 amps. The heat sink
> was just warm to the touch after a 1 minute TX. Receive sensitivity
> is about 0.5 microvolt (very sensitive).
>
> I worked several JA's from the west coast this past weekend when
> CQWW SSB got boring. I also worked lots of stateside stations
> via the 29.640 repeater. Reports were good.
>
> Radio is currently set up as follows:
>
> Channel Freq RX Freq TX
> 1 29.600 29.600 simplex calling freq
> 2 29.620 29.520 repeater
> 3 29.500 29.500 simplex alternate calling freq
> 4 29.640 29.540 repeater
> 5 29.400 29.400 simplex
> 6 29.660 29.560 repeater
> 7 spare spare nothing programmed here
> 8 29.680 29.580 repeater
>
> This is diode programmable, so you can change/add the freq that
> you desire. All current USA-bandplan repeaters have
> been programmed. Rig works fine per on-the-air contacts, and with
> 40 watts of output, this rig provides ample output to maintain
> a contact (compared to the 10M all mode rigs which typically
> run a mere 8 to 10 watts on FM).
>
> Makes a great mobile/home 10M FM rig, or connect it up to your

> 440 rig or repeater for 10M FM remote base. Simple to use,
> rugged, inexpensive.
>
> $80+shipping from Portland, Oregon
>
> Email if interested.
> thanks,
> Joe K7JOE

Hi, my name is Don Davis, my call is WB3AXQ. If the radio is still available, I would like to buy it. Please let me know if its sold or not. Thanks, BCNU, Don.

3058. Icom 756 Power out???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lou R." <lour@total.net>
Message-ID: <3639d298.0@news.total.net>
Source record: 127508

It seems as if my 756 is not putting out the full 100W pep on any of the bands..

Even if I put the Radio into my MFJ 969 Dummy Load still shows aprox 70W...

My 706MKII shows a full 100Wpep deflection....

Any Ideas?

Lou R.

3059. Trouble with PK232MBX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: sac40@dimoni.com
Message-ID: <3639d147.8876971@news.vlc.servicom.es>
Source record: 127509

I have just received a PK232MBX unit but I'm having a lot of
troubles with it, since I can make it work OK with the PakRatt
software, but nor CT nor WriteLog seem to communicate very well with
the TNC...

From time to time, I am able to initialize it OK under PK.EXE,
and keep that good configuration running under CT and Writelog.

But it doesn't last forever, and if I restart the computer, or
I try to use the unit to RTTY (for example), then I can't go back to
its correct function...

Please, could you give me any advice about it? Thanks in
advance! 73,
Fidel Leon - EA3GIP
sac40@dimoni.com

3060. Drake MSR-2 Commercial HF Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris <ck5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3639E7D6.6868@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 127510
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

If you like Drake I have something of interest. A rare MSR-2 receiver. This is a rack mount commercial unit along the lines of the Racal and Harris. 0-32MHz with outstanding filtering. For CW, .3 and 1.2.kc For AM 6kc and 2.4kc for ssb. Looks and works great. I can send a jpg if you have any interest. I want $1100 for it. 73 Chris

3061. Re: Shipments to and from Canada

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: dutch@dish-NET.com
Message-ID: <71co9i$t6j$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127511

In article <71be02$6ll$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
kd1my@banet.net wrote:
> Does anyone know the proper procedure for declaring the value of a piece of
> used amateur radio equipment sent to or from Canada. I have been told that
> threre is no duty on it. Any help will be appreciated. Thank you
>

Hi, It is true, there is NO duty on ham radio equipment between the two countries. When sending to Canada, if send by UPS, they will "clear" this through Canada Customs at an average cost of $ 35 (!) per parcel, plus the recipient will have to pay the GST (Canadian sales tax). The best solution is to ship via the postal service, since Canada Post only charges $ 5 to clear this through Customs + the GST tax. Going from Canada to the U.S., it is slightly different. At times, we have seen a charge of 5% by the U.S. Customs for all items made in Countries other then Canada / U.S. / Mexico. And material made in China is prohibited from entry in the U.S. altogether. Otherwise, it is pretty simple. Again, the post office is the best solution, since UPS in Canada is a total rip-off. We ship about 60 to 80 parcels a month in both directions. Rene VE6WCA (dutch)

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3062. FS***Eimac 5CX1500A tube $200.00***

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: KF6IKC@webtv.net
Message-ID: <25152-3639D48E-20@newsd-134.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 127512
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Have a full output 5CX1500A tube.Ths is the one used in the old Henry 4K HF amp. Price is $200.00 + shipping.

73's
Stan (530)241-0843

3063. FS****Goldstar 40mhz scope $250.00****

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: KF6IKC@webtv.net
Message-ID: <25153-3639D3E2-14@newsd-134.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 127513
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Have a like new (used twice) Goldstar 40mhz.dual trace,curser readout scope.Comes in the original box and paper work. $250.00 + shipping.

73's
Stan (530)241-0843

3064. Scope Hitachi 20MHz Dual trace

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris <ck5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3639E970.7B1D@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 127514
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have in beautiful condition A Hitachi V-212 late model small portable
about the size of a Drake TR4. This unit comes with both probes.
This is an easy 9+ out of 10. First $225 Gets it.. 73 Chris VE3NGW/W4
Florida

3065. FS: Vintage Heathkit IB-102 Freq Scaler UNASSEMBLED! (eBay)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Shorney <jshorney@sdmsinc.com>
Message-ID: <3639DD2E.2F4E7A9C@sdmsinc.com>
Source record: 127515
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

Greetings,

I have for sale on eBay a vintage Heathkit IB-102 Frequency Scaler,
unassembeld in original carton. This is the ecompanion to the IB-101
frequency counter (can be used with any counter) and extends the range
to 175 MHz with /10 and /100 functions. Follow the URL below.

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=38268852

Hurry, only 3 days left!

Jim

3066. FAQ: Plectron and Motorola Alert Monitor Receivers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnass@bell-labs.com
Message-ID: <71cnfd$49n@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
Source record: 127516
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.info

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Add a Plectron or Motorola Alert
Desktop Monitor Receiver
to Your Scanner Collection

by Bob Parnass, AJ9S

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In the 1960s and 1970s, thousands of firemen and ambulance squad members came to rely on their crystal controlled, transistor Plectron and Motorola desktop monitor receivers. They have now been replaced by battery operated portable pagers, and the desktop models are often available at hamfests in the $5 - $25 range. Since many are in rough condition and need repair, a hamfest special is better suited for hobbyists who like to fix their own radios.

Plectron and Motorola crystal controlled receivers are excellent for dedicated monitoring of local frequencies -- a task for which you wouldn't want to tie up your 400 channel programmable scanner. They are desktop models which can be powered from 117VAC or 12VDC with the proper mobile cord. The audio quality of a Plectron P1, Plectron 700 series, and Motorola Alert Monitor is far better than any consumer grade scanner and the sensitivity, image rejection, and intermod immunity is outstanding when aligned properly.

Models and Frequency Coverage

The Plectron and Motorola Alert monitors are single band receivers: VHF-low, VHF-high, or UHF. No single Plectron or Motorola Alert monitor can cover the entire 30-50 MHz band, so there were versions optimized for each portion of the VHF-low band. There were different versions to cover low and high "splits" in the VHF-high band, too. For example, low band R8000s come in 30 - 35, 35 - 39, 39 - 49, and 49 - 54 MHz versions. There are two VHF high band versions of the 700 and R8000: 148 - 158 and 158 - 175 MHz.

VHF-low band Motorola Alert monitors come in two splits: 30 - 42 and 42 - 54 MHz.

Although UHF versions of the 700 series were made, they are somewhat rare and coverage is limited to 470 MHz and below.

Plectron made several models with dozens of different options. Both the original P1 and later 700 series are suitable for restoration, although I prefer the newer 700 models. The 8000 series were even newer and very desireable, but they are difficult to find at hamfests. The Plectron 500 "economy" series is less desirable.

The P1 series have black cabinets with a blue-green and silver color scheme used on the front panel. They were made in the Chief (tone decoder & carrier squelch), Patrol (carrier squelch only), and Sentry (tone only) models. The Sentry models lack a carrier squelch and therefore are of little use to hobbyists except for scavenging parts. Model number and frequency information appears on a gummed label on the rear panel:

Band (MHz) Chief Patrol Sentry

_____
25-54 R19 R15 R17
148-174 R20 R16 R18
450-470 R23 R21 R22

Table 1. Plectron P1 models

The R700 series have black cabinets with brown front panels and are slightly smaller than the P1 receivers. R700s were made in the Chief (tone decoder & carrier squelch) and Patrol (carrier squelch only) models:

Band (MHz) Chief Patrol

_____
25-54 R719 R715
148-174 R720 R716
450-470 R723 R721

Table 2. Plectron 700 models

The R8000 series are much smaller than the P1 and R700 and are housed in metal cabinets of various colors. The R8000s use the same MC3357 IF/detector/squelch IC used in crystal scanners, but their crystals are not interchangeable with ordinary scanners. R8000s were made in the Chief (tone decoder & carrier squelch) and Patrol (carrier squelch only) models:

Band (MHz) Chief Patrol

_____
30-54 R8190 R8150

148-174 R8200 R8160

Table 3. Plectron 8000 models

The Plectron FM Receiver/Recorder is a collector's item. It is essentially a 700 series Chief receiver with a built in cassette tape recorder. The recorder is carrier activated and can tape transmissions while the receiver is unattended. A connector on the rear panel allows for all kinds of remote control possibilities.

I use two Plectron P1s and four R700s in my living room, seven R700s down the basement, and several Plectrons and Alert Monitors stored in reserve. The basement Plectrons are turned on automatically when someone walks downstairs. Power to them is controlled by a modified Radio Shack Safe House infrared motion detector, originally sold as an intrusion alarm.

When a rescue squad member from Missouri advertised a number of Plectrons on USENET, I bought them -- all 20+ of them. I cleaned, fixed, and restored each one. After recrystalling them on local frequencies, I distributed them to members of my scanner club who were glad to get them.

Both brands of receiver require special crystals. I sometimes use Radio Shack's generic 3rd overtone scanner crystals in the Plectrons but they oscillate on frequencies far away from their marked frequencies. That's because the Plectron oscillator is designed to be used with a crystal which oscillates on its fundamental, not overtone, frequency.

The best source for crystals is:

International Crystal Mfg Co.
11 N. Lee Ave
Oklahoma City, OK 73102
tel. 405-236-3741, 800-725-1426

You need not bother with calculating the crystal fundamental frequency. Merely supply International with the exact receiver model number, printed on the rear label, and the frequency you want to monitor. They will perform the necessary calculations.

AC power cords for both types of receivers use unique connectors and are scarce. I published the pinout for both Plectron and Motorola Alert Monitor receivers in June 1998 Monitoring Times magazine.

You can buy the proper replacement power cords but it's much cheaper to drill a hole on the rear panel and solder

on a permanent a power cord. Make sure you use a grommet in the hole to prevent the metal chassis from chafing the line cord.

Many Plectrons and Alert Monitors were equipped with an internal NiCd battery pack, intended to power the receiver if the AC power fails. It's unusual to find a used monitor receiver with the NiCd pack still capable of holding a charge. More often, the batteries have died and the series charging resistor has overheated and burned. Be sure to remove the dead batteries as they often leak.

If you find the squelch on your Plectron 700 series receiver has too much hysteresis, replace R96, a 180K resistor, with a 560K resistor. On the P1, the resistor is designated R81.

Minimum Volume Setting

Both Plectron and Motorola Alert monitor receivers are designed purposely to have a minimum volume setting which is still audible. The intent was to prevent firemen from turning the volume down completely, forgetting it was down, then missing an important call.

This "feature" was usually implemented by having a fixed value resistor in series between one end of the volume control and ground. In the R15X5, R14X5, R15X5, and R16X5, a 47 ohm resistor, designated R624, was inserted in series with the violet wire leading from the volume control.

You could decrease the lowest volume setting by decreasing the value of this fixed resistor. Alternatively, you could replace the resistor with a jumper wire to completely silence the receiver at minimum setting of the volume control.

Tone Alert Feature

I have not used the Plectron tone alerting features so I cannot address that except to say that the special coils and capacitors for the dual tone decoders vary depending on the tone frequencies and are somewhat difficult to obtain.

Repair and Replacement Parts

Repair service and replacement parts for the Plectron P1 and R700 models is offered by:

Weber Electronics
PO Box 212
5138 Laurel Ln.
Broad Run, VA 20137
telephone (540) 347-7760

email: weber@citizen.infi.net

You can also obtain Plectron repairs and parts from:

Northeast Communications
4 Oak Ridge Rd
Newfoundland NJ 07435
201-697-8804

Alert Monitor parts are available from Motorola. Phone (800)972-3226.

Plectron SM-series Scanning Receivers

Plectron also sold an SM series of scanners, manufactured in Japan by the same folks who made Craig (division of Pioneer) scanners. The SM series are consumer-grade models and are included in this article for the sake of completeness. They are crystal controlled radios and feature priority scan and a separate trimmer capacitor for each channel to net the crystals on frequency.

Band Frequency Limits

VHF-low 30 - 50
VHF-high 150 - 174
UHF 450 - 470 MHz

Table 4. Plectron SM Model Band Limits

Model	UHF	VHF-high	VHF-low
SM-301	X	X	X
SM-302	X	X	
SM-303	X	X	
SM-304	X	X	

Table 5. Plectron SM Models

The crystals used in the SM series are quite different from the crystals used in the conventional single channel Plectron monitors. Here are the crystal formulas:

VHF low band:
crystal 3rd overtone freq = receive freq + 10.7 MHz

VHF high band:
crystal 3rd overtone freq = (receive freq - 10.7 MHz)/3

UHF band:
crystal 3rd overtone freq = (receive freq - 10.7 MHz) / 10

Other crystal specifications for the SM series are:

CR 25/U holder
3rd overtone
20 pF load capacitance
parallel resonant
max series resistance 40 ohm
max drive 2 mW

I currently have no Plectrons or Motorola Alert Monitors
for sale. I'm hoarding them. :-)

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3067. ADI-600 Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: mickel2@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <71csf4$2tf$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127517

Most of you know the keypad mods for the ADI-600 for extending the receive and extending the transmit capabilities!

There seems to be a third key-pad MOD out there that will set up you ADI-600D (or maybe also the ADI-600) for European mode! This would be perfect for me since I also hold an european HAM-radio license!

Thanks to Anyone who knows anything!

Mickel

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3068. ICOM Battery question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: mack501@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <71cs2a$293$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127518

Will batteries for the IC-H2 radios work with the IC-M11? Also, will the charger for the IC-H2 also charge the IC-M11 Battery(CM8)? Much thanks! mack!

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3069. Re: ::::NEW!!..I say NEW Eimac 4CX1000 For Sale:::

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: gaetan lavergne <ve3azq@accglobal.net>
Message-ID: <71cpf2rkg1@news2.tor.accglobal.net>
Source record: 127519
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

J. Murray Neece wrote in message <3638DDEA.23D2B0A0@iglobal.net>...
>Still in the unopened plastic ...new in the factory
>box....$700...gauranteed NEW!! Thanks Murray
>
Hello Murray,
The 4CX-1000 sells brand new at RF Parts for 695.00
Though I would let you know
Gaetan

3070. ARRL Member favor ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jorge Carminati <jcar@cvtci.com.ar>
Message-ID: <3639F9B5.4861289F@cvtci.com.ar>
Source record: 127520

Hi there,

Ii¿½ve just bought the October QST magazine and I saw an article describing the possibility to download products reviews in .pdf format. Ii¿½m not an ARRL member, just a frequent reader, Ii¿½ll like to know if someone has downloaded the review of the kenwood TH-G71 to send it to me via e-mail.
Thanks in advance, and regards.

Jorge Carminati
jorge_carminati@bnp.com.ar

3071. Re: Shipments to and from Canada

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Barry Bogart <barry_bogart@bc.sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <3639FEFF.45E5@bc.sympatico.ca>
Source record: 127521

kd1my@banet.net wrote:
>
> Does anyone know the proper procedure for declaring the value of a piece of
> used amateur radio equipment sent to or from Canada. I have been told that
> threre is no duty on it. Any help will be appreciated. Thank you
>
> -----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own
What is the definition of 'amateur equipment' for this purpose? Does a
general coverage HF receiver qualify? Or a computer receiver like the
Winradio?

3072. Out-of-band on a TK-830H?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tony Szablowski <aszablowski@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <71d0bd$omk@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 127522

Anyone know if a Kenwood TK-830H mobile can be programmed slightly out
of band? I need to enter in a 470.xx freq into the radio. If it can
be done, how then? Please reply via private email. Thanks.
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Regards,
Tony

3073. Anyone using the Alinco DJ-280 (1.25 meter) HT ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: bdiaz@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <71d55sfot1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127523

Anyone using the Alinco DJ-280 (1.25 meter) HT ???

I'd like to hear your comments, good or bad about this HT.

73,

Bob
KQ6WQ

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3074. FS: Broadcast & Test Gear

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: audioequip@usa.net
Message-ID: <71d3sgdql1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127524

The items listed in the following are being offered for sale. Preferred terms for sale will be cash COD. Items will be shipped free of charge anywhere in the continental U.S. Buyer will pay shipping outside U.S. Please direct all questions and replies via email to audioequip@usa.net . Thank you.

AUDIO EQUIPMENT

1 CBS 4000 Volumax Peak Limiter $100.00
1 Orban Model 245F Stereo Synthesizer $100.00
1 Studer A725 Compact Disc Player $250.00
1 Logitek PRE-10 10x2 Stereo Routing Switcher $400.00
1 Panasonic SV-3800P-H Digital Audio Tape Recorder(NIB) $1000.00
1 Denon DN-2000F MKII CD Player (NIB) $1800.00

TELEPHONE EQUIPMENT

1 Comrex 2XP 2-Line Encoder $1500.00
1 Comrex 2XR 2-Line Decoder $1000.00
1 Comrex 2XL Auto Leveler $500.00
3 Elgin Electronics Model 751H Voice Coupler $50.00 each
1 Gentner Hybrid Coupler $200.00
1 Harris A2D2A 20-bit A/D-D/A Converter $750.00

REMOTE / STL EQUIPMENT

2 McMartin BFM-1531R SCA Generators (67 kHz) Make Offer
1 McMartin BFM-1531R SCA Generator (41 kHz) Make Offer
1 Potomac Instruments Remote Control System -
Consisting of (1) 1500-PC Unit & (1) 1510-ST Unit $2000.00
2 Moseley TRC-15 Remote Control Systems -
Consisting of (2) Control Units & (2) Terminal Units Make Offer
1 Moseley PCL305 STL Transmitter at 950.000 MHz $500.00
2 Moseley PCL505 STL Receivers at 950.00 MHz $500.00 each
2 Moseley SCD-8 Subcarrier Demodulators Make Offer

AM RF HARDWARE

1 Phasetek Model P600-002 220VAC RF Contactor (new) $250.00
4 Delta TCT-1 Toroids $500.00 each
1 Delta 0-20A Ammeter (TCT-1 and TCA-20-EXR) $1000.00
6 Weston RF Ammeters:(1) 0-4,(2) 0-8,(1) 0-10,(2) 0-15 $40.00 each
2 Weschler RF Ammeters: 0-2 and 0-20 $40.00 each
5 EF Johnson 145-102-13 RF Contactors (used) $50.00 each
23 Sangamo Black Mica RF Capacitors:
.00051mf/6KV, (2) .002mf/15KV, .003mf/12KV,
.001mf/6KV, .0003mf/10KV, .002mf/6KV,

(2) .0011mf/10KV, .0013mf/10KV, .001mf/20KV,
(4) .002mf/10KV, (2) .005mf/6KV, (4) .001mf/10KV,
.0051mf/10KV, .002mf/6KV $50.00 each
24 Jennings JCS-400 Glass Capacitors 400pf/10KV $70.00 each
9 EF Johnson 200-205 Inductors (16uh) $50.00 each
6 EF Johnson 200-203 Inductors (26uh) $60.00 each
1 EF Johnson 200-107 Inductor $50.00
4 EF Johnson 222-101 Variable Inductors (16uh) $100.00 each
1 24' Roll of 4" Copper Strap (unused)Make Offer
1 30' Roll of 2" Copper Strap (unused)Make Offer

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3075. Info on Hal ST-5000 Teletype Interface

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Donald E. Smith" <desmith@innercite.com>
Message-ID: <363A07D6.AE0E30AA@innercite.com>
Source record: 127525
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Greetings All. I have just picked up a Hal Communications ST-5000 that I would like to find some information on. Does Anybody out there still have any instruction sheets or manuals on this thing. I will gladly pay any copying/shipping costs. Thanks Don KB6GQA

3076. Kenwood AT-50 Automatic Antenna tuner for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: qin2@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981030134443.28256.00002137@ng91.aol.com>
Source record: 127526

Kenwood AT-50 Automatic antenna tuner for Kenwood TS-50. Perfect condition with all original paperwork , packing , cables and box . Used 3 times. $250 firm. Includes shipping . Rob KB2VX

3077. Re: [== PRC-47: Source for LSB Mechanical Filter ==]

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Black <blackm00@CAM.ORG>
Message-ID: <Pine.GSO.3.94.981030140934.2735C-100000@Stratus.CAM.ORG>
Source record: 127527
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

This doesn't sound like something that would appear in 73 in recent years,
and I don't recall seeing anything like it there.

But there was something in Communications Quarterly somewhere in the past
couple of years, about some surplus SSB rig that just might be what you
are thinking of. I don't have the article and I don't remember anything
more than that there was something like this.

Michael VE2BVW

On Fri, 30 Oct 1998, Joe Leikhim wrote:

> Check past issues of 73 magazine (1997-1998) for an article regarding
> a 497KHz BFO modification to do what you want.
>
> ross@hypertools.com (David Ross) wrote:
>
> >On 29 Oct 1998 21:54:28 GMT, thor@otter.mbay.net (Thor Rasmussen)
> >wrote:
> > >
> >>I have a PRC-47 Military HF tranceiver and would like to do the
> >>mod to transmit on Lower Side Band. It is my understanding that
> >>the stock mechanical filter can be replaced with one that will
> >>put the radio on LSB.
> > > True.
> > > I sell PRC-47 LSB filters for $25, postpaid in the U.S.A. These
> >filters are removed from used 618T transceivers, and check good.
> > > They are physically the same size as the original PRC-47 filter.
> > >
> >>Also, if there is any other mod that can be done to get LSB, I would
> >>like to know. I have heard that there is a mod that is done
> >>electronically that provides LSB and USB.
> > > I don't believe that is possible if you want to preserve correct
> >dial calibration.
> > >
> >73
> >Dave Ross N7EPI ross@hypertools.com
>
> Joe Leikhim K4SAT (EX KE4TZH)
> Jleikhim@nettally.com
>
> "tv dinner by the pool,
> i'm so glad i finished school" -F.Zappa 1967
>

> "The Revolution will NOT be televised" -Gil Scott Heron
>
>
>

3078. 12 to 18v dc-dc- Converter.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: gwilljo@cwo.com
Message-ID: <nuo_1.132$Me4.1178@news.eli.net>
Source record: 127528
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.components,sci.electronics.design,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.misc,alt.electronics.analog.vlsi,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Hello,
DOes anyone have a schematic or know where I can get a DC-DC Converter
that will take me from 12dc in to 18vdc @ 3 amps out? Something
centered around the LT1071 or equivalent?

Thanks a million
Greg
KB6WKW

3079. Re: Anyone using the Alinco DJ-280 (1.25 meter) HT ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: user66@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981030150554.18657.00001225@ng84.aol.com>
Source record: 127529

no direct freq entry on the alinco...

check out the new adi 220 ht it's all metal case !

3080. Re: ARRL Member favor ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: user66@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981030150800.18657.00001227@ng84.aol.com>
Source record: 127530

Why don't you just become a member of ARRL ?

3081. Re: Maha-Rexon RL-501 Dual Band HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: user66@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981030152937.18657.00001231@ng84.aol.com>
Source record: 127531

Please, share Your impressions !

3082. Re: Hamtronics

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: treynolds@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <71db9bpim1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127532

In article <vwh_1.2399$Xy1.4140@news6.ispnews.com>,
"Christopher Zeman, KB9RHA" <zman@iwc.net> wrote:
> I am currently constructing a 6 meter repeater. The TX is a Hamtronics. I
> still haven't bought the RX yet though. The transmitter seems to be alright.
> I, to, am wondering what kind of reputation their equipment has earned. I've
> seen what they print in their catalog, who could expect anything else?
>
> Christopher Zeman, KB9RHA
>
> bill wrote in message <01be03c6$f30128e0$c9a071d1@default>...
> >Has anyone heard of this company
> >Hamtronics, Inc.
> >65 Moul Rd., Hilton, NY 14468-9535
> >
> >
> >I was looking at a couple of kits for my son.
> > He wants to build a repeater for his science project and i would like to
> >get a good deal for my money.
> > any other ideas???
> > thank you Bill
> >
>

Try doing a Deja News search on Hamtronics. I did that the other day. I am interested in their UHF receiving converters. I didn't get a lot of comments on that but there were tons of comments on Hamtronics repeaters as well as their VHF FM tx and rx kits.

73s
Tom

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3083. Re: ARRL Member favor ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jorge Carminati <jcar@cvtci.com.ar>
Message-ID: <363A2329.4C33B17@cvtci.com.ar>
Source record: 127533

...because I just want only this review. I only buy this magazine from times to times and doni¿½t want to became a member to receive only this review. Unfortunately I didni¿½t bought the April issue (that has the review I want).

Also I doni¿½t agree with this politic of ...i¿½for members onlyi¿½.

Regards,
Jorge Carminati.

User 66 wrote:
>
> Why don't you just become a member of ARRL ?

3084. Re: 12 to 18v dc-dc- Converter.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Page <mikepage@iee.org>
Message-ID: <909780356.20177.1.nnrp-07.9e98df4f@news.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 127534
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.components,sci.electronics.design,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.misc,alt.electronics.analog.vlsi,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

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>centered around the LT1071 or equivalent?
>
>Thanks a million
>Greg
>KB6WKW

I'm sure Linear Tech have an app note for the device you mention. From what
I remember their app note for the 1074 was particularly thorough.

Regards,
Mike.
==
Mike Page mikepage@iee.org
BEng(hons) AMIEE Fax +44 (0)870 164 1673

Truth is a river that is always splitting up into arms that reunite.
Islanded between the arms the inhabitants argue for a lifetime
as to which is the main river.
- Cyril Connolly, "The Unquiet Grave" 1945

http://www.mpage.demon.co.uk
http://www.mpage.demon.co.uk/dosutils.htm
(DOS Utils for Embedded Programmers)
==

3085. REGENCY TR 200 INFO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: majrcomm@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981030160352.24007.00001433@ng-fd1.aol.com>
Source record: 127535

DOES ANYBODY HAVE ANY INFORMATION ON WHERE TO GET CRYSTALS FOR THE REGENCY TR 200 AND WHAT THE POWER OUTPUT IS...ITS 2 CANNELS AND REGENCY SEEMS TO HAVE NO IDEA..IF YOU HAVE ANYTHING ON THIS PLEASE LET ME KNOW VIA E-MAIL
WILLIAM
MAJRCOMM@AOL.COM

3086. Re: W32A Low Voltage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: rlindzen@mit.edu
Message-ID: <363b1c20.5929761@news.mit.edu>
Source record: 127536

On Thu, 29 Oct 1998 01:13:04 -0700, warchief@triax.com (warchief)
wrote:

>Hello!
>
> I have a theory as to what is causing your "low voltage" situation. If I
>remember correctly, the radio gives you a readout of the battery strength
>each time upon startup. Just above this readout, the word "Low" may or
>may not appear in the display. This word might be what is causing you the
>confusion.
>

I'm afraid I misdesribed the situation. The lcd reads LOW V. I am
not running on low power. I've emailed ICOM for help. I'm not sure
what is going on.

Dick

3087. Wanted Software for motorola MT2100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "H.L" <djursc@geocities.com>
Message-ID: <71b03oqtm1@dalen.get2net.dk>
Source record: 127558

I Need the software for programming Motorola MT2100

3088. Re: fs: great ham gear cheap - n1yus@aol.com

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: specrisk@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981029193117.12248.00001098@ng30.aol.com>
Source record: 127559

Please send list

Thanks

W1JHR

3089. Re: [== PRC-47: Source for LSB Mechanical Filter ==]

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: ross@hypertools.com
Message-ID: <3639096e.6596984@news.willapabay.org>
Source record: 127560
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On 29 Oct 1998 21:54:28 GMT, thor@otter.mbay.net (Thor Rasmussen)
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True.
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>electronically that provides LSB and USB.
I don't believe that is possible if you want to preserve correct
dial calibration.

73
Dave Ross N7EPI ross@hypertools.com

3090. Re: Which best HF transceiver with DSP on rx and tx?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <36411165.27078017@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 127561
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Thu, 29 Oct 1998 23:32:10 GMT, 106255.1565@compuserve.com (Richard C. Ferryman) wrote:
>I am looking to add to / replace my old TS440SAT. I am trying to find
>out which HF (not HF / VHF) transceiver has DSP on tx as well as rx as
>I want to be able to optimise my bandwidth on tx to match my mode. My
>requirements are:
>WARC transmit coverage
>Full HF receive to arounf 50 kHz
>Tuning in 10 Hz ore less steps, ideally 1 Hz
>Best possible dynamic range
>Modes to include FSK /RTTY
>DSP on rx and tx which does not suffer from 'overload' effects.
>100W + out
>VERY comprehensive external control via a PC including DSP settings,
>pass band tuning, agc speed etc.
>Internal ATU is less important but if present should also be capable
>of use on receive.
>I'm told the latest Kenwood rigs will fit the bill but there may be
>alternatives. The computer control capabilities and dsp on transmit
>do not seem to be featured in most advertising from Yaesu/Icom/others.
>I know this will hit my bank balance but I want something to last as
>long as the TS440 has.
>Richard G4BBH

Richard, sounds like what you want is a Kachina 505DSP. Check it out
at http://www.kachina-az.com/.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

3091. -WTB- Motorola DPL Code Plug NLN8922a

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Sibbitt <n8lmt@123.net>
Message-ID: <Qs8_1.92$Rx1.589@news12.ispnews.com>
Source record: 127562
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.commercial-lmr,rec.radio.lmr-commercial,rec.radio.swap

need a dpl code plug for an MT-500
type NLN8922a
code 047

email me if you have one.....

Ron n8lmt@usa.net

3092. WTB: Dualband Base Ant. 144/440MHz..,

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: rjb@interactive.net
Message-ID: <363c3fa7.41204963@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 127563

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WTB: DualBand Base Ant.
144/440MHz
Reply email with model and price.
Thanks,Rich.
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3093. Re: WTB: Drake R8, R8A or R8B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: wplanck@netusa1.net
Message-ID: <71b957$77$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127564
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

J W Schermerhorn <skemi?@capital.net> wrote:
> 10/29/98
>
> Bill,
>
> Hold out for the "B" if you can. The SSB sync detector is great. JW
>
> wplanck@netusa1.net wrote:
> >
> > Want to buy Drake R8, R8A, or R8B in excellent cond. Not interested in VHF
> > converter or R8 speaker.
> > Bill K9KZ
> > wplanck@netusa1.net
>

Would you believe someone wanted to sell me a plain R8 for $1000?
Bill K9KZ

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3094. WTB: Kenwood TM-261A, TM-241A, and Astron PS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: wplanck@netusa1.net
Message-ID: <71ba65$1gs$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127565
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Want to buy Kenwood TM-261A, or TM-241A, and Astron PS to run the radio on.
Must be in excellent condition. Might even take TM-221A.
Bill K9KZ Located in central Indiana.
wplanck@netusa1.net

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3095. Re: ADI AT-600?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: bheaton@txdirect.net
Message-ID: <36391837.78346742@news.txdirect.net>
Source record: 127566

The HTX-204 has slightly fewer features than the ADI AT-600. The ref'd
website describes the differences.

BDH

On Thu, 29 Oct 1998 22:06:56 GMT, ccom@murlin.com wrote:

>I believe the HTX-204 is made by ADI
>
>harris@hazeltine.com wrote:
>
>>In article <6vtip3$l69$1@autumn.news.rcn.net>,
>> "Mike N2OX" <globalcm@erols.com> wrote:
>>> Does anyone have any opinions on the AT-600?
>>> Is it the Radio Shack HTX 204 in disguise?
>>> What is the average going price?
>>>
>>> Mike N2OX
>>> Long Island, NY
>>>
>>> --
>>> http://www.qsl.net/mid-islandarc
>>> http://members.aol.com/kg2mmike/n2ox/webpage.html
>>>
>>>
>>Hi Mike,
>>
>>It got a very good review in QST. It is made in Taiwan and is essentially the
>>same as the RS unit. There are various firmware versions, some of which allow
>>mods via the keypad.
>>
>>Check out http://members.aol.com/adimods/at600.html
>>
>>73,
>>Art N2AH
>>
>>----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
>>http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

3096. Re: DX 70TH ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Norris <badger@telalink.net>
Message-ID: <eO9_1.1014$7P4.1947565@news1.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 127567

I have one, and like it quite well. To me it is easier to use
than my Kenwood TS-50, with the added benefit of 6 metres.
Have one in my car, use it every day. A good radio in my
opinion, and not too expensive.

Tom Norris
KA4RKT
badger@telalink.net

Rick Perry wrote in message <36385B78.694B@wolfenet.com>...
>AES has a sale on the Alinco DX 70TH 779.00. Any comments on how good
>this rig plays? Looking for something that covers 160-6 meters but
>don't want to spend alot of money.
>
>Thank You, Rick W7AV

3097. Stewart Warner FM console A92cr3

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: n1yus@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981029215832.08012.00001479@ng103.aol.com>
Source record: 127568

Red Mahogany case with nice , tube radio and phono. Buy now while these items
are not-so-expensive. $200
radio was purchased in 1943 - one loving couple owned it.
Ben
http://members.aol.com/n1yus

3098. Re: [== PRC-47: Source for LSB Mechanical Filter ==]

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: jleikhim@nettally.com
Message-ID: <36392b9c.10832092@news2.nettally.com>
Source record: 127569
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Check past issues of 73 magazine (1997-1998) for an article regarding
a 497KHz BFO modification to do what you want.

ross@hypertools.com (David Ross) wrote:

>On 29 Oct 1998 21:54:28 GMT, thor@otter.mbay.net (Thor Rasmussen)
>wrote:
>
>>I have a PRC-47 Military HF tranceiver and would like to do the
>>mod to transmit on Lower Side Band. It is my understanding that
>>the stock mechanical filter can be replaced with one that will
>>put the radio on LSB.
> True.
> I sell PRC-47 LSB filters for $25, postpaid in the U.S.A. These
>filters are removed from used 618T transceivers, and check good.
> They are physically the same size as the original PRC-47 filter.
>
>>Also, if there is any other mod that can be done to get LSB, I would
>>like to know. I have heard that there is a mod that is done
>>electronically that provides LSB and USB.
> I don't believe that is possible if you want to preserve correct
>dial calibration.
>
>73
>Dave Ross N7EPI ross@hypertools.com

Joe Leikhim K4SAT (EX KE4TZH)
Jleikhim@nettally.com

"tv dinner by the pool,
i'm so glad i finished school" -F.Zappa 1967

"The Revolution will NOT be televised" -Gil Scott Heron

3099. ** Grundig YB400 on ebay...No Reserve!!!! ****

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: ace_of_grace@furry.mv.com
Message-ID: <71bfp8$8sc$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127570
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.forsale,rec.audio.marketplace

Comes with carry bag and shortwave guide... for more info, pictures and bidding, goto:

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=38328949

Auction ends on: 11/03/98 11:53:54 PST

Good Luck!!!

Ace

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3100. FA-eBay: PK900, Packet Multi-Mode, dual port

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: k6sde@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <71bdb7$5ti$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127571

Like new. With GPS & 1996 firware.

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=38813842

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http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

3101. Shipments to and from Canada

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: kd1my@banet.net
Message-ID: <71be02$6ll$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127572

Does anyone know the proper procedure for declaring the value of a piece of used amateur radio equipment sent to or from Canada. I have been told that threre is no duty on it. Any help will be appreciated. Thank you

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3102. WTB: 304TH/TL sockets,250TL,450TL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: MK <blusky@internetcds.com>
Message-ID: <01be03bd$1342cdc0$c1841ad0@blusky>
Source record: 127573
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap

please contact me if you have any of these
blusky@internetcds.com

3103. Re: icom 756 with amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: bpn518@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981029235846.17621.00001038@ng146.aol.com>
Source record: 127574

Tom,
If your amp swithes with high voltage
like some of the old Heath's, you will
key your amp once and fry the
reed relay that's in the 756. It's easy to
make a small external relay for the
radio or make
a transistor soft-key switch for your
amp.
I wouldn't try it without one of the
above on my 756 either.
Bennett ko2ok.

3104. Re: FS: Kenwood TM-733A Dual Band

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: cwest69521@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981030000413.01679.00001160@ng18.aol.com>
Source record: 127575

what shape isit in

charlie
kb2sdp

3105. Re: FS: FT-840

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: cwest69521@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981030001348.01679.00001181@ng18.aol.com>
Source record: 127576

query if you sold the radio already, what did it go for the reason i'm asking i'm looking to purchase a 840

thanks

3106. Re: FS KENWOOD TS-440AT CHEAP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: cwest69521@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981030003626.01679.00001204@ng18.aol.com>
Source record: 127577

how cheap is cheap?

3107. Hamtronics

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: bill <mrbill@toexpress.com>
Message-ID: <01be03c6$f30128e0$c9a071d1@default>
Source record: 127578

Has anyone heard of this company
Hamtronics, Inc.&#65533;
65 Moul Rd., Hilton, NY 14468-9535&#65533;

I was looking at a couple of kits for my son.
He wants to build a repeater for his science project and i would like to
get a good deal for my money.
any other ideas???
thank you Bill

3108. Re: KW 731A, ALinco DJ-560,100T, Patch and more for sale.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: cwest69521@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981030004316.01679.00001209@ng18.aol.com>
Source record: 127579

the dj560 is this a mobile?

3109. Palomar 90A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Braithwaite <kbraithwaite@mail.gcnet.net>
Message-ID: <3639581E.65EA@mail.gcnet.net>
Source record: 127580

I have a Palomar 90A, what should the power output on this amp?

Thanks

Keith-N8TRO

3110. Palomar 90A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Braithwaite <kbraithwaite@mail.gcnet.net>
Message-ID: <36395846.148@mail.gcnet.net>
Source record: 127581

I have a Palomar 90A, what should the power output on this amp?

Thanks

Keith-N8TRO

3111. Looking for servicemanual Standard c55d

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hal <kb2tgn@wzrd.com>
Message-ID: <01be03cd$eb1a4920$43761bce@kb2tgn.wzrd.com>
Source record: 127582

Hi Everyone
Need schematic or servicemanual for Triband Standard Fm Tx,Rx
(2m,70 cm & 23cm) model SR C55D also WTB ir remote control
mike crc 55 for this radio any info where any of these items are
available would be appreciated. Thanks in advance
Post here or email kb2tgn * wzrd.com
exchange * with @ de Hal

3112. Aussie UHF Repeater Locations??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Ottery <becsys@corplink.com.au>
Message-ID: <36395D62.A0B28D3D@corplink.com.au>
Source record: 127583

Does anyone know where (or what newsgroup) I would find locations and details of Victorian UHF repeater stations. Excuse if this is crossposted!!
Email reply appreciated.

3113. Standard c55d schematic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hal <kb2tgn@wzrd.com>
Message-ID: <01be03d7$72323ea0$43761bce@kb2tgn.wzrd.com>
Source record: 127584

Hi Everyone
Need schematic or servicemanual for Triband Standard Fm Tx,Rx
(2m,70 cm & 23cm) model SR C55D also WTB ir remote control
mike crc 50 for this radio any info where any of these items are
available would be appreciated. Thanks in advance
Post here or email pse kb2tgn * wzrd.com
exchange * with @ de Hal

3114. STOP !!---->>>FACTORY MOTOROLA RIBS & CABLES<<<---

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: msisco9939@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981030035140.21475.00002179@ng92.aol.com>
Source record: 127585

Yep:

Claeaned out a defunked MRSS, and this is the Cream of the crop of
the programming stuff....Sorry No SW, all that had to go back

Still have a few left for the amateur or professional.....These are the "Real"
things and are not Clones...Although "Some" clones can be just as good,
why take the risk if you are into programming MTS2000's, XTS3000's ASTRO's
and the like.....Motorola Ribs also have a battery back-up in the event a power
supply disruption should occurr....this can be fatal to some radios in the
programming process......

I have some of the following left:

RLN4008B Factory Ribs "BRAND NEW"---------->$175.00
Early Series Rib for Lab Use (No Battery)--------->$130.00
Rib To IBM Interface Cable "Factory (/\/\)---------->$ 25.00
Saber Cable-->$140.00
Spectra Cable-->$125.00
Visar Cable----"Brand New" Sealed Package----->$135.00
MT1000/MTX/P200/HT600 Cable---------------------->$125.00
Radius Repeater Cable----------------------------------->$ 65.00
Maxtrac/MuraTrac Cable---------------------------------->$ 35.00
People Finder Cable------------------------------------->$ 35.00
HT1000/JEDI/ Cable--------------------------------------->$125.00

There is also a assortment of other Cables as well, so if you do not see one
on the list, please ask......

All of these cables are either "New" or Like New condition and are "Not"
junkers.....All show no or very little use if any.

Terms:

Acceptable PrePayment in the form of a Postal Money order or other mutual
piror arrangements.

Monty

3115. LOOK----->>>Motorola T-3020AX ENCRYPTION KEYLOADER<<<--

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: msisco9939@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981030035617.21475.00002180@ng92.aol.com>
Source record: 127586

Yep:

If you are into keeping your conversations secure.....This is the thing for
you.
Works on Sabers, Syntors, MX's, Micors, ect....and this unit is "Brand New",
not even a Scratch on the Unit anywhere, and comes with a New Battery.

Asking $375.00 for the Keyloader
and $45.00ea for the Cables...

I have the Micor, Saber, Mx, and Syntor

Terms:

Acceptable Prepayment in the form of a Postal Money order or other mutual piror
arrangements.

Monty

3116. (no subject)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: HRE <hamradio@wizzards.net>
Message-ID: <363B5EC0.5A61@wizzards.net>
Source record: 127339
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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FOR SALE * KENWOOD
====================

TM-255A * Deluxe 50 watt 2 Meter All-Mode Xcvr.
FM / LSB / USB / CW
With Manual, DC Cable, DTMF Hand Mic. / Removable Front Panel
Top of the Line 2 Meter Xcvr, Like NEW in Factory Box $500.00

This Radio Looks Like the Kenwood TS-50-S...

Joe Reaves / N6fra (541) 479-1212
http://www.wizzards.net/hamradio
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3117. F/S KNWD TM-255A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: HRE <hamradio@wizzards.net>
Message-ID: <363B5F89.31B6@wizzards.net>
Source record: 127340
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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FOR SALE * KENWOOD TM-255A
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TM-255A * Deluxe 50 watt 2 Meter All-Mode Xcvr.
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This Radio Looks Like the Kenwood TS-50-S...

Joe Reaves / N6fra (541) 479-1212
http://www.wizzards.net/hamradio
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3118. Re: GAP Titan DX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: jluisjx@socx.insetelx.esx
Message-ID: <363b5b61.1572095@noticias.bcn.ibernet.es>
Source record: 127341
Cross-posted to: att.ham-radio,aus.radio.amateur.misc,es.rec.radio.amateur,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

pues yo hace unos a&#65533;os que estoy considerando la gap challenger, que me aparenta mejor rendimiento en bandas bajas, pero no acabo dedecidirme, la mfj1798 tambien tiene buena apariencia, al menos sobre el papel

saludos

3119. Re: ::::NEW!!..I say NEW Eimac 4CX1000 For Sale:::

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5egg@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <71fqp3$59i@dfw-ixnews5.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 127342
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

In <71cpf2rkg1@news2.tor.accglobal.net> "gaetan lavergne"
<ve3azq@accglobal.net> writes:
>
>
>J. Murray Neece wrote in message <3638DDEA.23D2B0A0@iglobal.net>...
>>Still in the unopened plastic ...new in the factory
>>box....$700...gauranteed NEW!! Thanks Murray
>>
>Hello Murray,
>The 4CX-1000 sells brand new at RF Parts for 695.00
>Though I would let you know
>Gaetan
>
>

You ought to get some hate mail for this comment. Murray doesn't take
constructive criticism very well.

3120. Re: Multiple Ports for PC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: gcsahanin@home.com
Message-ID: <txK_1.2534$I86.9858458@news.rdc1.tx.home.com>
Source record: 127343
Cross-posted to: comp.home.automation,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Ditto, same here Digiboard xE. 8 ports no waiting. Not sure of setup in
dos/windoze, but pretty easy in unix.

-g

Norman Hockler wrote in message <71fm4u$7kf$2@cletus.bright.net>...
>"Joe <KW1K>" <kw1k@nospam.tfb.com> writes:
>> Anyone have experience with adding additional Parallel and Serial ports
>> (beyond the normal LPT3 and COM4) to a PC?
>>
>> Any info appreciated.
>>
>> Thanks in advance
>>
>> Joe - KW1K
>> kw1k<at>tfb<dot>com
>
>Joe,
>
>We use digiboards modle PC/xE. This will add 8 ports with
>onboard processor and ram to keep up with high speed data on
>all ports. It uses onlt 1 IRQ. They also make a 4 port board.
>
>Norm N8RGR

3121. MFJ 1798 10 band antenna any good?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: linda@nospam.com
Message-ID: <363b5eaf.59073493@news.flashcom.com>
Source record: 127344
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Anyone have any experience with the MFJ 1798 all band (10 band)
antenna?

* pls. post your replies here... tx. 73's

3122. R5000 for Sale $500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: jer <jerr1919@gte.net>
Message-ID: <71fuj0$s0d$1@news-2.news.gte.net>
Source record: 127345

I have a Kenwood R 5000 Receiver I am not useing anymore In mint cond.
If interested call 727 541 4009 for more details. Thanks...Jerr

3123. WTB: IR CW filter pair for TS-830S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3bj@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <71g4o0$a0r$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127346
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchor

Wanted: IR CW filter pair for the Kenwood TS-830S. Please let me know if you have some you are not using or a radio that contains them.

Alan, N3BJ
Bent Mountain, VA

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3124. FA: Kenwood TS-830S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: haak@hsonline.net
Message-ID: <71g4uc$a34$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127347

I have a Kenwood TS-830S being auctioned on eBay at:

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=39073509

Here is the description:
- 160 to 10m operation (including WARC bands)
- CW/USB/LSB
- Solid state front end with digital tuning and readout
- Two 6146 finals (120 watts CW output)
- Variable bandpass tuning (VBT), notch filter, IF shift
- RIT/XIT
- VOX and voice compressor
- Excellent condition (9+); only a couple of minor scratches on case
- Serial number 3040125
- Original owners manual

Larry KS9J

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3125. FA: Dentron GLA-1000B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: haak@hsonline.net
Message-ID: <71g54c$af1$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127348

I have a Dentron GLA-1000B linear amplifier being auctioned on eBay at:

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=39073509

Here is the description:
- 80 to 15m operation (10m not included)
- Four 6LQ6 tubes
- Rated at 1000 watts DC input CW, 1200 watts input PEP SSB
- GLA-1000 upgraded with GLA-1000B kit
- Currently wired for 120VAC, but can be rewired for 220VAC
- Excellent condition (9+); only a couple of minor scratches on case
- Serial number 1163
- Original owners manual
- Original box and packing materials

Larry KS9J

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3126. Re: ADI 600 or Kenwood THG71A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: sigintman@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981031164200.12251.00002446@ng30.aol.com>
Source record: 127349

Buy the Kenwood. I had a ADI 600 (HP), and despite the ease of use, exceptional feature-price ratio, it just didn't have great receiver sensitivity. The case would get hot, too thin to be an effective heatsink. I like the kenwood, if you don't need cross band repeat or both bands on at the same time (gives me a headache), the go for the Kenwood. Because it uses a sma antenna connector, you'll need to purchase a sma/bnc or SO-239 adapter so you can use a outside aerial. Not sold at Radio Shack, check with Kenwood dealer or a Land Mobile Radio Shop.
Ed

3127. Who manufacturers the RS 2 meter rig?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Burch <occupant@syix.com>
Message-ID: <01be0518$37ad2280$dc48abcd@default>
Source record: 127350

Does anyone know?

I am lead to believe that the "earlier" models
covered 144-148 MHz only, and the "newer"
radios allow for extended receiver frequency
coverage.

Any comments on the "later" versions from
folks who have had some experience with
imported transceivers?

Thanks

John WB6GHA
occupant (at) syix (dot) com
..

3128. Re: ADI 600 or Kenwood THG71A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Christopher J. McLoughlin" <cjmcloug@uncg.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.GSO.3.96.981031163749.5312A-100000@hamlet.uncg.edu>
Source record: 127351

I own the kenwood thg71a and i love it. The thing i love the most about
it is that it just has a sturdy construction. I think the kenwood is a
little more expensive but in my opinion its a ggod radio.
--Chris kc2dpf

On Sat, 31 Oct 1998, Richard Young wrote:

> I am ready to buy my first dual band HT. I have narrowed the choices
> down the ADI 600 or the Kenwood TH-G71A. Any opinions out
> there. Thanks, Rich N8EBH ryoung@wcnet.org
>
>
>

3129. Computer Noise on HF Rig; help please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Murray Green <mgreen@erols.com>
Message-ID: <363B95EE.1CD0@erols.com>
Source record: 127352

Friend of mine drives an 18 wheeler tractor trailer cross country. The Caterpiller engine is controlled by an inboard computer which generates noise over his HF rig installed in the cab. It does not bother his VHF rig.

Any suggestions on how to eliminate or substantiall reduce the noise? This is not ignition noise but computer whines and spikes etc. Thanks.
73 K3BEQ

3130. Yaesu FT-736R 1.2 GHz problem-help!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: al@boltons.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <363b876a.1132915@news.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 127353

Hello,

I have a problem with my Yaesu FT-736R which is about 2 years old. It works just fine on 144 and 433 MHz with 25 Watts out on each band. However, on 1.2 GHz when going to transmit (on any mode) the meter in the PO setting won't always deflect to "8" (the full power output benchmark) but will only reach "2". It will then either flicker slightly before going on up to "8" or it may even drop to "0". Sometimes though transmitting on 1.2 GHz is fine and power output will indicate "8" for transmission after transmission. Then suddenly,it will misbehave again. It seems slightly worse when cold. Full power is being produced (>10 Watts) when "8" is reached but only about 1 Watt at "2". However, if you can get the radio to transmit at 10 Watts it will continue to do so, with little or no drop off in power, even if the mic is keyed for 20 minutes.

I also notice what I can only describe as noise bursts when tuning throught the 1.2 GHz band; these occur when tuning from, say 1296.883.3 to 1296.883.4 MHz. What happens is that as you tune, there is a brief burst of noise, the "S" meter deflects, sometimes up to S 6 and then silence reigns again. The receiver is very sensitive though...

Possibly the two are related. My antennas are good, no intermittents. I can only surmise this must be a bad joint or bad PA device in the module.

Any advice or help most gratefully received. I'm sorry it's such a long-winded description!

I'm keen to correspond with other FT-736R owners as well.
Al Bolton
OK8VSQ/G4VSQ

3131. FA Drake MN4 Ant. Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Asp <larry.asp@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <363B8AE9.7BAA@sympatico.ca>
Source record: 127354
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

<http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=39119609>

Drake MN4 Antenna Tuner on EBay

3132. Logmaster Plus replacement software??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: STEVEN L UMBACH <N9ROU@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <71g24b$71ca$1@newssvr04-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 127355

I have been using Logmaster Plus for five years now. The program is now defunct and non supported. The problem is I have more than three thousand qso's logged. Has anyone found a new logging program with a good convert utility so that I don't have to re enter all of the qso's?? Thanks for any help. ---- Steve KK9ZZ

3133. Re: Multiple Ports for PC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Lewis <aa4pb@erols.com>
Message-ID: <363B8B95.A1CF8347@erols.com>
Source record: 127356
Cross-posted to: comp.home.automation,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Make sure whatever software you're using can use ports using non-standard
addresses and IRQs.

"Joe " wrote:

> Anyone have experience with adding additional Parallel and Serial ports
> (beyond the normal LPT3 and COM4) to a PC?
>
> Any info appreciated.
>
> Thanks in advance
>
> Joe - KW1K
> kw1k<at>tfb<dot>com

3134. JRC NRD-545: No SSB using the CHE-199 (Converter) ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: davez <davez@ticon.net>
Message-ID: <71g25eklm1@galileo.ticon.net>
Source record: 127357
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

I hear that the CHE-199 Wide Band Converter Unit will NOT allow any SSB modes (USB/LSB Rtty etc) !! Only AM and FM and FM Wide ?? Can someone with one installed in their NRD-545 give us some solid information ??? If this is true, I'm sure this will not please many if they planned on tuning in Amateur Signals in the VHF-UHF areas ?? Maybe another JRC blunder with this radio !!! Hopefully something else they can correct with a software upgrade ?? (again if this is true)....

davez

3135. HAM-IV vs HAM-M vs HAM-II rotors???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: nw2m@qsl.net
Message-ID: <71g58eafp1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127358
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc

HAM-IV vs HAM-M vs HAM-II rotors.

Greetings. These rotors appear to be the largest rotors which fit the Tri-Ex W51 crank-up tower. I currently have an HD-73, which I am about to outgrow.

Can someone please explain the differences, and which one is more rugged. I have four long yagis (34 feet each!) for 2-meter weak signal work.

Which is the better choice given my space limitation?

73,

Al, NW2M
Keeper of the FT-101 web page:
http://www.qsl.net/nw2m/ft101.html

-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

3136. URM-120 watt meter parts needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: nw2m@qsl.net
Message-ID: <71g6c0bvj1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127359
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Need a basket-case URM-120 or a link to parts supliers (Bird, etc.) who made parts for the URM-120 watt meter.

Need the side N-connectors.

73,

Al, NW2M

-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

3137. Re: WTB SG-230 Smart tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: japalese@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981031174418.26676.00001754@ngol05.aol.com>
Source record: 127360

Have SGC-231 tuner for sale. As far as I know it is identical to SGC-230 but also includes 6M.

73 WB9JPH

3138. Re: Who manufacturers the RS 2 meter rig?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Paul F. McCarron" <w1hzy@cybertours.com>
Message-ID: <363B93F9.E0646E56@cybertours.com>
Source record: 127361

Made for RS by Maxon under license by Icom. It's an ICOM design.

John Burch wrote:

> Does anyone know?
>
> I am lead to believe that the "earlier" models
> covered 144-148 MHz only, and the "newer"
> radios allow for extended receiver frequency
> coverage.
>
> Any comments on the "later" versions from
> folks who have had some experience with
> imported transceivers?
>
> Thanks
>
> John WB6GHA
> occupant (at) syix (dot) com
> ..

3139. Re: HF4B documentation wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: T E I X E I R A <teixeira@ccnet.com>
Message-ID: <363B954A.5B85@ccnet.com>
Source record: 127362
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Contact Bencher AKA Butternut at their web page:
http://www.bencher.com/

73's
Don, W6IQ

3140. For Sale HTX 404

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: ka0nno <ka0nno@cswnet.com>
Message-ID: <71g5liedu1@news-in.anc.net>
Source record: 127363
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

For Sale HTX 404. 440 fm handheld. Includes rubber duck antenna, belt clip, battery and wall charger.
$85.00 plus shipping.

If interested cal George n0eoq at 870-389-6516

3141. For Sale Icom 706 and options

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: ka0nno <ka0nno@cswnet.com>
Message-ID: <71g5pt$f0n$1@news-in.anc.net>
Source record: 127364
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

For Sale Icom 706, 2 years old, excellent condition. Comes with, manual,
original box, mobile mounting bracket, hand mike, power cord, plus
optional FL103 ssb
2.8khz filter plus a MFJ 564 electronic iambic paddle.
$725.00

Options:
1. New in the box unused separation cable opc-581
with the control head mounting bracket not new MB-63 both for $75.00

2. IC SM6 desk microphone with opc-589 mike adapter 8 pin to phone plug.
$90.00

The whole package price if you want it will be $850.00

If interested call George n0eoq at 870-389-6516

3142. Updated Web Page...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: davez <davez@ticon.net>
Message-ID: <71g5uunih1@galileo.ticon.net>
Source record: 127365
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

Hello,
Just updated my web page to include a few more entries in the "Pictures From the Past" page. Also a number of added .wav files, KUSW and few other added ShortWave audio clips.

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Visit my web site "Dave's Radio Receiver Page" at
http://www.ticon.net/~davez

have fun
davez

3143. Daiwa LA-2035R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: mdonohue@renc.igs.net
Message-ID: <363b9ef6.1400111@news.igs.net>
Source record: 127366

Hi:
I have just aquired this little amplifier, but came with no
manual. Sure would appreciate if someone has a manual for this amp
please respond. Tnx

73 De Mike
VE3DMJ

3144. DB-25 MALE-FEMALE JUMPER-BOXES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: "911RADIO.COM" <westernmobiletel@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <363B768C.4B4D@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 127367

I NEED 500 ea. DB-25, 25 pin male/female jumper-boxes. They look
like a gender changer. Does anyone know a surplus company that sells
that kind of stuff?
--
Very Best Regards, ARTHUR 73 KC6KUK ANAHEIM CA.

http://www.911radio.com

3145. FS 500W+ AM Modulator

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Cooper <pcooper@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <363BA4BA.70DA84FC@primenet.com>
Source record: 127368

20 years ago after being on SSB since 1955, I decided to build a speech amp and a full
bore 500 Watt Modulator as that was the one project I had never built.

This modulator uses a Stancor Poly-Pedance Modulation xfmr #A-3899, two 810 triodes, companion control circuitry, and comes with a speech amp with all tubes with 6L6 finals. The speech amp is one one 19" chassis and the modulator is on another.

I want to sell these two as I have not used them after about 5 times on the air with them in 1977 and I am out of room in my rack. Any of you old time AM guys interested before I just junk it? I am certain that the modulator transformer is worth about $300.00 by itself today. What is anyone's best offer? These are too heavy to ship.

Paul, K6PY
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Paul Cooper - - - - - - - - - -- - -pcooper@primenet.com

818.341.3499 Voice
818.772.8863 FAX

3146. A SITE TO SEE !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: HRE <hamradio@wizzards.net>
Message-ID: <363BA4DF.1118@wizzards.net>
Source record: 127369
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave

This is a Real Good Ham Radio Web page to add to your bookmarks...
Used and New Ham Gear, Short-wave, Swaps, Factory web sites and more...
http://www.wizzards.net/hamradio

3147. Re: X-10 Problems^

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Bonde <stderr@mailexcite.com>
Message-ID: <363BB311.E3D766C3@mailexcite.com>
Source record: 127370
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

kw1k@funtv.com wrote:
>
> Hi -
>
> I am considering using X-10 type receivers in my home - anyone have any
> experience, opinions, comments, problems, or general information they might
> share with me?
>
There is a new type from Levtron that are supposedly much more immune to
noise. What they really need is some way to single back to the
controller that that have received the message. As it is, it's just sent
a command and hope it gets there.

3148. FS: Collins SM-2 Microphone on Ebay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Terry Muncey <tsm@electrosys.com>
Message-ID: <71ge80$s8b$1@news.onramp.net>
Source record: 127371

See the following link if you are interested:

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=39175542

3149. FS: COLLINS KWM-2A LOADED - One Day Left on Ebay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Terry Muncey <tsm@electrosys.com>
Message-ID: <71ggiqsqo1@news.onramp.net>
Source record: 127372

In case you missed it: see:
http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=37978458

3150. Re: MFJ 1798 10 band antenna any good?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Irv Finkleman <finkirv@cadvision.com>
Message-ID: <363BD09F.FE69205E@cadvision.com>
Source record: 127373
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

The 1798 uses what they call an inverted groundplane, with the groundplane at the top. If this is the case. would it not tend to direct all the so called "low angle" radiation into the ground? I sent MFJ an e-mail asking them this question -- but they never replied!
Irv VE6BP

linda@nospam.com wrote:

> Anyone have any experience with the MFJ 1798 all band (10 band)
> antenna?
>
> * pls. post your replies here... tx. 73's

3151. Re: Yaesu FT-736R 1.2 GHz problem-help!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alice Carlson <acarlson@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <363BCEAF.5554@pacbell.net>
Source record: 127374

Al Bolton wrote:
>
> Hello,
>
> I have a problem with my Yaesu FT-736R which is about 2 years old. It
> works just fine on 144 and 433 MHz with 25 Watts out on each band.
> However, on 1.2 GHz when going to transmit (on any mode) the meter in
> the PO setting won't always deflect to "8" (the full power output
> benchmark) but will only reach "2". It will then either flicker
> slightly before going on up to "8" or it may even drop to "0".
> Sometimes though transmitting on 1.2 GHz is fine and power output will
> indicate "8" for transmission after transmission. Then suddenly,it
> will misbehave again. It seems slightly worse when cold. Full power is
> being produced (>10 Watts) when "8" is reached but only about 1 Watt
> at "2". However, if you can get the radio to transmit at 10 Watts it
> will continue to do so, with little or no drop off in power, even if
> the mic is keyed for 20 minutes.
>
> I also notice what I can only describe as noise bursts when tuning
> throught the 1.2 GHz band; these occur when tuning from, say
> 1296.883.3 to 1296.883.4 MHz. What happens is that as you tune, there
> is a brief burst of noise, the "S" meter deflects, sometimes up to S 6
> and then silence reigns again. The receiver is very sensitive
> though...
>
> Possibly the two are related. My antennas are good, no intermittents.
> I can only surmise this must be a bad joint or bad PA device in the
> module.
>
> Any advice or help most gratefully received. I'm sorry it's such a
> long-winded description!
>
> I'm keen to correspond with other FT-736R owners as well.
> Al Bolton
> OK8VSQ/G4VSQ
al it sounds like a feed line problem, low power ,high noise in the
problem mode, i have a 736-r with 1.2 and the band is very quite. i am
using almar 400 , chuck ks6rsq

3152. WTB: TS-830S Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Terry <pridgent@pinn.net>
Message-ID: <AjQ_1.882$fl.11164204@audrey2.cais.com>
Source record: 127375
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Looking for a copy of the Kenwood TS-830S manual. Please respond via email
if you can assist.
73, KC4YTF
pridgent@pinn.net

3153. Re: Multiple Ports for PC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Clarke" <nospam@nospam.nospam>
Message-ID: <363be3d6.0@news1.ibm.net>
Source record: 127376
Cross-posted to: comp.home.automation,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Digi makes a variety of boards with drivers for various operating systems.
Don't recall the upper end but it's over a hundred. Used to run 30 users on
a 486 using their products. For more information try <www.dgii.com> (note,
that is not a typo).

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--John

Reply to jclarke at eye bee em dot net.

Joe wrote in message ...
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>(beyond the normal LPT3 and COM4) to a PC?
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>Any info appreciated.
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>Joe - KW1K
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3154. Re: Multiple Ports for PC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Clarke" <nospam@nospam.nospam>
Message-ID: <363be436.0@news1.ibm.net>
Source record: 127377
Cross-posted to: comp.home.automation,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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>kw1k<at>tfb<dot>com

3155. WTD: UT1200 Kenbwood Module

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ken Mirabella <kjm@flo-bin.com>
Message-ID: <71gogt$250@chronicle.concentric.net>
Source record: 127378

Wanted Kenwood UT 1200 module for TM-741, 742, 641, 642, 941,942.

The module is interchangeable in all these units.

Working please.

Ken Mirabella, KM6YH

3156. WTD: Kenwood UT 1200 module

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ken Mirabella <kjm@flo-bin.com>
Message-ID: <71goii$266@chronicle.concentric.net>
Source record: 127379
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Wanted Kenwood UT 1200 module for TM-741, 742, 641, 642, 941,942.

The module is interchangeable in all these units.

Working please.

Ken Mirabella, KM6YH

3157. WTB: Mobile HF amp kit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Menzel <lmenzel@millcomm.com>
Message-ID: <363BF1C0.3B73@millcomm.com>
Source record: 127380
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Does anyone know where I can get a kit for a mobile HF amp?
Specs:
~300 Watts out
13.8V power
Stripline construction
10-80 meters

I had one and foolishly sold it! I believe that the ham who
built it got the kit from somewhere in Florida, but I'm not
certain of that.

If you can help, please email direct to: lmenzel@millcomm.com

Larry Menzel, N0XB
Northfield, MN

3158. Bird 43 Element Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: "George T. Baker" <w5yr@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <363BF63B.4F892F3F@swbell.net>
Source record: 127381
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Looking for a 50H element for a Bird 43 wattmeter. Please contact me directly if you have one to sell or trade. This is the 50 watt, 2 - 30 mHz slug.

Thanks.

--
72/73, George
Amateur Radio W5YR, in the 53rd year and it just keeps getting better!
AutoPOWER Systems, Fairview, TX (30 mi NE Dallas) Collin County
QRP-L QRP-ARCI FISTS NORCAL ZOMBIE #522 ARS 10-X 33.2 N 96.6 W EM13RE

3159. FS: Fluke Model 97 ScopeMeter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al <K6DJP@postoffice.pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <363C018F.95046445@postoffice.pacbell.net>
Source record: 127382
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Meter is a dual channel 50 Mhz unit,It is in excellent condition and
includes all probes,service and operators manuals,ac charger and
carrying case.$700 or trade .
Al

3160. FS:Icom IC820H $750.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al <K6DJP@postoffice.pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <363C0238.BC2C64ED@postoffice.pacbell.net>
Source record: 127383
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Radio is a dual band (2mtr & 440 mhz) all mode base type radio in
excellent condition.
Al

3161. Keyloader question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Buzz <buzzm@reno.rmci.net>
Message-ID: <363BFAB0.84C1969A@reno.rmci.net>
Source record: 127384

I saw your post and it brought to mind a question. I have two MCX-100
radios with a small chassis on top that has two key switches labeled
"operate" and "keyload". There is also a pushbutton labeled "erase" and
a small 4 pin socket. There is a pigtail cable going into the side of
the radio for interconnection. Is this some sort of encryption? Thanks
for any information.
Buzz KD7BZ

MSisco9939 wrote:
>
> Yep:
>
> If you are into keeping your conversations secure.....This is the thing for
> you.
> Works on Sabers, Syntors, MX's, Micors, ect....and this unit is "Brand New",
> not even a Scratch on the Unit anywhere, and comes with a New Battery.
>
> Asking $375.00 for the Keyloader
> and $45.00ea for the Cables...
>
> I have the Micor, Saber, Mx, and Syntor
>
> Terms:
>
> Acceptable Prepayment in the form of a Postal Money order or other mutual piror
> arrangements.
>
> Monty

3162. FS or Trade: Voice Logging recorders

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3jpu@erols.com
Message-ID: <363d53d4.1447500@news.erols.com>
Source record: 127424

FS or Trade: Voice Logging recorders

I have some Racal Wordsafe VHS voice logging recorders for sale or trade.

These are recorders used by 911 centers, DoD ATC and other applications for recording Radio and/or Telephone. These units record 32 channels on 2 T160 VHS tapes for 48+ hours (24+ hours per tape with automatic change over). The dimensions are 19" wide, 8.75" high.

The recorders on playback can automatically fast forward or reverse to the next message, play it and then go on to the next messages. Microprocessor controlled with many features. I can e-mail additional info if interested.

I have 2 rackmount recorders and 1 desktop version (and a 4th for spares).

All units are in extremely clean and have shipping boxes. These recorders originally sold for about $25K new. These were trade-in's that we took back and I can only get rid of them for hobbyist use (i.e. SWL, Scanning or Ham).

So if are looking for a professional way to record multiple radios this is it. They also work great as an audio multiplex unit as you can listen live to any combination of channels.

I am interested in trading for high quality radio equipment (commercial or mil-spec radio's, Ham equipment (looking for a 50 Mhz and 144 Mhz Amp of 400+ watts), wideband V/UHF receivers). Or possibly cash of $1000-$1500 each.

3163. Re: Hamtronics

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <363e4f57.26397222@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 127425

On 30 Oct 1998 05:33:57 GMT, "bill" <mrbill@toexpress.com> wrote:
>Has anyone heard of this company
>Hamtronics, Inc.ï¿½
>65 Moul Rd., Hilton, NY 14468-9535ï¿½
>
>
>I was looking at a couple of kits for my son.
> He wants to build a repeater for his science project and i would like to
>get a good deal for my money.
> any other ideas???
> thank you Bill

I've built several Hamtronics kits. They vary in quality depending on the particular kit, and the instructions are often terse. I'm not pleased with their transverter modules, for example, but I'm impressed with their helically filtered preamps. Etc. Their older Tx and Rx modules had some stability flaws, but they weren't bad. Their new modules seem to be of much better design, but I haven't personally built one. There are repeaters around the country using their modules with relatively good success, so they aren't junk.

However, unless building a kit is part of the science project, I'd suggest that Tx and Rx strips scavenged from a GE Mastr II or Motorola Micor would make a better repeater. While you can modify either radio to act as a repeater without a lot of building, you can make an even better repeater if you remove the Tx and Rx strips and install them in their own separate shielded enclosures. You'll have to build your own signal and control interfaces this way, but the RF performance is usually better than leaving the strips in a common case. You're sure to be able to get a lot of help with these radios since they were so widely used in 2 way service for many years (some still are).

Unless you have a good duplexer, you'll probably be satisfied with just the output of these exciter strips (or the output of the Hamtronics Tx strip). But if you have a good duplexer, then the Mastr II PA (or an Exec II PA) can be remote panel mounted for 40 to 90 watts output (use a thermostatically controlled fan for higher output). These are great radios for repeater use, and you can get them *cheap*.

The system integration required to make these radios into repeaters is certainly enough to qualify as a science fair project, and recycling is envrionmentally sound. :-)

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |

Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

3164. Re: -->(/\/\)OTOROLA HT600 UHF $130

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: rgold1161@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981030190641.15992.00001523@ng64.aol.com>
Source record: 127426

Send it if you still have it. Let me know.

Rich
RF Technologies
129 Ethan Lane
Absecon, NJ 08201
609.748.3280

3165. Re: ic-2100h pwr mod?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: hutchg@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <71dpa9$d77$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127427

In article <19981021235343.10536.00004061@ng99.aol.com>,
dlr18sh@aol.com (DLR18SH) wrote:
> I opened up the radio. Only 2 or 3 pots.
> One says "dev" for FM Deviation
> Other says MIC for mic gain
> and the 3rd says "POW"
> abreviation for POWER.
> THe radio puts out 55 watts out of the box
> I turned this pot to 35 watts which is perfect
> for my local. Now the Heat sink stays reasonable cool except on Very Long
> winded
> conversations. I also did this mod so I could plug the radio into the
cigarette
> lighter plug
> in my Doge Caravan. THe Lighter plug says
> it will handle 20 AMPS max but i doubt it.
> THe IC-2100 used 12 Amps at 55 watts
> and not uses 7 Amps at 35 watts.
> Take care, Tim
>

Tim,
I have a Plymouth Voyager (identical to the Caravan). Where did you mount the
radio? What type of antenna setup did you go with?

Any help or ideas would really be appreciated.

Thanks
Hutch

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3166. ICOM M11

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: mack501@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <71do3ubls1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127428

Does anyone have the manual for the ICOM M11 that I could copy? Or are there any places on the web with the info? thanks mack!

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3167. Re: fs: great ham gear cheap - n1yus@aol.com

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: davekdo@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981030194448.24007.00001513@ng-fd1.aol.com>
Source record: 127429

any crystals FT-243 type?
test

3168. Re: FS:Icom IC-751A HF Transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: kvanderlin@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981030194820.13897.00001706@ng106.aol.com>
Source record: 127430

>Late serial # with dotted I Icom Logo. Internal PS-35 power supply.
>9.5 cosmetically, 10 electrically. Original box, owners manual, service
>manual, HM-36 mic. $695 shipped conus. Van

S O L D!! Thanks to all who replied.

Van

3169. WTB FT-243 ham band crystals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: davekdo@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981030195225.23338.00001545@ng-fd2.aol.com>
Source record: 127431

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Looking for FT-243 ham band crystals 80 40 30 20 12 meter bands.
Respond to Email : Davekdo@aol.com
many thanks
test
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3170. Re: Maha-Rexon RL-501 Dual Band HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: rcasey1@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <71drvvgth1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127432

In article <19981030152937.18657.00001231@ng84.aol.com>,
user66@aol.com (User 66) wrote:
> Please, share Your impressions !
>
> One of the first things that I noticed was it's resemblance to the Relm

commercial HT. Looks like it has features of a few different rigs. After taking a look further when taking the battery off you can see were the circuit board is exposed, this looks like something that could be improved, even though other Amateur HT's are not sealed at the base. The knob for stepping the frequencies and channels is in a good position and the right size, but I think it would be better if it were a knurled knob. I have only had the radio for about two weeks and already there is signs of black coming off the chassis around sharp bends,(and I take care of my radios). It remains to be seen how the DTMF pads, rubber top, PTT and markings hold up. As far as the programming it would be nice if they had PC programming available. I find the display to be acceptable, the ADI I think has it beat on this. I have not taken it to the service monitor test yet, but I think I will be pleased. the receiver works great, better than my other ht's Yaesu and Alinco. When Cross banding the attenuator works great to prevent overloading the receiver. So far I am pleased with the performance of this radio, it's price is right. keyboard programming once you understand it is OK. I have a FT-470 Yaesu and a leather case from Bee Electronics and this radio fits perfectly in this case. Bee Electronics E-mail address is beecase@aol.com Tel: 1-800-336-3115. So far this is my thoughts on the Rexon RL-501. Maybe after a period of time I can share more thoughts or opinion.

tnx DE K4JDR rcasey1@bellsouth.net

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3171. FA: Motorola P110 UHF LIKE NEW (ebay)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ernie Stedman <n2ojq@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <71dq6p$e12@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 127433
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Motorola Radius UHF P110
2 channel 4 watt- 438-470 MHz
Date code 94/6/28
Unit is LIKE NEW, 9.9 out of 10
Includes Radio, 100% battery, Antenna, and
BRAND New In Box Standard Rate Drop In Charger!!
Also includes you choice of ONE of the following:
NEW Plastic Drop In Belt Clip w/ bungee
NEW Cordura Belt Pouch w/ bungee
NEW Leather Belt Pouch w/ bungee
(Additionally, any of the above carriers can be had for an additional $9
each)
Can also get programmed to your freqs INCLUDED!!
see it here:

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=38411114

3172. FA:Motorola MTX-800 Classic (ebay)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ernie Stedman <n2ojq@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <71dqbt$end@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 127434
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

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Motorola MTX Classic Portable Radio
800 MHz, 6 Systems & 2 Talkgroups
2W Power Output
Dual Mode Capability: Trunk & Conventional!!!
Full Keypad
Includes Radio, Antenna & 2 batteries, 1 good and 1 questionable.
Unit is being sold as is, but appears to be working.
SEE IT HERE:
http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=38407157
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3173. FA: BC-348 (ebay)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ernie Stedman <n2ojq@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <71dqg8$fav@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 127435

BC-348 Military Receiver

This CLASSIC radio is in decent condition and works! Covers up to 18 MHz.
Rewired for 120 V operation. Crystal knob has stripped set screw - needs
minor repair.
SEE IT HERE:
http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=38166035

3174. FA:Collins MP-1 Mobile Power Supply (ebay)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ernie Stedman <n2ojq@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <71dqjm$frd@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 127436
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

COLLINS WE Mobile Power Supply
Model MP1
Powers a KWM-2 or KWM-2A in your car!
Includes Power Cable to Radio and Plug and copy of instruction manual
See it here:
http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=38408629

3175. FA:BC-348

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ernie Stedman <n2ojq@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <71drag$j71@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 127437
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

BC-348 Military Receiver

This CLASSIC radio is in decent condition and works! Covers up to 18 MHz.
Rewired for 120 V operation. Crystal knob has stripped set screw - needs
minor repair.
SEE IT HERE:
http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=38166035

3176. Icom 2710 Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Ottria <Gottria@Inreach.com>
Message-ID: <cnu_1.5787$E5.1574783@news.inreach.com>
Source record: 127438

Who has used the Icom 2710 Software? Any good? I have the Yaesu software packages and they work great. Just got an Icom 2410H and see that Icom has several versions of the software.

--
Greg Ottria KE6PTP
Castro Valley, California
Gottria@Inreach.com

3177. Re: ::::NEW!!..I say NEW Eimac 4CX1000 For Sale:::

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bored of Your Bull <boredof@hatemail.com>
Message-ID: <01be03b2$870d2440$55c6b8cd@MyComputer.nowhere.net>
Source record: 127439
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Murray .equipment is not a sales group. Take your stupid little business elsewhere.
And, oh by the way, learn to spell.

J. Murray Neece <kc5mdm@iglobal.net> wrote in article
<3638DDEA.23D2B0A0@iglobal.net>...
> Still in the unopened plastic ...new in the factory
> box....$700...gauranteed NEW!! Thanks Murray
>
>

3178. Re: fs: great ham gear cheap - n1yus@aol.com

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: davekdo@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981030221309.00970.00001597@ng122.aol.com>
Source record: 127440

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ft-243 or similar with same pin/dia spacing
thanks
test
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3179. Re: :::Collins 30-Sl::like new For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bored of Your Bull <boredof@hatemail.com>
Message-ID: <01be03b3$27910f80$55c6b8cd@MyComputer.nowhere.net>
Source record: 127441

This would be an ad for Murray's stupid little business but since for sale
ads are
not appropriate in .equipment it must not be an ad, right Murray.

Now write 500 times on the black board "I will not use the internet
inappropriately
for my stupid little business."

J. Murray Neece <kc5mdm@iglobal.net> wrote in article
<3638DF7C.E63423C9@iglobal.net>...
> This unit would be New if there werent one little 1\8" ding from
> shipping 10 years ago(its hidden on the side though)...its been put up
> all that time and will just blow your mind when you see it...4CX1000 in
> it with virtually no hours on it...This is $2300.. FOB Austin Texas,
> from an estate....Trade of current HF Gear considered but no BA's or
> junk please....prefer cash, and if you want the nicest one around , here
> it is...Its winged emblem....not willing to ship but might arrange
> delivery in Texas...Thanks Murray K5MDM
>
>

3180. Re: :::Collins Miscellaneous For Sale:::

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bored of Your Bull <boredof@hatemail.com>
Message-ID: <01be03b3$68be8be0$55c6b8cd@MyComputer.nowhere.net>
Source record: 127442

Wrong group to promote your stupid little business Murray

J. Murray Neece <kc5mdm@iglobal.net> wrote in article
<3638E035.B91D7963@iglobal.net>...
> #1. CC1 Carrying Case in good but not excellent shape...winged
> emblem $250.oo+ shipping...
> #2. Crystal Pack for 32S3 &etc perfect shape....$250.oo + shipping
>
> This is all from an estate, but can ship this stuff.. Thanks Murray
>
>

3181. WTB kenwood TR-9000 2m all mode

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: guardm@aol.comjunkblk
Message-ID: <19981030221624.19998.00001654@ng110.aol.com>
Source record: 127443

I'm looking for a kenwood TR-9000 2m all mode xcvr
TNX
Mev
www.qsl.net/kg9nf
remove "junkblk" from e-mail address if you drop me a note.

3182. Re: Emergency Communications -- Internet vs Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <36468700.40648745@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 127444
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Fri, 30 Oct 1998 16:55:44 -0500, dlpearce <dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu> wrote:
>Gary Coffman wrote:
>
>> On Mon, 26 Oct 1998 12:08:19 -0500, dlpearce <dlpearce@eos.ncsu.edu> wrote:
>> >But what about particle radiation triggering high levels of secondary radiation in
>> >the tube itself? It seems this would cause some measure of improper operation
>> >within the tube.
>>
>> Two factors make this of little concern. First, alpha radiation cannot penetrate
>> the tube envelope, and most beta radiation can't either. Gamma can, but there
>> has to be something for ionizing radiation to ionize, and a tube is mostly empty
>> vacuum. The amount of secondary emission due to ionizing radiation impact
>> on tube structures is insignificant. Tubes can be used around nuclear reactor
>> cores because they are very immune to the effects of ionizing radiation. That's
>> a higher radiation environment than any communications equipment will ever be
>> exposed to in a nuclear war, except if it is *very* near ground zero, in which case
>> the blast and heat pulse effects of the detonation make any concerns about
>> ionizing radiation moot.
>
>What of high energy neutron and gamma radiation on the thorium coated cathode?

The nuclear cross section of thorium is low, which is why you have to use thermalized
neutrons in a reactor burning thorium (see Candu design). Fast neutrons don't have much
chance of causing fission chains in thorium. The only effect of gamma on thorium is a bit
of
added heating. You should also realize that only some tubes use a thoriated cathode, and
even in those that do, the percentage of thorium in the tungsten matrix is less than 1.5%.
Many tubes use a barium oxide cathode because it has higher emission for a given heater
power than a thoriated cathode. Thoriated cathodes are usually restricted to tubes
operating
at high peak to average current ratios. That can damage an oxide cathode by a process
called stripping.

BTW as a historical tidbit, ARPA funded the development of tube ICs back in the
early 1960s. They were called TIMS for Thermally Integrated ModuleS by GE (the
prime contractor). The entire module was heated for operation (hence the name).
The reason they were developed was for operation in high radiation environments,
such as aboard spacecraft and around nuclear reactor cores. They worked quite
well, and were really fast logic elements for their day, but the rapid advance of solid
state electronics, and in particular the rad hard SOS (Silicon On Sapphire) technology
developed by rival RCA, put a premature end to what was a promising technology.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net

534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

3183. Amateur Enforcement Line, 202-418-1184

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: aci6@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981031004721.14887.00001781@ng20.aol.com>
Source record: 127445

OK, to all of you who have been posting ad nauseam about 75 meters, 20 meters, etc, NOW'S YOUR CHANCE. Drop a dime on those bad boys of the air.

The FCC is waiting for your call - BUT, you better be straight with them . . .

Well, what are you waiting for?

Regards,

Bill

3184. Wanted: Conversion Information Tek 2445/2465

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: joe@widind.com
Message-ID: <71e9d0$1g3$1@news.jump.net>
Source record: 127446
Cross-posted to:
misc.industry.electronics.marketplace,sci.electronics.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.repair

I have heard that it is possible to convert the Tek 2445 (and A or B) to
the Tek 2465 (And A or B) performance specifications.

Anyone out there know how to do this or does anybody know anyone who
does know how to up grade the 2445 to 2465??

Any information along these lines appreciated.

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Thanks and Best Regards
Joe Westenhaver W4FEC joe@widind.com
http://www.widind.com/
http://www.widind.com/auctions/

3185. Re: [== PRC-47: Source for LSB Mechanical Filter ==]

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: jleikhim@nettally.com
Message-ID: <363aa8e8.6371310@news2.nettally.com>
Source record: 127447
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Your probably right, I picked up a couple of copies of Com Q recently
and that could be where I saw it.

Michael Black <blackm00@CAM.ORG> wrote:

>This doesn't sound like something that would appear in 73 in recent years,
>and I don't recall seeing anything like it there.
>
>But there was something in Communications Quarterly somewhere in the past
>couple of years, about some surplus SSB rig that just might be what you
>are thinking of. I don't have the article and I don't remember anything
>more than that there was something like this.
>
> Michael VE2BVW

Joe Leikhim K4SAT (EX KE4TZH)
Jleikhim@nettally.com

"tv dinner by the pool,
i'm so glad i finished school" -F.Zappa 1967

"The Revolution will NOT be televised" -Gil Scott Heron

3186. F.S. Kenwood station

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Hisserich <ronh@fidnet.com>
Message-ID: <01be049a$f81430a0$31d0d8cd@default>
Source record: 127448

I have for sale a Kenwood TS850-SAT with 1.8 ssb filter, IF232C interface,
MC43 Mic and SP31 speaker.
Also Kenwood TL922-A amp, Like New, w/10 meter mod
Full Output. Original boxws and manuals for all the above.
$2,100.00 plus shipping. Tnx 73 Ron N0PIR ronh@fidnet.com

3187. WTB::Looking for a SM-20 Mike

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cliff <ccedar@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <hZx_1.606$DA3.682276@newse1.twcny.rr.com>
Source record: 127449

If you have a SM-20 mike forsale thats in good condition email me with a price...Thanks Cliff(KC2DNH) ccedar@yahoo.com

3188. Re: Hamtronics

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Vlack <k2dv@rochester.rr.com>
Message-ID: <363AB9BE.A77E9EFD@rochester.rr.com>
Source record: 127450

Bill. Hamtronics is on my area, but they do not operate a "store".
They have been in the ham radio repeaters business for about 20-30
years, according to the old timers in our area. I don't know if their
products would be suitable for what you son wants to do, but they are an
established, reputable company.
Good Luck
--

73 from
Don Vlack K2DV

3189. Re: PCR-1000, again!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: odo <odo@mail.blinx.de>
Message-ID: <363ADB26.1BC486C2@mail.blinx.de>
Source record: 127451
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Dies ist eine Kopie von einer Message aus alt.radio.scanner:

From:
Dennis Cain <wedge@gate.net>

Di 04:35

Subject:
Alternate ICOM PCR-1000 Software

Here are websites with the best software that I have been able to find
for the ICOM Pcr-1000.

(Sorry ICOM, your software sucks)

This is Patrick Masotta's home page (This guy is my hero...)
http://members.tripod.com/~pcr1000/index.html

This is a cool site that has a program called "Pcrscope" Very nice
proggie!
http://208.133.53.38/pcr1000.html

This is another great site, for a great proggie. The program is called
"Talkpcr".
http://www.mahy.demon.co.uk/

Of course the list would'nt be complete without mentioning:
http://www.scancat.com
as soon as this guy gets online ordering, im gonna give him some buckies

for his great software.

A great DOS based PCR control program here:
http://www.bigbear.net/users/rransom/pcr.htm

These proggies I tried, and did'nt like (Or I could'nt get to work)
)-:
Visual Radio
SHOC radio

Come on guys! Get writing some more software!!! I need a free frequency
conversion program!
ICOM and these godd**n .MCH mother***kers!!!

Know of any good software for this neat little black box???

mailto:wedge@gate.net

Maybe the WR1500e (external) is a good choice. But I have not seen one personally. It costs much more than the WR1000 but maybe it has more possibilities for upgrading with better IF-filters and other components.

In addition a sample of some postings I did before. Some of them are in german (excuse me) but there are lots of germans reading this NG too (as

I do).

Wenn Du mit dem Gedanken spielen solltest mal an der Hardware was ï¿½ndern

zu wollen (bessere Filter fï¿½r SSB-Empfang auf Kurzwelle z.B.) vergiss es.
Aber fï¿½r "normalen" Rundfunkempfang und SSB-Empfang des Amateurfunks auf

Kurzwelle reichts - in etwa vergleichbar mit dem Sony 2001D. Im VHF/UHF-

Bereich ist das Teil spitze. Inzwischen gibt es auch zusï¿½tzliche Software fï¿½r den PCR.Fï¿½r weitere Info mail an mich und schau in das PCR1000-Archiv bei http://www.qth.net
und abonnier es.

Was die Empfangssituation angeht bin ich hier mitten in Berlin sehr abwechslungsreichen Bedingungen ausgesetzt. Au der einen Seite ist auf allen Frequenzen ne Menge los, andererseits gibts aber auch ne Menge QRN. Bis jetzt habe ich auch nur eine Behelfslï¿½sung "ï¿½bergangsdauerlï¿½sung_> :-)))" die aber recht vernï¿½nftig arbeitet. Ich benutze z.Zt. eine DV-lang CB-Funk-Antenne ca 2,7 mtr lang und habe die Alukaschierung der Dachbodenisolierung mit dem Maseanschluï¿½ des Antennenfuï¿½es verbunden- ist im 6. Obergeschoï¿½ ungeheuer wirksam! Damit ist passabler Kurzwellenempfang genauso mï¿½glich wie Amateurfunk auf 70 cm. Die Zuleitung zu meinem Shack im EG ist 25 mtr RG213-Kabel. Selbst bei dieser kurzen Antenne empfiehlt sich fï¿½r KW unbedingt ein Antennentuner/Preselector fï¿½r eine Vorselektion!

Der TNC-Anschluï¿½ ist ein FM-Diskriminatorausgang. D.h. daï¿½ Du hier das unbegrenzte FM-Signal zur Verfï¿½gung hast um digitale Signale abzunehmen und zu dekodieren, die den Frequenzlimiter der NF-Verstï¿½rkerstufe nicht "vertragen". Dazu gehï¿½ren z.B. Packetradio-Signale ab 9600 Bd und hï¿½her.

Um solche Signale zu verarbeiten braucht man entweder einen TNC (das ist

sozusagen ein kleiner Spezialcomputer der zwischen Empfï¿½nger und PC zwischengeschaltet wird um Packetradiosignale gezielt zu verarbeiten und

bei ausgeschaltetem PC zwischenzuspeichern), oder einen Analog/Digitalwandler (gibts in verschiedenen Ausfï¿½hrungen um digitale Signale u.a. auch CW, Fax, RTTY, POCSAG usw.in COM-Port-verstï¿½ndliche Signale zu wandeln).Diese haben aber keinen eigenen Speicher und sind auf "mitlaufen" des Computers angewiesen) oder sogar die Soundkarte (die

ist ja im Prinzip auch nichts anderes als ein duplexfï¿½higer Analog/Digitalwandler) angeschlosen. Welche Hard- und Software man zur decodierung einsetzt entscheidet im wesentlichen der Geldbeutel. In der neuesten Ausgabe von *Radiohï¿½ren und Scannen (9/98)* wird eine

hochinterressante Hard-und Software-Kombination vorgestellt:
Radio-Com_3.0 die fï¿½r den Preis von DM 358.00 wirklich sensationelles
leistet.

have a look at www://qth.net and have a look at the PCR1000 archieve
there and subscribe.

In my opinion it`s one of the best price-worth receiver. You will NOT
call it a specialist for scanning although it has some
scanning-functions. By ICOM its called a communications-receiver.
Performance on HF is a little bit better as the unmodified Sony ICF2001D

/2010. A modified 2001D with better IF-filters maybe better in some
cases. For receiving (mainly) on shortwave (so do I) the UT106 DSP-unit
is highly recommended. A big fault by ICOM are the 450khz IF-filters.
There are NONE better available around the whole world. I am now trying

to get a pair of new 450 khz-filters with 2.8khz bandwidth from my
ICOM-dealer as repair-parts. I want to switch them behind the other with

an amplifier-circuit to get a better shapefactor. On VHF/UHF it has an
exellent erformance. The Packet-Radio-connector is the
DISCRIMINATOR-output and very usefull for some digital decodings. But-
forget the antenne that comes with the PCR1000. A discone OUTSIDE the
house with UHF-whip is for shure the best you can do to this receiver.
With longer antennas on UHF it will overload. Even with that short
antenna an preselector like the YAESU FRT 7700 is very usefull.

At first: give your PCR1000 a good outdoor/rooftop (discone-)antenna
with a HF-whip. Use double-shielded low-loss cable. For use on HF a
preselektor is recommended because of overloading the frontend. Do a
research on the PCR-1000 archieve of the last few month and you will
find a lot of stuff and adresses for download. But BEFORE playing around

with ex-2099 do a EEPROM-backup with backPCR or PCRbur.

When anybody KNOWS (securely) an Manufacturer who builds 450khz
IF-filters with bandwidth less than 2,8khz and an acceptable shapefaktor

of 2.5 or better please post it or send me email. With two additional
filters of 300/500 and 1800/2200 Hertz it would be the very best
receiver for shortwave you could get for this low price. BUT WHERE TO
GET ??

Iï¿½ve changed some IF-filters in the ICOM PCR1000. I changed the
6khz-type to a 4khz (MURATA CFWS450IT) and put the 6khz to the holes of
the 15khz. In near future I will change it to a 9khz-type. For 15khz I
do not see real need. But this changes seem to give better receiving on
shortwave.

Is there anybody able to give a patch-program to me AND the group where
I can can give my own filter-specifications to for upgrading the
original ICOM-soft?(Ver 1.31)

Yes I have some experiences and I will tell you.
Until now I work a 1/4 wavelength CB-Antenna for all frequencys on the 6th floor under the roof of the house. Cable is 25 meters of RG213 to my

shack on ground-floor. I mainly receive on shortwave and sometimes on 4meter-band and to the HAMs on 2meter and 70 centimeter. There this antenna works very fine. It has a good "grounding" of appr.10x8 meters of metal-foil from the isolation. On shortwave I use a YAESU FRT 7700 preselector and it is VERY useful because of overloading the frontend with the "big guns" when receiving on HAM-bands or utility-stations. You

can still get the FRT7700 for new about her in Germany for less than DM 200,--
and sometimes used ones for half the price. In near future I will connect a discone and a FD4 longwire to my cable, switchable with an remote-controlled relay. All under the rooftop because I will not be allowed to go outside with my antennas. Go at least 10 meters away from your computer with a good shielded cable to connect an antenna!
My computer is a bigtower under my desk and the PCR1000 is in a rack over the monitor. I have ALL cables (low-voltage to the PCR, monitor-signal-cable and serial-cables also) exept the HF-wires :-)) fitted with toroids.
But I have still some marks every 75khz on HF but very low. Maybe it comes from the computer or from inside the PCR itself. The DSP works very fine on voice (do not use it with music!!) and in the HAM-bands. But I miss some functions for the digital modes like adjustable upper and lower frequency (bandpass) and peak/doublepeak-filters for CW, RTTY,

FAX and so. But its worth the price, some SSB-transmissions are only readable with DSP active.
An external DSP with all the functions I want costs the same as the whole PCR1000. :-((

I sent an email to ICOM some months ago and got a reply (automatically??)
that they received my comments but never get an answer if they would change something with the DSP-soft or with the IF-filters nor what they want to do with the 2nd additional port inside.

Ich habe eine Kopie des (grossen englischen) Manuals (als scan auf Datentrï¿½ger 25! MB)und die Kalibriersoft(2,6 MB). Bei Bedarf eine direkte mail an mich.

I have a scanned copy of the manual (25Megs) and the calibration-soft(2.6Megs)
When there is a need, please email me directly.

best regards

odo -from germany

3190. FS:kENWOOD TM-255A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Sullivan <peters@ziplink.net>
Message-ID: <71f0ebvnf1@kali.ziplink.net>
Source record: 127452

FOR SALE:

KENWOOD TM-255A 2-Meter Multimode Transceiver. Mint with box and manual, $625.00. Matching PS-40 power supply, Mint, $140.00. $750.00 for both. Plus shipping. Pete, W1TEN. peters@ziplink.net 978-772-4861

3191. HF4B documentation wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Henk Remijn <hremijn@nospam.zeelandnet.nl>
Message-ID: <71f1en$9ir$1@news.zeelandnet.nl>
Source record: 127453
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

We got a Butternut HF4B antenna without any documentation and would like to use this antenna.

Does someone have any hints were to find these antennas documentation. Or has it themselves.

Henk PA3EOB (PI4ZLD)

3192. Wanted: Programming info for Uniden FMU250K

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: mfunaro@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <363b1523.61402079@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 127454

Hello, I have a couple of Uniden Force FMU250K that I would like to program. Any info would be appreciated. 73, Mike N0XD mfunaro@worldnet.att.net

3193. Info: Ranger RCI2950 10 meter rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Craig Novak <craig_novak@abraxis.com>
Message-ID: <363B075B.B17@abraxis.com>
Source record: 127455

Hello and thank you for reading this,

Has anyone experience with this rig? It looks interesting for
use as a travelling rig.

Please let me know.

Craig
KU4PL

3194. ***WTB*** OLD LAFAYETTE HB-506 PORTABLE DC POWER PACK (radio holder)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: mrusso@hoflink.comNO.JUNKMAIL
Message-ID: <363b1193.2475826@news.hoflink.com>
Source record: 127456
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hi everyone, I am looking for an old Lafayette portable battery pack
model number HB-506. This pack holds the old 23 channel HB-525 and
HB-625 series mobile radios. It has a built in pull up whip antenna,
a small battery meter on the top and of course the "c" battery holders
inside.
If you have one of these and you would like to sell it please e-mail
me direct at:
mrusso@hoflink.com

Thanks, Mark
<mrusso@hoflink.com> (Mark Russo) Amateur Radio Station N2FLF, N.Y.

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Always Available through Technology..... UNLESS SOMETHING BREAKS!!

3195. Mobile Amp for HF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Payne <wa4e@rica.net>
Message-ID: <01be04bd$efe5d6e0$a66c01d0@wa4e>
Source record: 127457

Any ideas on a good 300-400 watt amp for mobile use with a 706 MKll?

And where can I find such a amp?

Thanks Mark

3196. Re: advise on ic-746 anybody...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfiber@news.cmc.net
Message-ID: <363c176f.1907196@news.cmc.net>
Source record: 127458

On Fri, 30 Oct 1998 20:58:39 -0800, "Erik Skovgaard"
<Erik_Skovgaard@bc.sympatico.ca> wrote:

>One nuissance about the IC-746 is that it will not allow you to use the 500
>Hz filter in mode which I use for Pactor. But there is a work-around. You
>have to "lie" to the setup menu and tell it that it has another filter.
>Then you can select the narrow filter option for the 500 Hz bandwidth. A
>minor nuissance to be sure.
>
>No doubt about it, the IC 746 is a nice radio.
>
>73 de VE7MDL ....Erik.
>
Why not use the RTTY Mode which is FSK Keying. The 500 Hz filter is
avaliable in RTTY mode and FSK is great for Pactor 1, Amtor, Baudot
and Packet.

Pactor II and Clover require you to use SSB mode due to the 4 tones
used for that medium.

3197. Re: Mobile Amp for HF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: mfunaro@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <363b19d1.62600879@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 127459

Mark, try http://users.aol.com/rfelectron/rfelect.htm
73, Mike N0XD

On 31 Oct 98 04:02:35 GMT, "Mark Payne" <wa4e@rica.net> wrote:

>Any ideas on a good 300-400 watt amp for mobile use with a 706 MKll?
>
>And where can I find such a amp?
>
>Thanks Mark

3198. ADI 600 or Kenwood THG71A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Young <ryoung@wcnet.org>
Message-ID: <363B1E16.D661B7D4@wcnet.org>
Source record: 127460

I am ready to buy my first dual band HT. I have narrowed the choices down the ADI 600 or the Kenwood TH-G71A. Any opinions out there. Thanks, Rich N8EBH ryoung@wcnet.org

3199. FA eBay: AEA PK900 Multi-Mode Controller (Packet and ...)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: k6sde@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <71f9fp$80m$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127461

This controller is in mint condition. Take a look.

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=38813842

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

3200. Tokyo Hy Power reflector

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: KU4QD <cait.martin@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <363b227a.0@news1.ibm.net>
Source record: 127462

Hi, everyone,

The Tokyo HyPower reflector is alive and well, and 19 hams have subscribed in the first 60 hours.

Anyone is welcome to subscribe. The list covers both equipment marketed under Tokyo HyPower's name and OEM equipment manufactured by THP (such as the monobanders sold first by Amp Supply and then by Kantronics). Who knows, maybe those who want to buy an HT-750 (which is still in production), or any of THP's other current models, can arrange a group purchase.

We can discuss everything from technical issues to buying and selling to operating anecdotes, and you don't have to actually own any THP equipment at the moment to be a member. You just have to have an interest.

If you'd like to subscribe, please go to the following URL:

http://www.onelist.com/subscribe.cgi/thp

It should be a unique discussion.

I promise not to take up any more bandwidth on this newsgroup.

Thanks, 72, and 73,
Cait
KU4QD

3201. Yaesu FT-107M. Please tell me about it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: KU4QD <cait.martin@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <363b230a.0@news1.ibm.net>
Source record: 127463

Hi, everyone,

I'd appreciate any information and opinions on the old FT-107M
transciever.

Assume I know absolutely nothing about it (which is almost true.)

73,
Caity
KU4QD

3202. Icom 2710: Sub band muting???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Ottria <Gottria@Inreach.com>
Message-ID: <SpF_1.6751$E5.1787987@news.inreach.com>
Source record: 127464

Just acquired an Icom 2710H and was wondering about the subband muting when I transmit on the main band. I can mute the subband when I receive a signal on the main band but cannot figure out how to mute the subband when I transmit on the main band.

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Greg Ottria KE6PTP
Castro Valley, California
Gottria@Inreach.com

3203. FA: HEATH NYE JAN etc...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jordan Arndt <jordana@nucleus.com>
Message-ID: <363B2FB3.48AB@nucleus.com>
Source record: 127465

Hi the following items are currently for auction...

EXCELLENT HEATHKIT CT-1 CAPACITOR TESTER!>>>>
Item #38511585

SET OF B&W BALUN COILS with Base,Insulators>>
Item #38511871

B&W Model 725 4:1 Balun 1KW CW Rated... NICE>
Item #38512154
B&W Model JTCL TURRET COIL SET 80-10 Meters
Item #38512354
NYE-VIKING Phone Patch VERY NICE!!!! LOOK>>>>
Item #38512622
CELLWAVE 800-900 MHZ AMP/PREAMP P.S.COMBO...
Item #38512856
150 Watt Dummy Load Wattmeter .1 to 700 MHZ >
Item #38905867
EXCEPTIONAL!!! HEATHKIT AM-2 SWR Meter!!!!>>>
Item #38906027
HEATHKIT IM-2410 FREQ COUNTER/MANUAL>>>>
Item #39006264
NOS JAN CRC 813 Tubes A PAIR!!! NICE NIB>>>>
Item #39011796

AND MUCH MORE!!!!

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewListedItems&userid=jordana@nucleus.com&sort=3&since=-1

take a look... thanks and 73... de Jordan...

3204. Re: PCR-1000, again!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dale Ireland <direland@drdale.com>
Message-ID: <71fa67$l3a$1@supernews.com>
Source record: 127466
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

The hottest thing is
Patrick Masotta's Backup Program
http://members.tripod.com/~pcr1000/index.html
This program allows you to open up all the blocked cellular bands using the
software and without having to do any physical modification to the radio.
Rumor is that this software may result in the pcr1000 having to be withdrwn
from the US market or heavily redesigned.
Dale

Bill Crocker wrote in message ...
>After regretting the sale of my Icom PCR-1000 last year, I decided to get
>another one. Now I need to come up to speed on what's new, i.e.;
hardware,
>software, frequency databases, modifications, etc.
>
>Thanks in advance for any advice!
>
>Sincerely,
>Bill Crocker
>
>

3205. Re: Mobile Amp for HF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: lblockhart@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981031102006.29494.00001602@ngol08.aol.com>
Source record: 127467

Try the WORTHMORE AMP --== 300 watt output on all bands 281-351-2742 or
k5jli@juno.com
LB Lockhart
K5LBL Houston, Tx. USA
Northwest Amatuer Radio Society 146.660 (-) ARRL
OMIK - Electronic Communications Association, Inc.

3206. Wanted: Parts Kwd TS-180 or Junker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: TLNixon@revealed.net
Message-ID: <363b1c8c.65606069@news.revealed.net>
Source record: 127468

Looking for anyone having a junker Kenwood TS-180. Need the output
Transmitter filter assembly including the switch.

WB0VQP

3207. FS: FT-1000 Yaesu/Butternut hf5b

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jay <qproductions@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <363B2AF3.5AAC2D04@mindspring.com>
Source record: 127469

FT-1000 is forsale Hf radio 200 watts out.
Price $2000.00
This radio is in excellent condition update by Yaesu 8/97
Comes with Md-1 desk mic service manual, operators manual.
Purchased from Lentini. Serial## is 3F320074.
Also Buttternut hf5b beam 175.00
n2kpk@mindspring.com

3208. Re: 12 to 18v dc-dc- Converter.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: wavefront@SPAMbigfoot.com
Message-ID: <363b07b5.5289497@news.mcmail.com>
Source record: 127470
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.components,sci.electronics.design,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.misc,alt.electronics.analog.vlsi,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On Fri, 30 Oct 1998 19:31:31 GMT, gwilljo@cwo.com (gwilljo) wrote:

>Hello,
>DOes anyone have a schematic or know where I can get a DC-DC Converter
>that will take me from 12dc in to 18vdc @ 3 amps out? Something
>centered around the LT1071 or equivalent?
>
>Thanks a million
>Greg
>KB6WKW
>
get back to the linear site, they have some free design software that
will help you out

martin
delete SPAM in my address

3209. Re: ICu2AT Info needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Philip H. Dater" <pdater@micron.net>
Message-ID: <363B3137.A5D349AA@micron.net>
Source record: 127471

For 67.0 hz tone, Set dipswitches as follows:
P1=1, remainder of switches = 0

Phil, WA5JDZ

Omar wrote:

> Misplaced my manual and I wonder if anyone can tell me the dip switch
> settings to have the radio send 67.0 hz tone?
> Thanks
>
> Bob, WA2SQQ

3210. Re: ::SOLD.I say NEW Eimac 4CX1000 ;;;Sold:::

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bored of Your Bull <boredof@hatemail.com>
Message-ID: <01be04e5$fcbe3ba0$87c6b8cd@MyComputer.nowhere.net>
Source record: 127472

Most likely he will continue too. This is an equipment discussion group
not your personal free ad space. BTW why weren't you collecting sales
tax at El Paso? I have a pretty good estimate of your gross and I'm sure
the
State of Texas will be most interested. You do pay income tax on your
proffits don't you?

J. Murray Neece <kc5mdm@iglobal.net> wrote in article
<363A935F.2AEB63FB@iglobal.net>...
> brought $575
>
> This guy is still at it !! can you believe it?
>
> Bored of Your Bull wrote:
>
> > Murray .equipment is not a sales group. Take your stupid little
business
> > elsewhere.
> > And, oh by the way, learn to spell.
> >
> > J. Murray Neece <kc5mdm@iglobal.net> wrote in article
> > <3638DDEA.23D2B0A0@iglobal.net>...
> > > Still in the unopened plastic ...new in the factory
> > > box....$700...gauranteed NEW!! Thanks Murray
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3211. Re: Info: Ranger RCI2950 10 meter rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan K Nelson <kf6knb@usa.net>
Message-ID: <71fc78brg1@news-1.news.gte.net>
Source record: 127473

Craig Novak wrote in message <363B075B.B17@abraxis.com>...
>Hello and thank you for reading this,
>
>Has anyone experience with this rig? It looks interesting for
>use as a travelling rig.
>
>Please let me know.
>
>Craig
>KU4PL

They have a reputation of being a trouble prone radio. Many people I know have had them either bad right out of the box, or they will develop problems shortly thereafter. I think they are really targeted for the 11 meter crowd and disguised as 10 meter radios, they look a lot better than they work. A better choice in the same price range would be a Uniden 2510, it's much better made, and electronically a better rig.

However, if you have a little leeway in price, I would think about an Icom 706. The prices on good used ones are falling rapidly as new models come out, and this would give you a real rig with a lot more features and quality - and it's smaller than either of the 10 meter only radios.

73 de KF6KNB

3212. WTT: Kenwood TS-530S for Drake C-line

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: KB4AEP <crslex@iglou.com>
Message-ID: <363B3318.C467E660@iglou.com>
Source record: 127474

Anyone interested in trading their Drake C-line for my Kenwood TS-530S?
It works great with full output and is about an 8 cosmetically. I have
original manuals and boxes. If interested, e-mail me (Mark) at
crslex@iglou.com. Thanks

3213. F.S. TUBES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: BOB BIEKER <n9tew@jorsm.com>
Message-ID: <363B368D.944A669E@jorsm.com>
Source record: 127475
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.shortwave

NOS TUBES

MATCHED PAIR OF 6JS6C TUBES PLUS A 12BY7A DRIVER (BULK PACK RCA SILVER TONE) 64.00 (32.00 EACH). MATCHED PAIR OF 6146W OR 6JB6A PLUS A 12BY7A (RCA BULK PACK SILVER TONE) 36.00 (18.00 EACH). 6LQ6 32.00 ,6MJ6 38.00,6LR6 25.00, 6KD6 30.00 , 6JG6 25.00 ,6LF6 OR 20LF6 38.00, GE 8908 75.00 .

MINI TUBES AVAILABLE ARE RCA 6AZ8 5.00(BULK PACK),RCA 7360 12.00 (BULK PACK),12BY7A (SIVER TONE RCA BULK)5.00, 12AX7/7025 RAYTHEON 7.00

OTHER TUBES ARE AVAILABLE .USED TUBES ARE ALSO AVAILABLE FOR 50% OFF. ALL TUBES ARE TESTED . BEST TO EMAIL ME AT n9tew@jorsm.com

3214. FS: STANDARD HX-240 UHF PORTABLE RADIOS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: DALE EATON <rapidcomm@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01be04ee$5449c1c0$1c92480c@fff>
Source record: 127476

I have (4) UHF portable radios w/rapid chargers
$ 150.00 each
The book says 450 to 470 MHz, but I programmed one for 440.300 and it
works.

Thank You

Dale

(520) 324-0997 wk phone
(520) 795-1600 fax
(520) 623-3100 cell

3215. Re: On-glass UHF antennas any good?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: psNOSPAM@adnc.com
Message-ID: <363b415a.1309745@news.adnc.com>
Source record: 127477

I'm usinga Larsen dual band through-the-glass KG2/70CXPL and I'm
completely satisfied. Very pricy, but I like it. At least it's a
huge advantage over my MFJ dual band mag mount!
-----Peter

On Fri, 30 Oct 1998 03:30:16 -0700, "Ed Juge" <ed_juge@zianet.com>
wrote:

>If you use repeaters, they work fine. Several years ago, a bunch of us
>living in the Ft. Worth, TX area, ran simplex on 2 meters. Most used
>5/8-wave cowl or roof-mounted antennas. One in the group put on a
>thru-the-glass antenna. He had horrible results. He went to a trunk mount
>and we could communicate over 10-12 miles, mobile to mobile, up from 3-4
>miles with the glass mount.
>
>We also found that single-band antennas for each band worked considerably
>better than dual band units... even Larsens. So, I guess if you translate
>all that it means if you're within comfortable range of repeaters, go for
>it. If you operate simplex or if you travel outside repeater coverage areas
>often, then there is no substitute for a good, single-band 5/8 whip.
>
>Ed, W5EJ
>T. David Cohen wrote in message <3638A68C.236D4E5B@eatel.net>...
>>Tony, I've been using one with an ICOM 207H (on both 2 meters and 440
>>MHz) for about a year and it seems to work great. I don't have anything
>>to compare it to though.
>>
>>Good luck.
>>
>>Tony Szablowski wrote:
>>
>>> Folks, I'd like to hear any and all opinions/info on on-glass
>>> UHF(460-470MHz) antennas, please. Plus, I'd like to know if it's
>>> better than a trunk-lip mount antenna? Thanks.
>>> --
>>> Regards,
>>> Tony
>>
>

3216. FA eBay: Heathkit Catalogs - BEAUTIFUL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: k6sde@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <71fkvgmkp1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 127478

I have 5 different groups of Heathkit Catalogs listed on eBay. There is NO RESERVE so they will be sold. The bidding starts at $3.00 each.

If you're interested here are the locations in: Collectibles:Radio:Manuals.

1974 Catalogs
http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=39089609

1975 Catalogs
http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=39090597

1976 Catalogs
http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=39091498

1977 & 78 Catalogs
http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=39092195

1965 & 78 Catalogs
http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=39092796

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3217. Multiple Ports for PC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Joe <KW1K>" <kw1k@nospam.tfb.com>
Message-ID: <U1I_1.691$cw.9519@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 127479
Cross-posted to: comp.home.automation,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Anyone have experience with adding additional Parallel and Serial ports
(beyond the normal LPT3 and COM4) to a PC?

Any info appreciated.

Thanks in advance

Joe - KW1K
kw1k<at>tfb<dot>com

3218. Search Software for MOTOROLA STACCATO..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gilles <gilles.gary@wanadoo.fr>
Message-ID: <71fjmk$k8i$2@platane.wanadoo.fr>
Source record: 127480

I search program for MOTOROLA STACCATO and recent EEPROM for this one to use all functions...

TNX.....Gilles.

3219. Re: Info: Ranger RCI2950 10 meter rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill <whagen@NOREPLY.inreach.com>
Message-ID: <363B65E3.60B1@NOREPLY.inreach.com>
Source record: 127481

Dan K Nelson wrote:
>
> Craig Novak wrote in message <363B075B.B17@abraxis.com>...
> >Hello and thank you for reading this,
> >
> >Has anyone experience with this rig? It looks interesting for
> >use as a travelling rig.
> >
> >Please let me know.
> >
> >Craig
> >KU4PL
>
> They have a reputation of being a trouble prone radio. Many people I know
> have had them either bad right out of the box, or they will develop problems
> shortly thereafter. I think they are really targeted for the 11 meter crowd
> and disguised as 10 meter radios, they look a lot better than they work. A
> better choice in the same price range would be a Uniden 2510, it's much
> better made, and electronically a better rig.
>
> However, if you have a little leeway in price, I would think about an Icom
> 706. The prices on good used ones are falling rapidly as new models come
> out, and this would give you a real rig with a lot more features and
> quality - and it's smaller than either of the 10 meter only radios.
>
> 73 de KF6KNB
I have one, have had no problems with it, and have enjoyed it ever since
I set it up. I use it in the house as a "tabletop".
What do people think the price difference is with the Uniden 2510?

I like the controls on the mic, but think the power readout is not that
great. It is an unlabled bar graph instead of an S meter. The unit also
displays SWR readout, but not numerically. This could be improved.
It is all mode, and tunes in .1 MHz steps, with a clarifier to adjust
recieve on ssb.
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3220. WTB Kenwood TS680

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: summitrt@aol.com
Message-ID: <19981031133917.04894.00001898@ng115.aol.com>
Source record: 127482

Looking for a clean Kenwood 680 HF/6M rig. Non-smoker's rig preferred.
Thanks
Bob

3221. Re: Multiple Ports for PC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Norman Hockler <norsan@bright.net>
Message-ID: <71fm4u$7kf$2@cletus.bright.net>
Source record: 127483
Cross-posted to: comp.home.automation,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

"Joe <KW1K>" <kw1k@nospam.tfb.com> writes:
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> (beyond the normal LPT3 and COM4) to a PC?
>
> Any info appreciated.
>
> Thanks in advance
>
> Joe - KW1K
> kw1k<at>tfb<dot>com

Joe,

We use digiboards modle PC/xE. This will add 8 ports with
onboard processor and ram to keep up with high speed data on
all ports. It uses onlt 1 IRQ. They also make a 4 port board.

Norm N8RGR

3222. F/S KNWD TM-255A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: HRE <hamradio@wizzards.net>
Message-ID: <363B5D39.32BD@wizzards.net>
Source record: 127484

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Top of the Line 2 Meter Xcvr, Like NEW in Factory Box $500.00

This Radio Looks Like the Kenwood TS-50-S...

Joe Reaves / N6fra (541) 479-1212
http://www.wizzards.net/hamradio
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3223. FS: Atlas 210x w/ console

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: jrolso1@ibm.net
Message-ID: <MPG.10a5086924e3b1669896e7@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 127485

I have an Atlas 210X HF Transceiver 10-80 meter all solid state rig for
sale. Can be used as a base or mobile unit.
Comes complete with 220CS AC console, recommended Sure 404C microphone
and manual.
This unit is in excellent condition, was stored for many years and has
few hours on it.

Price is $300.00 plus shipping.

Jeff WD0ENE
Email: jrolso1@ibm.net PH:612-704-0989

3224. Re: FS: STANDARD HX-240 UHF PORTABLE RADIOS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1998-10-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steven Ross <stevenross@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <363B5DB6.9D948178@earthlink.net>
Source record: 127486

If you need more than 4 I have 6/6-gang rapid charger for $700.
Programming included. See at:

http://members.aol.com/bettyross1/homepage.html

Steve Ross